Autumn 2 NEWSLETTER

Welcome back! We hope you had a restful and enjoyable half-term break and are feeling refreshed and ready for the busy and exciting term ahead. There is lots to look forward to!

Things you will need:

Monday	Diary, reading books, water bottle Wear your PE kit to school
Tuesday	Diary, reading books, water bottle
Wednesday	Diary, reading books, water bottle
Thursday	Diary, reading books, water bottle
Friday	Diary, reading books, water bottle Spelling and arithmetic tests Changing our library books

We take great pride in our school and our uniform. Please ensure your child is wearing the correct school uniform at all times.

P.E. kit

All children should have a PE bag with pumps that is left on their school peg.

Indoor P.E kit: St Mary's quarter zip, plain white t-shirt, plain black/blue shorts/trousers and pumps.

Outdoor P.E kit for colder months: St Mary's quarter zip, plain white t-shirt, plain black/blue tracksuit pants and trainers.

This term, we will be doing dance inspired by The Great Fire of London!

Our learning in Autumn 2

In English, we will be writing a non-fiction text about The Great Fire of London.

In maths, we will be learning how to add and subtract using the column method.

In religion, we will be learning about how people prepared/prepare for the birth of Jesus.

In science, we will continue to investigate plants.

In geography, we will be studying nature all around us.

In history, we will be learning about various people in history who have changed the world!

In ICT, we continue to work on our word processing skills.

In music, we will be studying songs that celebrate South African music.

In design & technology, we will make our own hand puppets!

Key dates

2nd November	School opens
	Day of the Dead!
12th November	Parents' Day
13th November	Own Clothes Day (PTA chocolate donations)
16th November	Odd Sock Day
21st November	Christmas Fair

26th November	Panto Trip
11th December	Year 2 Nativity
15th December	Year 2 Christmas Jumper Day
17th December	Year 2 Christmas Party Day
18th December	School closes @1.30pm for Christmas break

Class Dojo

Class Dojo will be used to showcase our learning and for sharing reminders about upcoming dates and events. Please check this regularly. Any changes or additions to the **key dates** will be posted there.