



Glenleigh Park Academy

"Ambassadors for Life"

TERM 1 NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back and welcome to Year 2!

Miss Sims class are Hares and Mrs Blake and Miss Grimshaw's class are Rabbits.

Paragon

Our first unit of work is based around The Stone Age. Our Key question will be 'What do people need?' Where the children will be finding out about how the Stone Age people lived.



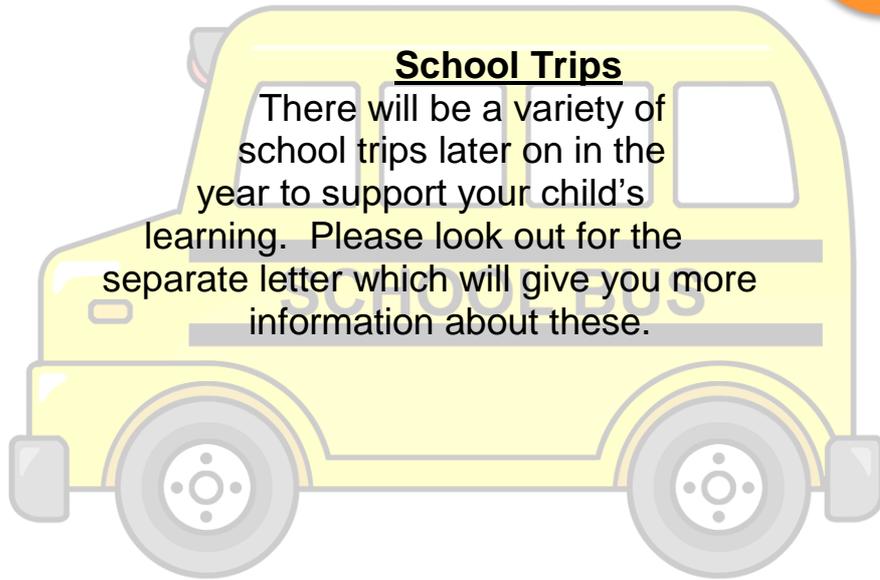
Ways that you can help your child to get the best out of school:

- In Year 2 we encourage the children to come into school independently, please help your child to do this by saying goodbye to them at the KS1 doors in the morning. Any messages for your child's teacher can be passed onto the member of staff by the door.

- Please ensure your child's uniform, PE kit, book bag and water bottles are clearly labelled.
- PE sessions will be on Wednesdays and Thursdays - the children can keep their PE kits in class for the whole term.

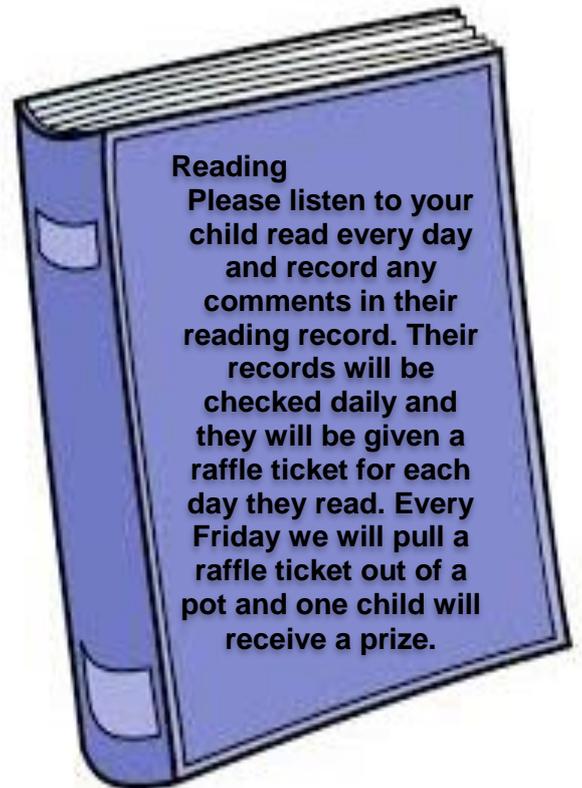
School Trips

There will be a variety of school trips later on in the year to support your child's learning. Please look out for the separate letter which will give you more information about these.



Reading

Please listen to your child read every day and record any comments in their reading record. Their records will be checked daily and they will be given a raffle ticket for each day they read. Every Friday we will pull a raffle ticket out of a pot and one child will receive a prize.



Home learning



The requirement in Year 2 is to read daily and practise the weekly spellings sent home each Friday. The children will be tested on their spellings the following Friday and sent home with their scores.

They will also continue to receive the Paragon grid homework, please aim to complete 6 of the activities each term. We love seeing the children's creations and sharing them with the class.