

Telford Infant School

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Dear Parents,

We hope you and your children have had a lovely half term break. Our theme for this half term is 'The King of Tiny Things' which is a story written by Jeanne Willis.

Science Week

As you are aware, we will be having a whole school learning visit to Cotswold Wildlife Park and Gardens on Monday 30th March. This is a fantastic opportunity to launch a whole week of learning about animals. See the letter sent out last half term for further details.

Easter service

Year 1 will lead an Easter service on Friday, 3rd April at St Mary Magdalene's church in the morning. Year 2 are also attending this service and therefore, unfortunately, there will not be enough space to invite parents. However, if you are available to walk children to and from the church (and therefore, watch the service) please let your child's class teacher know.

Home Learning

This half term, home learning will look slightly different and there will be a short weekly maths and reading comprehension activity. Please see the separate home learning letter for more details.

Reading

Please remember to write in your child's reading diary every time you listen to them read. We recommend that you try to hear your child read every day and remind them to change their book two or three times a week. Please ensure that your child has their reading diary and book in school every day. In Year Two we are now asking the children to tick the log, in order to check the frequency with which they are changing their books.

<u>Uniform</u>

Please make sure that your child brings a warm, waterproof coat to school both for playtimes and to enable us to learn outside if appropriate. Please ensure that all uniform is named as we understand how frustrating it is when your child mislays an item of uniform. We always do our best to help them to find it, but when items are not named this is extremely difficult. Increasingly this is a problem with many items not named so we would be very grateful if you could check your child's uniform and rename if needed.

<u>PE kit</u>

Please make sure that your child has a **named PE kit** (including jogging bottoms, jumper – not their school jumper, and trainers) in school every day.

Water bottles

Thank you for supporting your child to remember to bring a clean water bottle to school every day. This is helping to reduce the spread of germs and eases congestion at the water foundations in the morning. However, please don't put water bottles in your child's book bag as many are leaking and spoiling reading books and diaries.

We are looking forward to a great half term of learning in Year 2. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to speak to your child's class teacher.

Kind Regards

Year 2 Team







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