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In year 2 our aim is to support your children on their learning journey to become independent, pro- active learners and problem solvers. They will build on the knowledge and skills they met in year 1 as well as developing new skills and expanding their knowledge through studying new topics. We continue to develop their understanding of our school values and of diversity in our community by learning about just how different we all seem and how similar we actually are.

Expectations are high in Year 2. We want every child to explore and develop their potential to become their best selves. We aim to make lessons engaging and well structured so that the children can make links between subjects to enhance their understanding and engagement. To accomplish, this we encourage all children to be active learners — to arrive at school prepared for that day's lessons both with equipment and with a positive mental attitude in order to improve their both academic skills and their personal and social skills so that they can flourish, not just in year 2, but throughout their school careers.

We believe that the keystone of being a successful student is being a reader. While this is backed up by a range of research, we see it in action all the time. This is a crucial time for the children - some of whom will already be reading well and some who are about to start now they have mastered their phonics. Lots of support from home and heaps of practice will enable them to achieve their best!

We are hoping to be able to run school trips and experiences this year to further enhance our curriculum, which ranges from a famous fire to famous footsteps!

I wonder where we will go?

