



SDG 16 Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions. Click here to find out more

We will be learning about peaceful and inclusive communities

Welcome to our class newsletter for this half term. We are excited to share with you our learning journey.

In English...

We will be focusing on character descriptions in our new CLPE class text. We will be applying basic punctuation and developing our independent writing including the use of conjunctions.



In Computing...

We will be learning how to make a poster about a police dog, in word.

In Maths...

We will be adding and subtracting two, 2-digit numbers that cross the tens barrier. We will be learning to add amounts of money and to give change.



In French...

We will be revising numbers 0-31, our birthdays, the date and pronouns. We will be learning hobbies and likes.



In Science...

We will be learning about the importance of exercise for humans, policemen need to be very fit!



In Online Safety...

We will be beginning to understand online bullying.



In Geography...

We will be learning how to locate a police station on a map.

In History...

We will be learning about the beginnings and establishment of the police force.



In DT...

We will be learning running stitch and making a Christmas decoration.

In Religious Education...

We will be learning about the story of the birth of Jesus and think about the lessons we might learn from it.



In Art...

We will be developing our printing skills.



In Music...

We will be learning how to sing and perform a song as part of a small group.



In PE...

We will be learning how to play Rugby.



In PSCH...

We will be learning about friendships, family patterns and staying safe.

Other News:

PE

PE days are Tuesdays and Thursdays. Please ensure your child has a change of clothes and shoes in case it rains on a PE day.



Homework

Please read at home with your child at least three times a week. Reading diaries will be checked on Mondays to monitor this. We encourage you to read your child's colour banded book three times. These will be changed on Mondays and Thursdays. Please read as much additional literature as possible. This could be magazines, chapter books, audiobooks, etc. These can all be logged in reading records.



Maths homework: Abacus (click here) 3 x 20 min per week

Important

Please ensure your child brings a water bottle and waterproof coat to school every day.

We encourage children to bring a pencil case to school, including the following:

- pencils
- ruler
- rubber
- sharpener
- coloured pencils



If you need to contact the Year 2 team, please email year2@buckdenacademy.org