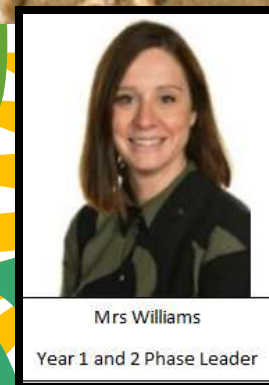




Welcome To Class 2CT

**Mrs Cutler & Mrs
Watkins**



Hello 1M soon to be 2CT,

I am VERY excited and looking forward to September and I hope you are too. I am so glad we were able to spend some time together this week and I feel very lucky to know all of your names and lovely little faces. It was great fun teaching you our 'Good Morning' song, sharing my favourite story of 'Puff the Magic Dragon,' and getting to know a little bit more about you this week. Thank you for your help creating our belonging display with your fabulous bright lollipop stick designs and I look forward to you spotting them when you come back after the summer holiday.

I have been talking lots with Mrs Meredith who has told me all about how truly special you all are and I cannot wait for us to be together in September.

It is almost time for our summer holidays. I hope you will have great fun, making many wonderful memories with family and friends! I shall be spending time with my family, going for lovely walks with my dog Bonnie and hopefully having a paddle in the sea. If you go away over the holidays, maybe you would like to send a postcard to school that we could share with the class in September when we return.

I have lots of fun in store for Year 2, just you wait and see! I am very much looking forward to us learning all about 'The Great Fire of London' and 'Antarctica' and sharing some memorable experiences together. Mrs Watkins and I cannot wait to welcome you into 2CT in September when we will get to do many fun and exciting things together.

Have a lovely summer, take care, stay safe and make some awesome memories,

See you soon.

Mrs Cutler ☺

Dear 1M, soon to be 2CT,

I have written a postcard to you and included a photograph so that over the holiday you will remember what the adults in our class look like.

Many things in Year 2 are the same as Year 1. Each day you will need to bring a **named water bottle** and a **named coat**. School will continue to provide a fruit snack but you are welcome to bring a healthy snack of your own. You will still need your **book bags** to take belongings to and from school. This will ensure homework, reading books, diaries and letters are kept safe, and importantly, that the bags fit on our pegs.

Each year in school, you will become more independent. Ready for Year 2, you will need to be able to fasten your own coat, unscrew your own water bottle, use a knife and fork to cut up and eat your food, and tie your own laces (if you choose to wear lace up shoes). You can be practising these things over the summer.

Please wear your P.E kit to school on our P.E days. Look out for a text each term letting your know our PE days.

The kit is the same as in Year 1: white polo shirt, plain black shorts or plain navy-blue/black tracksuit bottoms/ leggings, your usual school jumper/ cardigan and a pair of trainers.

In Year 2, homework and spellings will be set weekly on a Friday and due in by the following Friday. There will be copy on Google Classroom as well as a paper copy that will be sent home. Spellings can be practised on Spelling Shed and will be tested each Thursday. (Log in details to follow.)

During the summer, we encourage you to continue reading regularly. You could also practise reading and spelling the Year 1 and 2 common exception words. We are keeping your new home reading diary safe in

school for September. These are to be brought into school every day. You will get a sticker on a chart for every 30 nights of reading achieved and a certificate in your diary as well as working towards reward each term for reading at least 60 nights. Please read books from school, home, the library and a mix of fiction and non – fiction to develop a love of reading. If you are looking for recommended reads, Google search for 'The Reader Teacher, Year 2'.

I hope you have a lovely summer holiday and I look forward to seeing you in September.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Cutler

Year 1 and 2 Common Exception Words

Year 1

the	they	one
a	be	once
do	he	ask
to	me	friend
today	she	school
of	we	put
said	no	push
says	go	pull
are	so	full
were	by	house
was	my	our
is	here	
his	there	
has	where	
I	love	
you	come	
your	some	

Year 2

door	gold	plant	clothes
floor	hold	path	busy
poor	told	bath	people
because	every	hour	water
find	great	move	again
kind	break	prove	half
mind	steak	improve	money
behind	pretty	sure	Mr
child	beautiful	sugar	Mrs
children	after	eye	parents
wild	fast	could	Christmas
climb	last	should	everybody
most	past	would	even
only	father	who	
both	class	whole	
old	grass	any	
cold	pass	many	