

P1/2 TERM 2 NEWSLETTER

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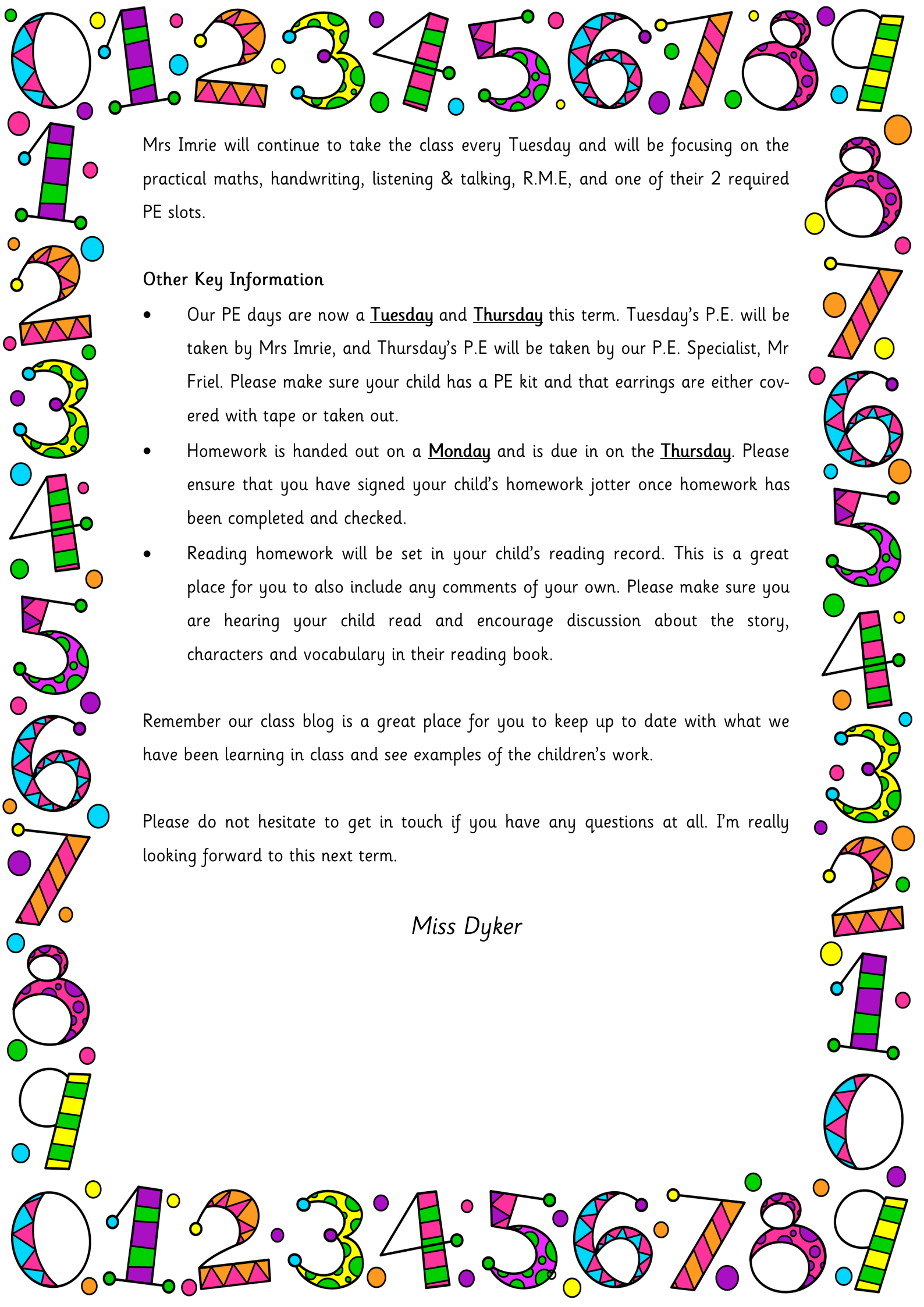
Dear Parents,

It's Term 2 already and we've got an exciting term ahead of us.

We have a few different topics this term. This term there is a whole school focus on Enterprise as we work towards creating something wonderful for our school Christmas fair. In addition to our Enterprise focus, we will also be focusing on people who help us including emergency services and people in our local community. This will link in to our learning in social studies.

In Maths, the P1s will continue using Animal Zoo to support them in their number formation of their numbers to 10. We will continue to look at developing our awareness of numbers and different ways of representing them, ordering them, and finding one more and one less. The P2s have just started looking at addition and subtraction to 20 and will continue with this through Term 2. In practical Maths, the P1/2s will be developing their knowledge and understanding of money which will link in with our Enterprise focus.

In Literacy, P1/2 will be developing their knowledge of different sounds. P1s will continue to look at their initial sounds through Jolly Phonics. **Please make sure you are going over their sounds at home, practicing their new sound and revising previous sounds.** P2s are continuing with their double sounds such as **ea**, **ew**, **igh**, and **aw**. As a whole class we will continue with our focus on rhyming words and stories. P1s will be introduced to the Oxford Reading Tree scheme this term where they will meet Biff, Chip and Kipper in their reading books. Please make sure you check their yellow Reading Record daily and engage with their reading books at home.



Mrs Imrie will continue to take the class every Tuesday and will be focusing on the practical maths, handwriting, listening & talking, R.M.E, and one of their 2 required PE slots.

Other Key Information

- Our PE days are now a Tuesday and Thursday this term. Tuesday's P.E. will be taken by Mrs Imrie, and Thursday's P.E will be taken by our P.E. Specialist, Mr Friel. Please make sure your child has a PE kit and that earrings are either covered with tape or taken out.
- Homework is handed out on a Monday and is due in on the Thursday. Please ensure that you have signed your child's homework jotter once homework has been completed and checked.
- Reading homework will be set in your child's reading record. This is a great place for you to also include any comments of your own. Please make sure you are hearing your child read and encourage discussion about the story, characters and vocabulary in their reading book.

Remember our class blog is a great place for you to keep up to date with what we have been learning in class and see examples of the children's work.

Please do not hesitate to get in touch if you have any questions at all. I'm really looking forward to this next term.

Miss Dyker