

# Primary 2/1 Class Newsletter

**April  
2023**

Remember to follow us on Twitter to see all the exciting and interesting things we have been doing. @SikesidePS



All the children are working hard in Primary 2/1 each displaying enthusiasm and commitment to their learning.

## Interdisciplinary Study

Our new topic for this term will be 'Sustainability.' The children will be involved in a variety of learning activities, litter picking around the local environment, caring for the planet, growing and planting activities, exploring climate change and analysing data.

Please talk to your child about the world they live in and about looking after the community they live in.

## Things to remember

P.E - Wednesday and Thursday.

Please ensure that correct gym kit is available.

Homework - issued on a Monday to be returned on a Friday please.

## Diary dates

1<sup>st</sup> May – Holiday

2<sup>nd</sup> May – In-service Day.

8<sup>th</sup> May – Holiday – Kings Coronation.

26<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup> May - Holiday

1<sup>st</sup> June School Trip - Blair Drummond Safari Park.

7<sup>th</sup> June – Sports Day.

20<sup>th</sup> June – Summer Disco.

21<sup>st</sup> June - Concert

23<sup>rd</sup> June – School closing Fun Day.

26<sup>th</sup> June – End of Term Service.

Please follow us on twitter as we post some lovely pictures of our learning.

## Literacy

The children will be encouraged to write with greater independence. We will be focusing on sounding out and blending to help them with their reading and writing. Please encourage your child to practise sounding out words they see at home or when out and about in their local environment. Please encourage your child to read every night as it is so important to encourage confidence and fluency with reading.

## Numeracy

We will be recapping on all the maths/numeracy we have learned. Looking at patterns we have learned and using strategies to help us count more quickly. Our main focus this term is on checking our answers as well as, symmetry, measurement and data analysis. Please encourage your child to count and add amounts at home to help reinforce their learning.

**Thank you very much for your continued support.**