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Dear Parents/Guardians

Welcome back! We hope you had a fantastic half term holiday and are ready to find out about all the exciting things we will be doing this half term as we continue our topic, 'The World of Beatrix Potter'. This half term, we will be learning more about the Victorian Era and what life was like when Beatrix Potter was alive.

Over the next few weeks we will be busy getting ready for our Christmas production of 'A Magical Christmas'. The children are very excited and we hope that you will enjoy all their hard work.

Please remember that PE takes place on a **Monday** and **Tuesday for 2B and Tuesday and Thursday for 2J**. At the moment, we have lots of children who are not coming to school in appropriate PE kits. Children need outdoor footwear such as trainers rather than shoes or boots. We also ask that, as the weather is beginning to change, all children have a pair of indoor pumps in school. As I am sure you will understand, it is uncomfortable for children to have to sit in wet shoes or wellies all day.

Homework:

Well done to everybody who embraced last half term's homework – we have had some amazing work come into school! This half term's homework will be sent on **Friday 8th December** and is due back in school on by **Friday 10th January 2025**.

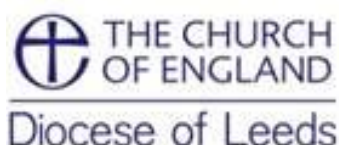
Reading/phonics books must come into school every day.

Spellings are given on a Friday and tested the following Friday.

We have had a fantastic start to the school year and would like to say a very big thank you to parents and guardians for supporting your children in settling back into school life. They are working incredibly hard and have already made good progress. As you will be aware, Year 2 is a very important year for the children and to enable them to achieve their potential, it is vital that they continue to work hard at home by practising their reading skills, spellings and times tables.

Many thanks for your support.

Mrs Bakal and Mr Jamil
Year 2 Class Teachers



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