



St Cuthbert Mayne Catholic Primary School



Welcome back to Year 2

Mrs Warwick and Ms Halahan are looking forward to working with the children in Year 2 and getting to know their parents and carers. Ms Halahan will be working on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, and Mrs Warwick will be working on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

School uniform

Please ensure that you follow the school uniform policy and all items of uniform are clearly labelled, including all PE kit.

PE

We have 2 PE sessions each week; Tuesday and Friday. However, we do ask that no earrings, watches or other jewellery are to be worn during PE.

Water

We are encouraging the children to drink of plenty of water. Please could each child bring a named water bottle which will be kept in class to school each day ensuring that the children have access to water all day.

Pencil cases

Children do not need to bring any pens or pencils into school. Any equipment needed will be provided.

Home learning

Homework will be set on a Friday, to be handed in by the following Friday. Children should spend no longer than 20 minutes on their homework. If your child is unable to complete the homework please send in a letter to explain why. Each term we will send home a Homework grid. ONE of these tasks needs to be completed each half term and brought in to school on the date shown.

The children should read their school book to an adult every night for approximately 10 minutes. Please fill in your child's Reading Record.

Reading

Please ensure that they have their reading book in school with them each day. If your child needs to change their book they can do this at the beginning of the school day. Mrs Warwick, Ms Halahan or Mrs Dunk can assist children with choosing their book if needed. The children will have the opportunity to use the school and class libraries each week.

Parent help

There may be occasions when we would appreciate some additional help for practical activities or something special. If you are able to help on occasions and have a school DBS check, please do let Mrs Warwick or Ms Halahan know.

Communication

Please come and speak to Mrs Warwick or Ms Halahan at the end of the school day if you have any concerns. We will always come and speak to you, or contact you by phone if we have any concerns about your child.

NO toys or expensive items for afterschool clubs e.g. IPADS are to be left in children's bags. They must be given to the teacher.