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To the parents and carers of pupils in year 2

Dear parents and carers,

Where to find the timetable for online lessons, the content of lessons and the class email.

I hope our families are well and thank you all for your support as we continue to learn from home.

We update the website daily and you can access all of the information by visiting: www.grove.bham.sch.uk/curriculumjourney then scroll to 'year 2'. On this page you will find: the daily timetable for lessons; the content of the lessons and the class email for each teacher.

Reading and phonics

The development of reading skills remains a key area of learning for our children. For pupils in year 2 we offer differentiated phonics lessons and guided reading lessons every day.

Please ask your child's teacher which phonics and guided reading group they are in if you are unsure.

Phonics lessons begin at 11.15am each day.
See the table below for daily guided reading times.

Class	Gold	Purple	Turquoise	Orange	Green	Red	Pink
2 Green	1.15-1.45	1.15-1.45	1.45-2.15	/	1.45-2.15	2.15-2.45	2.15-2.45
2 Red	/	1.15-1.45	1.15-1.45	1.45-2.15	1.45-2.15 group 1	2.15-2.45 green group 2	/
2 Yellow	/	1.15-1.45	1.15-1.45	1.45-2.15	1.45-2.15	2.15-2.45	2.15-2.45

When the teacher reads the book from the school reading scheme the sounds (phonemes) the book covers are the same as the sounds we are teaching in the phonics lesson.

If your child cannot join the daily live lesson, we will send you an email every Monday which has a link to the reading book your child is reading for the week. You can listen to the book being read in the first instance then mute the reader and ask your child to read the words themselves.



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If your child cannot join the live lessons the daily work can be found on the school website. Please go to: www.grove.bham.sch.uk/curriculumjourney then scroll down to ' year 2 daily live lesson timetable and online work.'

Every day the teacher puts a phonics and reading activity, relevant to your child's phonics phase and coloured reading book, onto the website.

We hope you find these learning tools useful. Please keep sending in photographs of your child's work to the class email. We really do appreciate all you are doing at home to help your child learn.

Yours sincerely,

Ms J Wilkinson
Year group leader