

Welcome to Class 2

In Class Two there are eleven Year 7 pupils, who work in a range of situations, including whole class, collaborative group and individual learning, working both independently and with adults.

Pupils have an allocated seating plan according to individual needs. Pupils are able to work at an individual workstation when necessary.

Pupils are supported by two Speech and Language Therapists, one Occupational Therapist, a part-time Educational Psychologist and two full time teaching and learning assistants.

Our day begins with meeting time when we use visual timetables to go through the day ahead, giving the pupils an opportunity to ask questions and share any news. Pupils take it in turns to read out the timetable and also to take the lunch register.

On Mondays we catch up on any news from the weekend and then complete some Speech and Language activities.

Tuesdays is 'Times Table Tuesday' when we practise multiplication tables and we also watch Newsround to keep up to date with events in the world.

Wednesdays is 'Word Wednesday' when we look at an idiom and also have some quiet reading time.

Thursdays is 'Think Thursday' where we think about and discuss a thought provoking question and also discuss an interesting fact.

On Fridays we complete some Occupational Therapy activities.

In Class 2, we have five hour long lessons a day and these are mostly taught by the class teacher.

We have Maths and Literacy four times a week.

Mr Price teaches Science three times a week.

Mrs Bowyer teaches RE and ICT once a week.

Mrs Calver teaches Life Skills once a week.

PE is mostly taught by Mr Sari, supported by Mrs Cesaro.

On a Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday we have Enrichment activities at the end of the day. The pupils pick their own activities from a range of options which change each term.

We strive to meet the individual needs of pupils both within lessons and through intervention programmes that develop literacy and numeracy skills and address social, speech, language and physical needs.

Mrs Cesaro