

# Our Lady of Mount Carmel Catholic Primary School

## Year 2 Curriculum News

### Summer Term 2025



### News Updates:

This half term we have begun our topic about the Seaside. Our class text has been 'The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch' by David and Ronda Armitage. We have produced lots of work based on this, including interviewing some of our classmates for the job of Lighthouse Keeper! We are now looking forward to producing some descriptive writing about the seaside, creating postcards and safety posters warning of the dangers of the sun and sea.

Our Geography topic links nicely to this as we will be learning about the differences between seas and oceans and the names of the seas around the UK. We will also learn about Coastal locations.

History has a different theme and looks at schools in the past. We are fortunate to be having a visit from 'History to Life' to re-create a morning in a Victorian classroom. This half term, in Science, we have been planting seeds and have grown beans and Sunflowers. We move onto learning about plant-based materials and the importance of recycling.

In our Maths lessons we will continue to tell the time, learn about statistics and also position and direction.

### Important Dates:

**Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> June** - Class visit to Cleethorpes.

**Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> June** – History to Life – Schools in the past.

**Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> July** – Year 2 class assembly.

**Friday 4<sup>th</sup> July** – Sports Day

### Reminders:

PE is every Monday and Thursday.

Reading books will be changed whenever books are placed in the basket. Could you please ensure that you sign the reading diary and that your child reads regularly.

Could you please make sure that your child brings a water bottle to school each day.

### Homework expectations:

To read on a regular basis.

Reading Comprehension homework sent every Friday, to be returned the following Friday. We check this work together in class so it is important that your child returns it by this day.

Weekly spellings sent home every Monday



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