



Meet the Teacher 2023

Year 2



Who's Who?




Miss Brown - Class Teacher






Mrs Baines - Higher Level Teaching Assistant

Mrs Kingwell - Teaching Assistant 1-2-1






Welcome to Otter Class!



- Open door policy - best time is after school
 - OR send me a message me on Class Dojo if you ever need anything.
 - We offer 3 formal parents' evenings every term, normally around November, March and July (the summer term is offered after receipt of children's annual reports).
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Parents Evening: WB 27th Nov 2023 (day tbc)







General Reminders 😊

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- School day begins at 08:40 and finishes 15:15
 - P.E will be on **Tuesday** with Arena (rugby) and on a Wednesday (gymnastics). Children will need to wear their PE kits and trainers. These days will change termly.
 - Uniform - **LABEL JUMPERS AND CARDIGANS PLEASE**



School & Class Expectations

Behaviour

- In line with the school Behaviour Policy - Catch Me & Dojo!
 - Focus on the positive
 - Rewards vary and include certificates, Star of the week, Dojo points, house points etc.
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Homework

Homework is set on Wednesdays and due the following Monday.

Maths



English

Daily reading
Weekly spellings



Topics (Geography & History)

Autumn 1 - Where in the world are we?

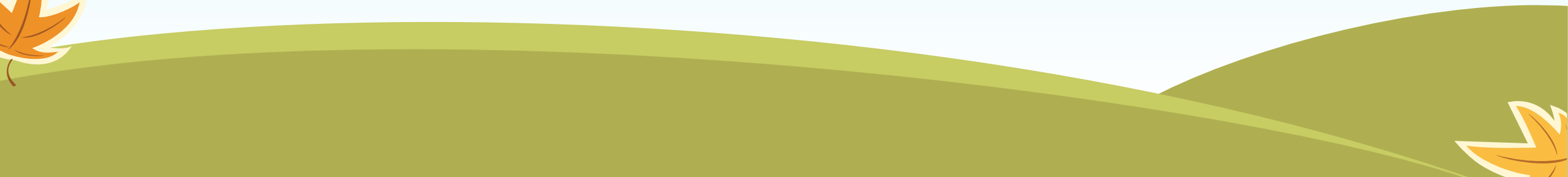




Autumn 2 - How did 17th Century life in both Plymouths compare?

Spring 1 - How does the geography of Hawaii compare to where I live?

Spring 2 - Which of Plymouth's explorers was the most important?

Summer 1 - What is it like living on the coast?

Summer 2 - How do we know about the Stone Age?







WOW MOMENTS

- The Box Museum 29th November 2023
- Hawaiian themed day Spring 1
- Beach trip Summer 1





Reading

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- Please read as regularly as possible with your child; children should be reading daily at home
 - Children will have the opportunity to change their reading book once a week
 - Accelerated Reader - Spring Term for Year 2
 - STAR reading test at the start of each half term, children are given a ZPD score



What can you do?

- The importance of parents, carers, teachers and children working together is invaluable.
 - Read with your child regularly.
 - Encourage children to complete homework.
 - Get your child to school on time and regularly.
 - Remind children about learning behaviours.
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Learning isn't just about what happens in school!





Thank you for coming.



We are looking forward to a
fantastic year in Otter Class!

