

Welcome to Class 2!



What to expect in Class 2...

- In Class 2, you will be taught by myself and Mrs Duckmanton.
- We work together as a team.
- On the first day we come up with our class rules together that everyone will have to follow.
- Class 2 is full of exciting, topic-linked learning that you will really enjoy.
- We have a learning loft in Class 2 which is always topic linked. There are lots of fun role play activities for you to complete and opportunities to play in the learning loft.
- We also have a maths extension area where there are lots of interesting maths problems to solve.
- When you are in Class 2 there will be an expectation that you will also do some work at home. You will be given spellings and times tables to learn as well as weekly MyMaths tasks to complete. Phonics is still really important in Class 2 and there will be an expectation that you try and read at least five times a week.
- We have a class worry box so you can share any worries you may have and an adult will be able to help you with them.
- We will be learning outdoors when possible so it's really important that you bring some wellies or outdoor shoes with you.
- We have lots of fun in Class 2 and the teachers can't wait for you to join us!

Please fill in the 'All About Me' page and bring it back with you in September 😊

All about Mrs Newton...

Things that are important to me:

Spending time with my family — I have two young boys at the school and a husband. We enjoy going to beaches, parks and watching films together.

Books — I really enjoy reading lots of different books and I also like listening to my boys read to me.

Travelling — I love visiting new cities and countries. This is why I enjoy our topic 'Around the World in 35 Days' so much.

Walking — I like to walk in the beautiful countryside of Northamptonshire.

Animals — I love all animals and have recently got two new guinea pigs as pets.



Things to know about me as a teacher:

- I have high expectations of you.
- Manners are really important to me.
- Throughout the year, we will focus on increasing your independence when working.
- Trying your best is the most important thing. I think asking questions is a really important way of learning.
- If something is worrying you, I want to know about it so please talk to me!

All about Mrs Duckmanton...

Things that are important to me:

My Family - I have two children called Ellie and Tom.

My husband and I married last August.

Spotty - you have all met my beloved little pony Spot. I enjoy competing on her at a sport called Trec. It takes us all over the country and I have made many friends and am not too bad at map reading either!

My dogs - Dotty and Dash who spend most of their lives laying on the back of our sofa watching the world go past on the village green.

Running - last year I completed my first half marathon. I love being outside generally, whether it be gardening, walking or just watching nature.



Things to know about me as a teaching assistant:

- I love honesty! If you tell the truth, I can help you so much more.
- Try to help yourself by listening and giving things a go.
- Being polite is important, a please or thank you goes a long way.
- I love to hear about what you are up to at home or what you are passionate about.
- Please share your worries or concerns with me, I am here to help you to be the very best that you can be



All about me: _____

A portrait of me

What is important to me:

What people appreciate about me:

How to support me: