

# Macaulay Summer Class Newsletter



## YEAR 2

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to the summer term! We have had a fantastic year so far. Last term the children enjoyed their trip to St Paul's Cathedral and were so enthusiastic about the Great Fire of London. They retold the events of the fire while walking through the cathedral. We also had a zoom call with Hernhill primary school for our 'School Buddies' topic. The children asked lots of inquisitive questions and enjoyed hearing from about the different local area and how the countryside is different to Clapham.

This year the children have hit the ground running and are working really hard on their new topics. This term we will be focusing on a history topic, **Two Nurses** and a geography topic, **Around the World**. The first topic looks at the impact and significance of Mary Seacole and Florence Nightingale. Our second topic involves an in depth study into one country. In science we will be looking at **plants and their growth**. For this topic, we have an exciting trip planned to **Kew Gardens** later in the summer term! In maths, we will be focusing on **measurement, fractions, time and position and direction**. In English we will continue to enjoy some high quality texts such as 'The Dragon Machine' and 'The Water Protectors'. Please refer to the website for more information on our curriculum, including our year 2 class page, (<https://www.macaulaycofeschool.co.uk/year-2-6/>) and don't forget to follow the school twitter account for updates and information **@Macaulaycofe**.

If you have any queries please contact me by email, my email address is [elee@macaulay.lambeth.sch.uk](mailto:elee@macaulay.lambeth.sch.uk). Many thanks for your continued support for all your child's learning. It really is appreciated, so thank you so much!

Best wishes,  
Ellie Lee  
Year 2 Teacher



### Support at home

Thank you so much for all you do at home to support your child's learning.

- Reading every night for 5-10 minutes is really important and really helps your child's reading fluency. This doesn't always have to be the school books. Please can you make sure **all school books** are returned to school. You or your child can record their reading in their PACT books.
- Your child should have a TT Rockstars log in, this is a fun and effective way of consolidating times table fluency.

Thank you!

**Key dates for this term:** (More dates may be added over the term)

**Science Day in school:** Friday 3rd May

**Bank Holiday (School Closed):** Monday 6th May

**Book Fair:** Friday 17th May— Thursday 23rd May

**Class Photographs:** Tuesday 11th June

**Gurdwara Trip:** Thursday 20th June (am).

**Sports Day:** Monday 24th June

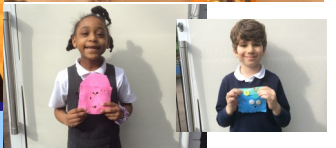
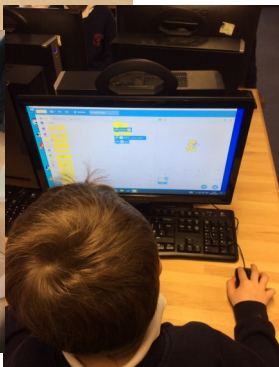
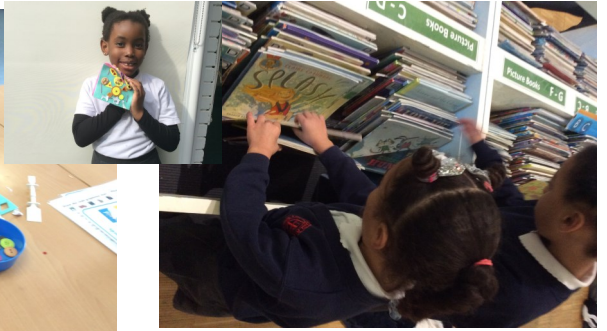
**School Trip to Kew Gardens:** Thursday 4th July

**Summer Fair:** Saturday 6th July

**EYFS & KS1 Singing at Clapham Common:** Friday 12th July 2:15pm

**Leaver's Service:** Wednesday 24th July





We have been busy learning in Year Two!

