



**MARTON-CUM-GRAFTON**  
CE VA PRIMARY SCHOOL

Dear Class 2 Parents/Guardians,

**Summer Term 2018 Class 2**

This term the school topic is 'Extreme Survival'. In Class 2 we will be focusing on the story of 'Jack and the beanstalk' and experimenting and growing our very own beanstalks. We will look at story structure and instruction writing. In the second half of the term our focus will move to 'The Great Fire of London' and how the city survived such a huge disaster.

In science we will be looking at grouping animals into carnivores, herbivores and omnivores and we will also be looking animal classification. Following this, we will link science into our literacy by investigating what the optimal growing conditions are for a seed (bean) to germinate.

In maths year 2 will be learning all about fractions, time and shape whilst the year 1's will be covering the same area but also including understanding the place value of numbers to 100.

In geography we will investigate human and natural features in the landscape and look at weather and also how the weather played a part in spreading the fire in London.

In art we will be developing our sculpture skills by designing and making our own clay buildings of the future.

In computing we will looking at information technology in our every day lives and how it helps us. We will also be focusing on algorithms and de-bugging incorrect sets of programming.

If there is anything you want to know or you have any questions please don't hesitate to ask.

Many thanks,

**Mr Lightowler, Mrs Laverack and Mrs Yeadon**

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