

# Derwent Class Spring 2 newsletter.

**Welcome Back** to you all. This is a shorter half term in the run up to Easter. It will start to get warmer but please encourage children to bring in waterproof coats as we like them to get outside even if it is for a short period of time.

**PE** Our PE lessons will continue to be on a Wednesday and a Friday. Please ensure all kits are in school for these days. Please also check that items are named.

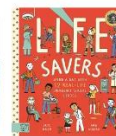
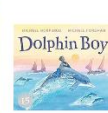
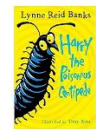
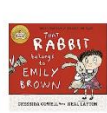
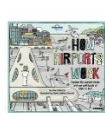
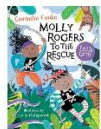
**School Trip** We are going to visit the Peak Wildlife Park on Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> July. Information for this is on our class story on Dojo.

**Reading** Our phonics groups are working well, we are regularly assessing the groupings and you may notice that the adults teaching the groups may change from time to time. Please encourage your child to read **their school reading book** at least 5 times a week. Please ensure these are recorded in their organiser. You all have a share a story sacks to enjoy with a grown up to encourage our love of reading too! Please practise these sight words, research shows little and often works best with these. If your child can read them all fluently for their year group. Please encourage their spelling of these words.

| Year 1 |       |        | Year 2   |           |         |           |
|--------|-------|--------|----------|-----------|---------|-----------|
| the    | they  | one    | door     | gold      | plant   | clothes   |
| a      | be    | once   | floor    | hold      | path    | busy      |
| do     | he    | ask    | poor     | told      | bath    | people    |
| to     | me    | friend | because  | every     | hour    | water     |
| today  | she   | school | find     | great     | move    | again     |
| of     | we    | put    | kind     | break     | prove   | half      |
| said   | no    | push   | mind     | steak     | improve | money     |
| says   | go    | pull   | behind   | pretty    | sure    | Mr        |
| are    | so    | full   | child    | beautiful | sugar   | Mrs       |
| were   | by    | house  | children | after     | eye     | parents   |
| was    | my    | our    | wild     | fast      | could   | Christmas |
| is     | here  |        | climb    | last      | should  | everybody |
| his    | there |        | most     | past      | would   | even      |
| has    | where |        | only     | father    | who     |           |
| I      | love  |        | both     | class     | whole   |           |
| you    | come  |        | old      | grass     | any     |           |
| your   | some  |        | cold     | pass      | many    |           |

**Routines** The children have definitely worked hard on keeping routines in the classroom. They are becoming so much more responsible for looking after our belongings including the cloakroom.

## Recommended Reads for Year 1



## and Year 2.

**Learning this half term** Please find all the information about our learning this half term about our local area in geography and Animals in Science on our class page. A reminder that all spellings are on the class page too.

Please don't hesitate to contact on Dojo or have a chat on the door each morning.

Mrs Peach 😊