



## **Welcome to Year 2!**

We are Pankhurst, Astor and Coleman class. Our team consists of Miss Bryce (Pankhurst Class Teacher, Year Lead and English Lead), Miss Brown (Coleman Class Teacher and PSHRE Lead) and Mrs Degg (Astor Class Teacher). Our support staff are Mrs Gerson and Mrs Evans.

Year 2 have the exciting opportunity to take part in swimming lessons, which take place in the Spring term.

Over the year, we will be covering many topics, including the Great Fire of London in history, hot and cold deserts in geography, printing in art, plants and animals in science, and salads in DT. All this as well as new learning for both maths and English. We will be going on various trips linked to our topics including to Dartmoor and the Zoo.

Homework is set every week and much of this will be recapping new learning and revising prior learning. Ten spellings are also set every week. Reading at home is a daily expectation and will help your children to improve their writing.

This year is crucial in preparing your children for their journey into Key Stage 2 and the team will make do all they can to make sure that children are starting Year 3 in a strong position.

We look forward to teaching your children and meeting you over the year.

The Year 2 Team