



# TOWN CLOSE SCHOOL

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## Year 2 Curriculum Information

Week Beginning: Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June 2019

Dear Parents

On Thursday, Mrs Lawry led an assembly linked to the 'Take One Picture' project, run by the National Gallery, in which we are taking part next week. She revealed a section of this year's painting to the children in readiness for the 'full reveal' and activities relating to the picture, next week. Bird family meetings this week looked at the ideas of our strengths and talents.

This week, Year 2 pupils have completed a range of SATS tests and worked hard to apply their knowledge. The results of these will be shared in your child's end of year report.

In other subjects, the children have created their own tortoises using modelling clay, applying the knowledge gained from observing tortoises earlier in the term. Following our work on Africa and creating a fact file about Zambia, children moved on to recording facts about Norfolk, including popular foods in our region and drawing the Norfolk flag.

In classes, children discussed ways in which we can look after our planet and sorted pictures into 'things that help to look after our planet', and 'things that do not help look after our planet'. We also created posters that gave ideas on things we can all do to support life, health and nature in our environment.

### Over the weekend

Your children deserve to have some well-earned 'R and R' after a busy week of assessments! We hope you will find time for some reading along the way too.

### Dates for your diary:

**Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June – 1.45pm:** Year 2 Sports day on the front lawn

**Monday 24<sup>th</sup> June:** Bring a bear to school for the Teddy Bears' Picnic

**Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June:** Royal Norfolk Show day – School closed

**Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July – 2.00pm:** Year 2 Concert in the Read Hall with light refreshments available from 1.45pm

**Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> July:** Moving up day

**Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July – 9.00am - 2.00pm:** Year 2 trip to Winterton beach

**Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> July –** End of term for Pre Prep, with Prizegiving on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July for Prep Department pupils only

We hope you have a lovely weekend with your children.

Mrs Hayes, Mrs Lawry, Mrs Melvin and Mrs Harries

*Melanie Harries*