

 Mrs Cuffaro Mrs Millward

**Welcome to Hazel Class**

Hello,

We are very happy to say that we are going to be your year 2 teachers in September. In class we are lucky enough to also have the amazing Mrs Timpson, and Miss Harrington to help us.

On a Monday and Tuesday, you will have, the lovely Mrs Cuffaro and on a Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday you will have, the fantastic Mrs Millward.

Last year Mrs Cuffaro was on maternity leave after welcoming a beautiful baby boy and Mrs Millward was in Year 3. We are now very excited to be in year 2 especially as we have lots of amazing and fun things planned for you to learn.

In the autumn term, we will be learning all about the Great Fire of London and Samuel Pepys! We will imagine we have transported back in time and find out what life was like in 1666. We will build models of the houses and burn them in our forest area so we can witness how the fire might have spread! We will also look at the Gunpowder plot and find out what happened and why we celebrate bonfire night still to this day!

In spring our topic is Explorers! We will take to the sea and find out all about Captain Cook and his travels across the globe! We will create maps and learn all about the different continents and oceans/seas in the world. We will find out about what life was like on-board one of Captain Cook’s ships. We will then learn about another explorer called Tim Peake, who was the first official British astronaut to walk in space!

In the summer term, we will be learning about Africa! We will be looking at the geography of Kenya and comparing it to the UK. Pack your imaginary bags! We are going on safari!  We will watch a live safari online and hopefully spot some wildlife. We will also try out some African art and maybe even make some jewellery or a mask!

We are already thinking about what the classroom will look like, where everything will go and how bright and colourful, we can make it.

We hope you have a lovely summer holiday, and we are really looking forward to seeing you all in September.

The Hazel teachers