

# Meet the Teacher





# The KS1 Team

Year 1 & 2 Avon	Year 1 & 2 Dart	Year 1 & 2 Eden
Mrs Parnell	Mrs Carless	Mrs Hewitson
Mr Pey	Mrs Moon (AM)	Mr Harvey
Mrs Shenouda (AM)	Mrs Shenouda (PM)	



# Timing!

- Children come straight into school from 8:40
- KS1 break and lunchtimes are aligned with the rest of the school
- Break: 10:30 – 10:45
- Lunch: 12:00 – 1:00PM
- Hometime: 3:15PM on Convent Land



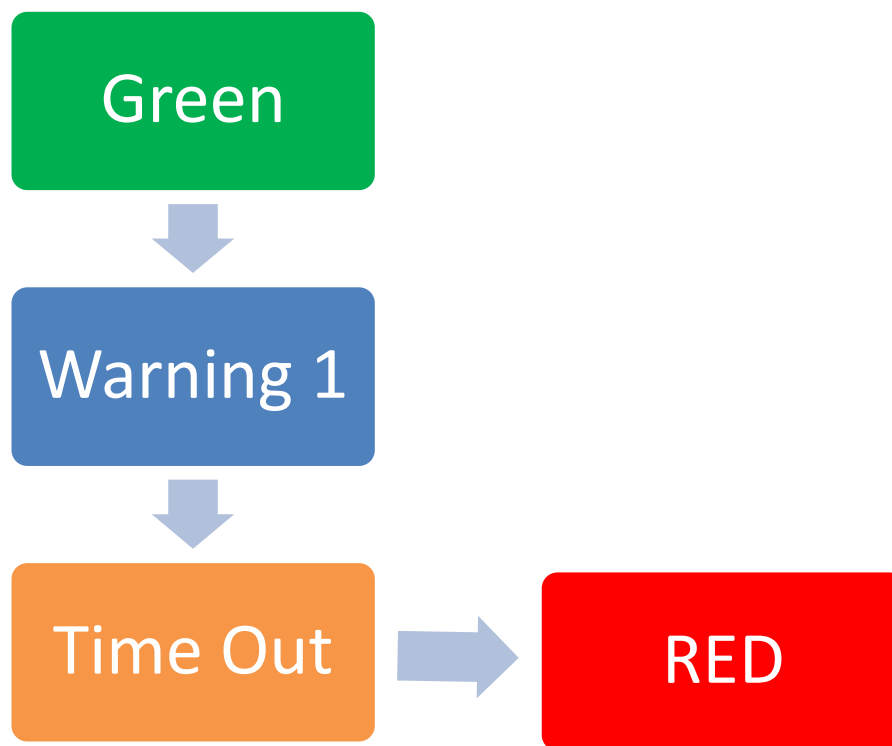
## Extras!

- Year group P.E. – kits in school all week
- Reading records in school every day
- Coats in school every day
- Some other opportunities e.g. trips, visitors, some learning focus lessons
- KS1 Nativity

# Our SAINTS Beatitudes

- **STRIVE** - A willingness to do your best.
- **ACCEPTANCE**- A willingness to be a kind person to everybody, no matter what.
- **INTEGRITY** - A willingness to be honest in what I say and do.
- **NURTURE** - a willingness to care for others and the environment.
- **TALENTS** - a willingness to use and develop our gifts.
- **SERVICE** - a willingness to serve without being asked or expecting a reward.

# Behaviour system



# Smileys

- Doing the right thing
- Excellent work
- Best effort
- SAINTS
- Bronze, Silver and Gold awards



# Our School Day

8.40 – 9:00	Registration and morning activities
9.05 - 9.25	Liturgy
9:30 - 10:30	English
10:30-10:45	Break
10:45 – 11.00	Reading
11:00- 12:00	Maths
12:00-1:00	Lunch
1:05-1:25	Phonics
1:25 – 3:00	Afternoon lessons
3:00-3:15	Story and Home time





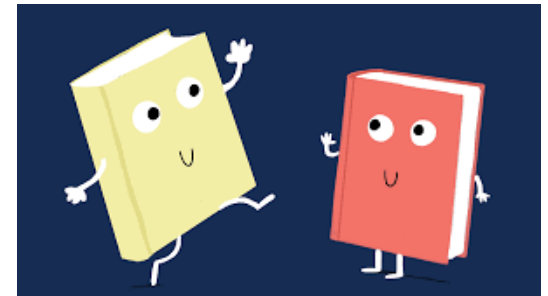
# This Term

- Settling in
- New routines
- Growth Mindset / Independence
- Topic – Movers and Shakers
- Nativity!



# Reading at home

- Reading is so important for children who are still near the start of their reading journey.
- 2 books per week
- Please re-read books
- Books changed by staff at School
- 100 reads



The first read may just be decoding the words, future reads help them to understand more.

Lots of the books have useful questions to ask at the back – reading again will help your child to answer these.

Don't feel you need to read the book in one night. Why not stop and predict what will happen next?



# Reading Records

All children should be reading each day.

Reading Record books will be checked weekly on a Thursday.

Please write in your child's reading record every time you hear them read. If you are busy, date, title and initial is fine.



# Homework and Spellings

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- Children will continue with daily phonics lessons and they will have their phonics screening later in the year
- Towards Christmas, children in Y2 will be introduced to a weekly spelling rule focus
- Doodle Maths
- Phonics
- Homework book with Bingo tasks – sent out Thursday and collected on Wednesday



## P.E.

P.E. will be outdoors on Wednesdays.  
Children need tracksuits for colder weather.



P.E. will be indoors on Friday.

Please make sure full P.E. kits are  
always in school and fully named

# P.E.

Girls PE Uniform	Boys PE Uniform
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>□ Navy polo shirt with logo*</li><li>□ Red shorts with logo*</li><li>□ Tracksuit with logo*</li><li>□ Trainers with Velcro fasteners</li><li>□ PE bag with logo*</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>□ Navy polo shirt with logo*</li><li>□ Red shorts with logo*</li><li>□ Tracksuit with logo*</li><li>□ Trainers with Velcro fasteners</li><li>□ PE bag with logo*</li></ul>

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Taking responsibility for  
oneself is by definition an  
act of kindness.

—  
SHARON SALZBERG

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# Uniform

- Gold studs only, 1 per ear. Removed for PE – not taped over
- No other jewellery
- Simple, plain, dark watch
- Shoulder length hair tied back with navy, red or black bobble. Plain coloured headbands of the same colours may be worn. Gingham scrunchies with summer uniform only
- No hair gel



# Supporting your child

- Helping them learn their spellings/practise phonics
- Year 1 and 2 common exception words
- Reading as much as possible
- Complete homework set
- Please come and talk to us if you have worries or concerns... or any successes you want to share!
- Come in and help us!
- **Help your child to be independent and organised with their belongings e.g. jumpers, P.E. kits**

[www.booksfortopics.com/year-2](http://www.booksfortopics.com/year-2)



# SATS

Year 2 only

Not the focus of the year!

Purpose of SATS

The children are being prepared by following the curriculum every day





# Where to find information

School website

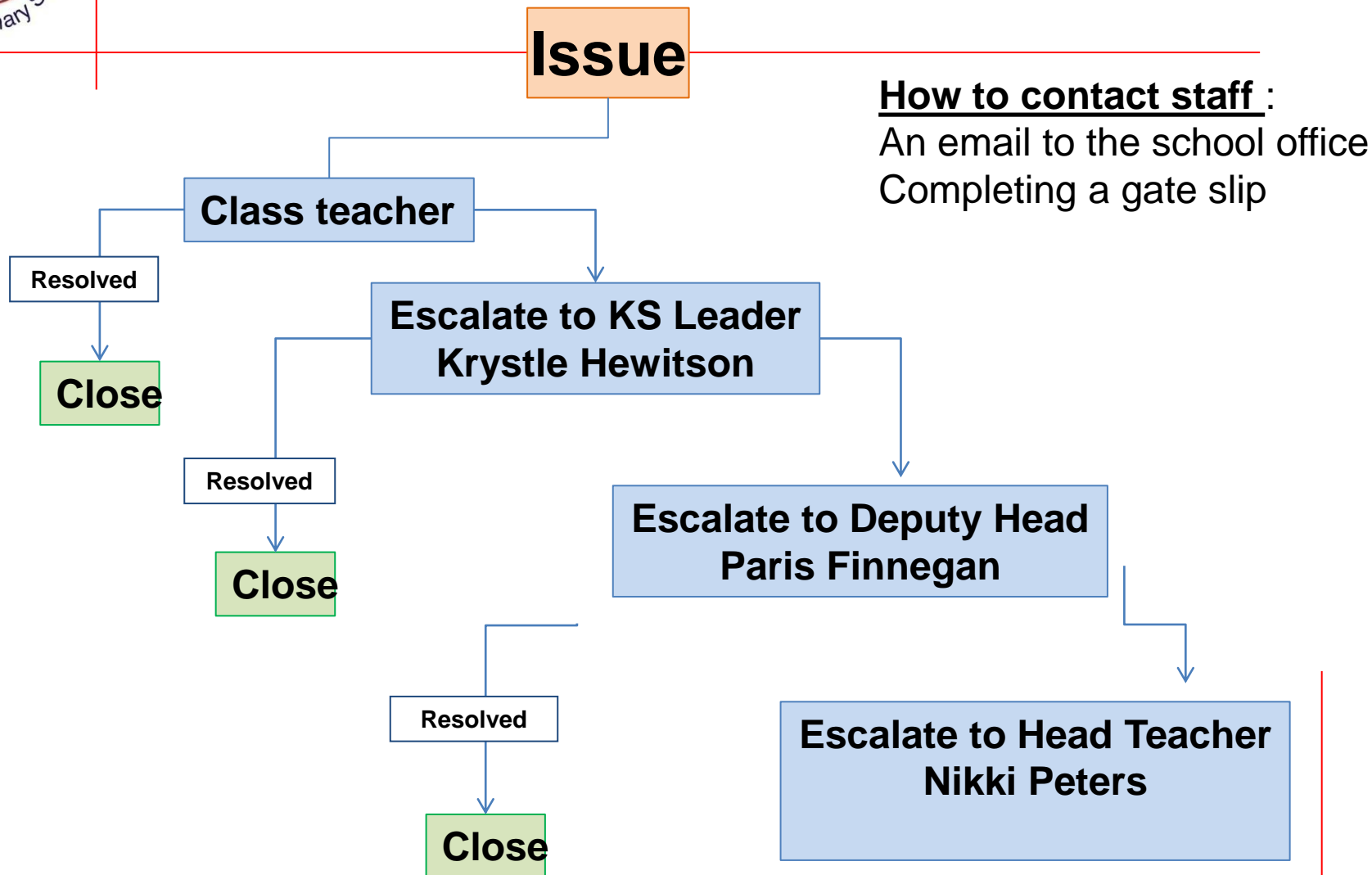
Fortnightly newsletter

Parentmail

Email and ask!



# Who shall I speak to?



# Any Questions?

Thank you for coming!