

Year 2 Newsletter: Spring 1

**Happy
New
Year!**

Theme:

Our theme for this half term is
MARVELLOUS MATERIALS!

The children will learn all about
different materials and their
properties through **science, art,**
computing and **English.**

English:

This half term the
children will enjoy:

writing instructions using the text
'**Secret Pizza Party**' by Adam Rubin.

We will also be **reading and**
reinventing the story '**Traction Man**'
by Mini Grey

Maths:

The following areas of
maths will be taught:

- Weekly Arithmetic Tests**
- Money**
- Multiplication and division**
-**2,5,10 times tables**

Phonics:

This half term the
children will continue to learn
more spelling patterns
including adding suffixes.

Other subjects:

Geography: Map skills

Science: Choosing materials

Computing: Creating media – Digital
photography

Art: Drawing and Painting (Kandinsky)

PE: Invasion + Net and Wall games

Music: Musical Moods and Pictures

RE: Who is Jewish and what do they
believe?

PSHE: Dreams and Goals

Key dates/Reminders:

- **INSET Day (5.1)**
- **RE Days– Light and Dark (6/7.1)**
- **Y2 Secret Pizza Party parent event**
(9.1)
- **Y2 Synagogue Visit (5.2)**
- **Mental Health Week (W.B 9.2)**
 - **Safer Internet Day (10.2)**
 - **Break up (13.2)**

**Believe, Practise and
Succeed!
Reach for the stars!**

