



Y2 Termly Curriculum Overview

Summer Term 2023- Living Things & The World Around Us

English

Units- Fantasy stories, Setting and Character Descriptions, Poetry,

Writing – Punctuate sentences using capital letters and full stops. Use the past and present tense correctly and consistently. Use **or**, **and**, **but**, **when**, **if**, **that** and **because** to join clauses.

Write simple narratives about personal experiences and those of others- real and fictional. Read their work aloud and edit their work to improve it.

Reading – Read, discuss and express views about a range of texts including stories, non-fiction-information & explanation texts. Make inferences about characters and events. Answer comprehension questions and summarise what they have read so far.

Physical Education

- Catching, Throwing & Aiming,
- Fundamental Movement Skills
- To work in a small group co-operatively and encourage other players.
- To apply a tactic to outwit an opponent.
- To apply skills taught throughout the year linked to movement, throwing, catching and aiming.

Year 2

Teachers:

Mrs Patterson: Mon/Tues,
Mrs Taylor: Wed-Fri

Teaching Assistants: Mrs Waby,
Mrs Kearns

Science and the Creative Curriculum

Science

- Identify that most living things live in habitats to which they are suited.
- Describe how different habitats provide for the basic needs of different kinds of animals and plants.
- Identify and name a variety of plants and animals in their habitats, including micro-habitats.
- Describe how animals obtain their food from plants and other animals.

Geography

- Countries, capitals and seas of the UK.
- Seasonal weather patterns in the UK.
- Map work & Fieldwork around our School.

History

- Leisure and Tourism in Victorian Times.
- Comparing seaside resorts- then and now.

Computing

- Data Handling: international Space Station
- Online Safety

Art

- Apply mapping skills to artwork, in order to represent the area in which they live.

Mathematics

- Fractions- Recognising halves, quarters and thirds. Equivalent fractions, Ordering Fractions,
- Time- Telling the time - o'clock, half past, quarter past and quarter to, Progressing to telling the time to the nearest 5 minutes.
- Statistics- Tally charts, tables, block graphs, pictograms,
- Position and Direction- Language of movement and turns,
- Consolidation of multiplication facts- 2x, 5x, 10x tables.

Children should continue to use Numbots at home on a regular basis to continue to improve their mathematical knowledge and speed of recall.

RE and PSHE

Our Christian values for this term: Honesty & Faith

RE- Ascension & Pentecost, The Church,

PSHE Topics-

What can help us grow and stay healthy?

What jobs do people do?

Music

- Play tuned instruments musically.
- Experiment with, create, select and combine sounds.

Homework

- **Spellings:** Your child will bring home spellings to practise on a Friday for a test on the following Friday.
- **Reading:** Read at home daily. Reading books will be changed on a Tuesday and a Friday.
- **Homework:** Maths, English or linked to our topic work - sent home on Friday, return by the following Friday.
- **PE:** Monday and Thursday - Please wear your PE kit on these days.