



Year 2 Spring Term



Welcome back after the Christmas break.

We hope that you all had an enjoyable holiday! We look forward to an exciting and busy term ahead, full of learning!

Maths

As mathematicians in Year 2 the children will be counting forwards and backwards in ones, twos, fives and tens up to 100. We will also start to count above 100. They will practise adding two numbers together (starting with counting on and moving onto partitioning) and will begin to quickly recite the number bonds to 10, 20 and 100. The children will also learn how to solve subtractions. They will learn the features of 2D and 3D shapes, and will also look at how to measure length and height. We will also be learning about finding fractions of different amounts. We will also be applying our learning to problems.

English

In English the children will be working on writing sentences using a range of punctuation. Children will be encouraged to use conjunctions and adjectives to improve their writing. The children will be looking at stories by the same author, writing reports and recounts. The children will have spellings to learn on a weekly basis. Spellings will be tested and given out on a Friday.

Science

As scientists the children will be learning about plants and they will describe how seeds and bulbs grow into mature plants. Children will also learn about what a plant needs to stay healthy. This will involve a range of different investigations.

Religious Education

In Religious Education, the children will be learning about people's beliefs about God.

Art

As artists children will be looking at clay owls and will be making their own clay owl. They will be using tools to create different effects and will paint their owl, experimenting with tone.

Design and Technology

As designers, the children will be designing and making a wheeled vehicle.

P.E

Children will be continuing to learn different skills from coaches who will be coming in to school. Children will also have a weekly gym or dance lesson.

History

As historians, the children will be finding out about important historical events and the people that it involved e.g. Christopher Columbus.

Geography

In Geography the children will continue their learning about the United Kingdom by recognising the landmarks and physical features that can be found.

Music

As musicians the children will be learning to accompany their songs with simple percussion instruments.

Computing

In Computing the children will be using software to record and present data.