

Welcome to Year 2!

We have an exciting term ahead of us! If you have any questions please ask your child's teacher.

English

In English, over Term 4, the children are going to be focusing on writing descriptions, adventure stories and instructions. We will use a selection of fiction stories this term including The Pirate Cruncher, The Troll and the Adventures of Sinbad the Sailor!

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Home Learning

Just a reminder that homework has ongoing projects and learning but books should be returned on a Friday for updated Maths/Spelling homework. Phonics/Reading books will go home on Friday and must be returned on Wednesday. Sharing books should be read at home and changed once finished.

Geography

Navigate, investigate and explore the world, just like Captain Cook. Make a boat, sink a ship, fly a pirate flag. Speak like a pirate, write like a poet, then weigh and measure a pirate's booty. How do rescues happen at sea? Find out about brave volunteers and young Miss Darling, rowing her boat across stormy seas. Sing a sea shanty whilst cleaning the poop deck, then search the school grounds for Captain Longbeard's hidden treasure. There's land ahead. Let's get this ship to port.

Maths

Within our Maths lessons, the children will be continuing to learn about multiplication and division. There will be a focus on 2, 5 and 10x tables. We will also be looking at Measure including weight, length and capacity.

Numbots: Children can access this at home. Log in details are in their yellow Reading Record books.

TT Rockstars: In Year 2, we focus on our 2, 5 and 10 times tables. These can be practised on TT Rockstars. The log in details are the same for this as numbots.

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Computing

Our focus for Term 4 is programming. They will use Scratch to create sprites and create algorithms.

Religious Education

We will be continuing the learning from Term 3 and then finishing the term looking at the Easter story.

PSHE

The children will be thinking about being healthy. This includes learning about healthy food; they talk about having a healthy relationship with food and making healthy choices. The children consider what makes them feel relaxed and stressed. They learn about medicines, how they work and how to use them safely. The children make healthy snacks and discuss why they are good for their bodies.

P.E.

Wednesday (Outside) Friday (Inside)
Please remember that earrings need to be taken out and correct PE Kit worn to school that day.

Science

This project teaches children about the uses of everyday materials and how materials' properties make them suitable or unsuitable for specific purposes. They begin to explore how materials can be changed.

Art

The children will be enjoying a weekly art lesson based around the skills that were developed during last term's art week. We will use different types of paint including acrylic.

Physical Education

Our 4th 'Real PE' unit is a CREATIVE unit. In this unit, the children will develop and apply their ball skills and counter balance with a partner through focused skill development sessions, cooperative and competitive games.

Music

Our unit is called Zootime. All the learning is focused around one song: Zootime. The material presents an integrated approach to music where games, the interrelated dimensions of music (pulse, rhythm, pitch etc), singing and playing instruments are all linked.