

Literacy

Reading:

Word: Read words containing common suffixes. Read most words quickly and accurately without overt sounding and blending. Re-read books to build up their fluency and confidence in word reading.

Comprehension: Develop a pleasure in reading a wide range of books and able to retell a wide range of stories, including fairy stories and traditional tales. Children will listen to and have the opportunity to compare classic poetry, stories and non-fiction. Through reading children will discuss their favourite words and phrases.

Writing:

Transcription: Spell Year 2 common exception words. Spell words with contracted forms and learn possessive apostrophe. Add suffixes to spell longer words '-ment, -ness, -ful, -less and -ly'.

Handwriting: Form lower-case letters of the correct size relative to one another. Use spacing between words that reflects the size of the letters. Start using some of the diagonal and horizontal strokes needed to join letters.

Composition: Develop positive attitudes towards and stamina for writing by writing about real events and writing for different purposes. Planning and saying out loud what they are going to write about. **Fiction** – The Papaya that spoke story. Focusing on character actions. **Non-Fiction** – Instructions. Children will be giving instructions and writing a set of instructions.

Vocabulary, Grammar and Punctuation: Learn how to use the present and past tenses to describe and specify. Use a range of punctuation, for example; question marks, exclamation marks etc. Use a range of conjunctions and write more interesting sentences by adding further detail.

Numeracy

Number and Place Value:

Count in steps of 2, 3 and 5 from 0 and in tens from any number, forwards and backwards. Recognise the place value of each digit in a two-digit number. Read and write numbers to at least 100 in numerals and in words.

Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division:

Solve problems with addition and subtractions using concrete objects and pictorial representations. Solve problems with addition and subtraction applying knowledge of mental and written methods. Recall and use multiplication and division facts for the 2, 5 and 10 multiplication tables, including recognising odd and even numbers.

Fractions:

Recognise, find, name and write fractions $\frac{1}{3}$, $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{2}{4}$ and $\frac{3}{4}$ of a length, shape and a set of objects or quantity.

Measurement:

Recognise and use symbols for pounds (£) and pence (p). Combine amounts to make a particular value. Compare and sequence intervals of time. Solve simple problems in a practical context involving addition and subtraction of money of the same unit, including giving change.

Geometry:

Recognise and name 3D shapes and their properties. Compare and sort 2D and 3D shapes and everyday objects. Order and arrange combinations of mathematical objects in patterns and sequences.

Statistics:

Interpret and construct simple pictograms, tall charts, block diagrams and simple tables. Answer questions about totaling and comparing categorical data.

RE

Old Testament – Stories and Prayers: This unit gives children some insight into the stories and the characters of the Old Testament. It also introduces them to important images of God found in the scriptures.

Sharing in the life of Jesus: In this unit children develop their knowledge and understanding further about the life of Mary and Jesus and the call of the disciples. They learn about some of the Saints who have responded to the call of Jesus. They will also be introduced to the prayer of silence as an opportunity to spend time with God.

Advent: In this week children, will develop their knowledge about of the time, symbols and characters of the liturgical Season of Advent. It will focus on Advent being a season of preparation for Christmas through the story of John the Baptist and parish activities.

Christmas: This unit develops children's understanding and reflects upon the journeys associated with the Christmas story and what these journeys eventually tell us about Jesus' birth and the way people respond to his birth.

Science

Materials: Children build on learning from Year 1 about different materials and their properties. Children will consolidate their understanding that one type of objects can be made from different materials and also that one material can be used for a number of different objects. They will think about simple physical properties of materials. Children will have an opportunity to test a range of different materials and their purposes. Children will find out how shapes of solid objects made from some materials can be changed by squashing, bending, twisting and stretching.

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Year 2

Autumn Term

History/Geography

History:

Children will study the life of Mary Seacole and how they have contributed to international achievements. Children will look at why they are a good role models in society. Children will also explore why we remember 5th November by looking at the gun powder plot.

Geography:

Children will identify our local area around the school and look at our surroundings. They will have the opportunity to use simple maps and compasses.

Art/D&T

Children will use a range of materials creatively to design and make products. They will look at techniques in using colour and pattern. They will have the opportunity to make simple crafts.

Computing

E-safety: Children learn how to stay safe on the internet and who to talk to about internet issues.

Digital: Children will use cameras and iPads to create, organise and store digit images.

Basic Skills: Children will look at algorithms and how they are constructed. They will use BeeBots to write a set of instructions to test their algorithm. They will also create and debug simple programs.

P.E.

Dance
Gymnastics

Educational Visits/Enrichment

Activities:

SMSC & British Values Links

Children's Rights