Curriculum Information for Parents

Class 2 Term: Summer Term 2024



Learning

Over the course of the term, Class 2 will read and study a range of fiction, nonfiction and poetry texts which will inspire our own creative writing. Our genres for the term include stories with familiar settings, dictionary and thesaurus work, poems on a theme, traditional tales with a twist, recounts. Year 1: English work will include continuing on Phase 5 Letters and Sound phonics to be fluent in reading. During our grammar work, we will look at consolidating capital letters, full stops and finger spaces and the use of expanded noun phrases. Question marks and exclamation marks will be introduced to start using in our writing.

Year 2: We will begin to punctuate our writing correctly using capital letters, full stops and commas for lists, add detail to our writing using expanded noun phrases, suffixes, different types of sentences and practise using past and present tense. We will continue to embed our phonics and spelling skills and engage in a wider range of books during our guided reading and read, lead, succeed sessions. We will practice the strategies for comprehension to improve our skills.

This term we will focus on addition and subtraction

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Year 1:

We will learn about multiplication and division in 2,5,10, Fractions, Position and Direction, Place value within 100, Money and Time.

Mathematics

We will be deepening our understanding about Fraction, Time, Statistics, Position and Direction. We will be fluent in different areas of Arithmetic by daily practice and Fluent in five. We will practice our 2-5-10-11 times table on a daily basis to promote our mathematical skills.

| Our Topics this term are: What does it matter where our food comes from? | |
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| Science | Everyday materials wild and wonderful creatures – Living things and their habitats. |
| Geography | How does Kampong Ayer compare with where I live? |
| and History | Explorers- Christopher Columbus |
| Creative | Painting and mixed media Mechanisms: Making a moving monster |
| RE | Y1- How and why do we care for others?- Who brought messages about God and what did they say? Y2- How can we look after our planets?-What did Jesus teach and how did he live? |
| P.E | Multi- Skills and Athletics |
| PSHE | Economic wellbeing and Transition |
| Computing | Data and information pictograms and programming A; Robot algorithms |

You can help at home by:-

- Reading with your child. Some good online reading resources are Oxford Owl E-library and Kirklees libraries
- Mathletics, Lexia and SPAG (if your child has a login)



Weekly Homework

Reading – Aim for at least 4 times a week. Reading with parents App checked on a Friday.

Spellings – Given out on a Monday to be tested on Friday.

Mathletics - activities set on a **Monday** to complete by the following Monday.

PE: On Tuesday. Please ensure children attend in correct suitable clothing for outdoor PE.

The above information gives you an idea of the various themes and areas your child will be covering in school this term.