

Program of Work for Class 2

Autumn Term 2021

Subject	Autumn 1	Autumn 2
LITERACY	<p>Year 1 have started the year by looking at the book 'Here we are' by Oliver Jeffers. They are then going to move onto more fantasy related books.</p> <p>Year 2 have also begun the year with discussion, reading and writing inspired by 'Here We Are' as part of our whole school focus and will be moving onto 'The Bog Baby' by Jeanne Willis. We will develop our descriptive techniques and vocabulary to use in our writing when we write character descriptions, setting descriptions and our own versions of this fantasy story. We have also started our class novel, 'The Worst Witch' by Jill Murphy, which we are reading for enjoyment!</p> <p>Spelling, punctuation and grammar will be worked on within our English lessons. Children will have daily phonics sessions and 3x weekly guided reading sessions. We are looking forward to National Poetry Day on 7th October.</p>	<p>This term in year 1 the children will be looking at silly poems and nonsense rhymes. They will make their own poems and rhymes.</p> <p>In Year 2, we will be writing diary entries. We will also be reading classic and contemporary poetry, writing our own poems and exploring the effects of rhythm and rhyme.</p> <p>Spelling, punctuation and grammar will be worked on within our writing topics throughout the term. Children will have daily phonics sessions and 3x weekly guided reading sessions. Year 2 will begin a new spelling programme, with daily lessons focussing on spelling conventions such as patterns and rules as well as learning carefully chosen words.</p>
MATHS	<p>Place Value, Addition and Subtraction - Year 1 children will begin to understand place value; counting in 2s and 10s; ordering and comparing numbers using greater than and less than symbols; counting forwards and backwards along a number line. They will start to look at addition and subtraction.</p> <p>Year 2 children will continue working on their understanding of place value; count objects by grouping; count in jumps of 2, 5 and 10 forwards and backwards from any number and recognise odd and even numbers. They will begin to explore addition and subtraction. Weekly quizzes will help improve our mental arithmetic and fluency.</p>	<p>Addition and Subtraction, Number: Multiplication - Both Year 1 and Year 2 will continue to look at addition and subtraction. In Year 1 they will develop different methods for addition and subtraction and well as reinforce their place value understanding to larger numbers. They will touch on shape. In Year 2 they will continue to build on their addition and subtraction knowledge and start to develop their multiplication and division understanding. The children will study money and use money when completing addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.</p>
SCIENCE	<p>Everyday Materials</p> <p>Over the next two terms Class 2 will discuss the uses of everyday materials. We will look at the difference between the object and the material it is made from. We will identify the materials and describe their characteristics.</p>	<p>Everyday materials</p> <p>Continued from Spring 1. We will look at whether the materials are natural or man-made, whether the materials are suitable for a particular use and whether materials can change shape.</p>
OTHER SUBJECTS	<p>History-We will be looking at the significant historical event of "The Great Fire of London"</p> <p>Religious Education-Children will be exploring the question "How should we care for others and the world? Why does it matter?"</p> <p>PE-In PE class 2 will be expanding our knowledge on the fundamental movement skills learning to dribble and control balls. Alongside the fundamental movement skills we will also be beginning to learn about invasion games.</p> <p>Art- We are going to looking at using different drawing techniques to sketch buildings</p>	<p>Geography- We will be looking at daily weather patterns in relation to hot and cold areas of the world</p> <p>Religious Education- Children will be looking at the question 'What is the good news Christians believe Jesus brings?'</p> <p>PE- After half term we will have a strong focus on gymnastics including twisting and turning and dance with a theme of pirates.</p> <p>Computing- Children will be exploring internet safety as well as completing computing tasks within their other subject work.</p>

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Please feel free to discuss any part of this program with us. We may be able to suggest how you can further support and extend your child's learning at home.

Thank you, Mr Parsons and Mrs Discombel!