The Howard 'School	Our School Value this term is:	
Summer 2 Curriculum		
English	In English this half term we will be looking at the story Grandad's Island by Benji Davies. We will be writing letters, writing character descriptions and retelling the story. Our non-fiction unit this half term is called Ice Planet, where we will be creating a persuasive leaflet for a fictional theme park.	
Maths	Our key topics include: Year 1 – place value (within 100) and consolidating learning Year 2 – measurement, time, mass, capacity and temperature. Year 2 can also use <i>Times Tables Rock Stars</i> to practise their times tables at home.	
Geography	Our geography unit this half term is 'Poles Apart' . In this topic the children will be using atlases to identify countries and continents. They will be identifying the location of hot and cold areas in relation to the equator, North and South Pole. They will also compare areas of hot and cold with the UK.	

DT	Our Design Technology topic this half term is 'Kites' . In this topic the children will explore the history of different kites and what they look like. They will then explore materials used to make simple kites including a carp kite. They will also explore designs of diamond kite and construct a kite by following a design. They will then evaluate their finished kite.
Science	Use of everyday materials - In this topic the children will be identifying a variety of materials and sorting them according to a variety of criteria. They will also be looking at natural and man made materials. They will be identifying that some materials can change shape by squashing, bending, stretching and twisting and that others cannot.
PSHE	In PSHE, we will explore SRE.
Computing	For this session we will be looking at 'We are creators'.
PE	Our PE topic this half term is athletics.
Religious Education	Celebrations - In this topic we will be looking at what a celebration is. Then we will be learning about baptism, Passover and the Muslim birthing ceramony.