Year 2 Autumn 2024

Welcome to Year 2 with Mrs Gayle and Mrs Pickup.

Our learning for the term Our main texts for the autumn term are Vlad and the Great Fire of London, The Great Fire of London and Vlad and Florence Nightingale, where we will be learning about two significant events in history.



Supporting your child at home Our Learning Conversation will be shared every Monday and includes questions that you can ask your child about their learning each day. Reading Daily reading of your child's

Daily reading of your child's phonics reading book and reading together a library or class Recommended Read book. Spelling

A weekly spelling task will be uploaded to Class Dojo, linked to our learning in school. Maths

A weekly maths task will be uploaded to Class Dojo and reinforces learning from the previous week.

Our PE days are Tuesday and Wednesday. On these days, your child should come to school in their PE kit: a plain white tshirt, black joggers or leggings and a school jumper or hoody. Class Dojo Class Dojo is our method of communication - it is used to share messages with you, Learning Conversations and homework. Any messages during the school day should be sent to the office so they're not missed when teaching. Looking forward to a great year!

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- AND THE -GREAT FIRE OF LONDON

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Diary Fact poster Character description Creating a narrative with given characters Rhyming couplets

Why is our natural world wonderful? We will discuss human and physical features and locate them on a world map. We will name and locate the 5 oceans and discuss the difference between oceans and seas.

Postcard



History

How was school different in the past? We will explore the similarities and differences of schools now and schools 100 years ago. We will identify 3 features of each and discuss when we would prefer to go to school.

Science

Living things and their habitats. We will give examples of how animals use their habitat for food and shelter. Recall some life processes, giving examples of how they apply to plants and animals.



Ball skills Dance Health and wellbeing

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Place value, fractions, addition and subtraction, shape, multiplication and division, measurement, position and direction and statistics

Art: Sculpture and 3D: clay houses. This unit focuses on teaching pupils to shape and decorate clay, create a pinch pot, design and make a clay tile with house features. DT: Structures: A chair fit for a king. Produce a model that supports a teddy, using the appropriate materials and construction techniques.



PSHE and I



E-safety and Digital Literacy -staying safe on the internet and searching safely. Computer science - coding on scratch junior.

RE: Christianity- Jesus Christianity – Christmas PSHE: Being in my world and celebrating difference My happy mind – meet your brain



