



Year 2 Class Lear
Curriculum Newsletter
Autumn 2021

English	Maths
<p>Reading - We will read every day with your child/ren during our phonics sessions.</p> <p>Phonics - Will be taught every day to support recognising letters, blending and segmenting, which will support reading and spelling.</p> <p>Writing - In literacy, we will be using our taught phonics to write sentences and short narratives.</p> <p>Grammar and punctuation - Will be taught alongside writing.</p>	<p>We follow The White Rose Scheme of learning at Shelley First School. This term children will be taught:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Place Value Addition and Subtraction Money Multiplication and Division</p> <p>Counting in 1s, 2s, 5s, 10s to 100 and number bonds to and within 10 will be taught and practised throughout the week.</p>
Science	Art and D.T
<p>Materials Monster Identify and compare the suitability of a variety of everyday materials. Find out how the shapes of solid objects made from some materials can be changed by squashing, bending, twisting and stretching.</p> <p>Our Local Area Recognise a natural habitat and describe it using key vocabulary. Consider how the habitats that we find change over the seasons. Find out how the seasons link to the life cycles of plants as well as food chains in our local area.</p>	<p>Sketching People Children create an image of 'upper body'.</p> <p>Colour Children will learn about the work of Joans Miró and the term 'surrealism' looking particularly at colour and shape.</p> <p>Festive Card with Lever Children will design a purposeful, functional, Festive card based on a design criteria.</p>
Geography	History
<p>Seasons Learn about weather and seasons in the local area, as well as across the UK. Collect data in the playground and thinking about what is happening around us. Observe, spotting seasonal patterns and talking about changes by using weather-related vocabulary</p>	<p>Bonfire Night and The Great Fire of London Investigate the events of the Gunpowder Plot that led to Bonfire Night being introduced into the UK calendar. Decide whether or not The Great Fire of London improved London for those living there. Learn to interpret evidence from the time and examine whether the sources are reliable.</p>
PSHE and RSE	PE
<p>Being me in my world Understand the rights and responsibilities as a member of my class. Know how to make my class a safe place for everybody to learn. Know my views are valued. Recognise how it feels to be proud of an achievement. Recognise the choices I make and understand the consequences. Recognise the range of feelings when I face certain consequences.</p> <p>Celebrating difference Identify similarities between people in my class. Know what bullying is. Know how to make new friends.</p>	<p>Year 2 children will have P.E. every Tuesday and Wednesday. Please remember to come to school in your P.E. kit.</p> <p>Multi- skills Develop agility and co-ordination.</p> <p>Gymnastics Develop pupils' knowledge of gymnastics balances. Develop pupils' ability to hold a balance.</p>
Enrichment Opportunities	Homework
<p>GROW Gardening Please send your child to school with a waterproof coat, suitable footwear/wellies.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Monday 18th October - Wednesday 24th November 	<p>Reading – Please read the books your child brings home little and often. There will also be a weekly reading task sent home.</p> <p>Maths – A short consolidation activity will be sent home weekly. This will link to the work we have done in class.</p> <p>Spelling – After the October half term, there will be a short spelling task sent home. Please can children complete their work in their homework books. Homework will be sent home on a Friday, please can the book be returned on a Wednesday.</p>
<p>Thank you for your continued support. Please don't hesitate to catch me or send me an email if you have a quick question! Miss Grist</p>	