

Summer Term 2 2021

Year 2 Curriculum Newsletter for Parents

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back! During this term we will be covering the following areas. If you have any questions then please do get in touch.

Mathematics

In Maths, the children will be studying:

- Inverse relationships
- 2, 5 and 10 times tables
- Fractions
- Symmetry
- Multiplication
- Division

English

Then children will study the story 'Zeraffa Giraffa' which is based on a real event from the 1820s. They will explore important themes of courage, perseverance and compassion and develop their understanding of the story through a variety of teaching approaches. Finally, children will study the anthology 'Poems to Perform'. They will have the opportunity to listen to poems from this collection, expressing their interests and preferences. The children will explore the vivid imagery of the poems and will engage in expressive performances.

P.E.

In P.E., the children will be developing their ball skills, focusing on dribbling and passing with their feet. In dance, the children will be focusing on responding to a stimulus.

PSHE

In PSHE, the children will be learning about the ways in which their bodies can grow and change from a baby to an elderly person. They will also learn through 'A Journey in Love', the importance of their relationships with their families, friends and within their communities.

Music

In Music, the children will be studying the genre of reggae and using percussion instruments in order to compose their own reggae compositions.

Geography

In Geography, the children will be studying India and comparing its climate and culture to that of the UK. The children will be able to locate the country on a map and describe some of the physical and geographical features that can be found in India.

Computing

In computing this term, the children will be learn how to effectively use search engines. After becoming acquainted with the basics of the Internet and how it works, the children will learn where to type in their query and how to understand the pages of results. The children will look at the main pages and buttons they will encounter while using search engines.

RE

Treasures - The children will explore the different things they treasure in life and learn that the world is God's treasure, given to us and that it should be protected.

Science

After half term, the children will be exploring how seeds and bulbs grown into mature plants and investigating what plants need to grow and stay healthy.