Hamworthy Primary Schools
Curriculum Overview

Year 2 — Summer Term 2 2026

English

This half term, our theme is Friendship and Change.
We will be using the text The Lost Words to write our own poems, based around the beach.
We will then be using the text 'Lubna and Pebble' to write our own narrative.
We will then be writing a non-fiction piece of writing to inform the new Year 2 about what they can expect.
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Maths

This half term, we will be learning about measurement, thinking about length, mass and capacity.

We will then be learning about Geometry, learning about position and direction.

We will then continue our learning on doubling, halving and division.

Science





This half term, we will continue to learn about plants.

We will be learning about what a plant needs to survive e.g. water, sunlight and food and carrying out our own investigation.

We will then be recapping all of our Year 2 knowledge!

Geography




This half term, our topic will be Home and Away!

We will be looking at our hometown of Poole, locating it on a map and thinking about human and physical features. We will then be comparing Poole to Sydney in Australia, thinking about similarities and differences.

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This half term, we will be learning about Structures. Children will be investigating what makes a good freestanding structure. They will then be using this knowledge to design and make their own piece of equipment for Hamworthy Park.

PSHE



This half term, we will be thinking about growing and changing. We will be thinking about the natural growing processes, thinking about how our bodies have changed.

Computing



We will be learning about Coding. We will be learning to input a code or list of instructions into a computer for it to understand and complete.

Music



This term, in African Ambiance we will be learning African children's songs whilst learning how to warm up and take care of our singing voices.

PE & Sports

This half term, we will continue our swimming lessons! We will be learning about different swimming stokes and developing our confidence in the water.




RE and Worldviews



Our focus this half term will be Humanism. We will continue to learn about the Humanist key beliefs, thinking about how they celebrate life events and make decisions.

Other Information about this term:

Our PE day is Friday. ALL classes will be swimming on a Friday morning. Therefore, ALL children will need a swimming kit and hat.

Home Learning/Helping at Home

We expect all children to read at home at least 3 times a week and for this to be recorded in their Reading Record Books. Please remember to use the Collins Hub app to access your child's 'learn to read' book so they can show off their amazing reading!
Home learning will be sent home on a Friday and will outline the task for children to complete and when it needs to be returned.

