



Year 2 Curriculum Map Autumn 1

This term's value is:

Kindness

Key Information

PE:

Van Gogh – Monday and Tuesday

Kusama – Monday and Tuesday

Forest school will be taking place most weeks this half term. Please bring in wellies and a waterproof jacket to keep in school during this time.

Maths

Place value- recognising the place value of 2 digit numbers, partitioning 2 digit numbers and ordering numbers within 100.

Addition and subtraction- recall number bonds to 10 and 20, add and subtract 1 digit numbers to/from 2 digit numbers, solve one step problems.

2D Shape- name a range of 2D shapes and describe their properties, begin to identify lines of symmetry and compare simple 2D shapes.

Multiplication- count in steps of 2, 5 and 10, begin to recall multiplication facts for the 2, 5 and 10 times tables.

Please see the Calculation Policy on the school's website for clarification on methods.

Help at home: We will often use 'Hit the Button' online to help the children to quickly recall number bonds and multiplication facts. This is a great tool to use at home as well.

English –

'Jim & The Beanstalk' and 'Goldilocks and Just One Bear'



In English this half term Jim and Goldilocks will need our assistance! We will be helping them to twist traditional tales into new and exciting stories for children to read.

Help at home when writing stories it is really important that the children think about word choice and using interesting adjectives, verbs and adverbs. When reading at home try to highlight these types of words and discuss how they are used to excite and engage the reader. Make a list of wow words and bring in any new words to share with the class.

PSHE

We will be learning about what makes a good friend and also discussing what is fair and unfair, kind & unkind and right & wrong.

Help at home

Please encourage positive relationships and talk with your child about school and how scenarios made them feel/how they could approach them.

Science

In science we will be focussing on plants. We will be learning about what plants need to grow and stay healthy.

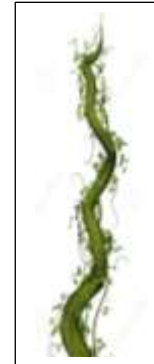
Help at home by growing a bean and keeping a record of its growth, visiting garden centres and identifying different trees and plants in the local area.

YEAR 2 PROJECT

Can Year 2 help Jim to grow another beanstalk?

Jim needs our help! He needs to grow another beanstalk but does not have the original magic beans. Our project aim is to teach Jack how to grow the best beanstalk, as well as other plants. Alongside this we will be teaching him the importance of green spaces in urban areas.

All of this hard work will come in handy when we get involved with the school's developing vegetable garden later in the year!



Forest School

Most weeks the children will be taking part in hands on learning experiences in woodland areas in the local area. Learning outdoors will inspire our writing, put to practical use the maths skills we are learning in class, and support our science learning.

The outdoor learning planned will also give us fantastic opportunities to develop our resilience, collaborative and problem solving skills.

Help at home- these are ideas you can do with your child at home. It would be fantastic for children to bring any home learning into school to share with the class. These are optional. Homework will be sent separately.