

Spring 2 Learning Menu

This half-term in Year 2 we are learning:

<p>English:</p> <p>Our book this half-term is 'George's Marvellous Medicine' by Roald Dahl. We will be using this text to inspire the following:</p> <p>A persuasive book blurb.</p> <p>A detailed set of instructions/recipe.</p> <p>A personal diary entry.</p> <p>Alongside this, we will be reading lots of books as a class, developing our comprehension skills through whole class reading sessions and completing daily RWI (Phonics) lessons.</p>	<p>Maths:</p> <p>In Maths, we are learning about the concept of Mass, Volume, Money, and Length.</p> <p><u>Times Tables focus:</u></p> <p>10 Times Table. 5 Times Table. 2 Times Table.</p> <p>Please continue to engage with Times Tables RockStars and Daily 10 (Top Marks) at home.</p> <p>Each day, the children will be practicing their counting and arithmetic skills during retrieval time.</p>	<p>History:</p> <p>Our topic is called 'The History of Flight'.</p> <p>We will explore the stories of Emily Davison and Emmeline Pankhurst as Significant Individuals.</p>
<p>Science:</p> <p>Our topic is called 'Animals and Their Needs'. Our Learning Quests within lessons will enable us to explore the following:</p> <p><u>LQ1:</u> What do animals need? <u>LQ2:</u> What are the stages in human life and what are the offspring of animals? <u>LQ3:</u> What should we eat to keep healthy? <u>LQ4:</u> What is the importance of exercise?</p>	<p>Religious Education:</p> <p>Our topic is called 'How do symbols help us to understand the Easter Story?' Our Learning Quests within lessons will enable us to explore the following:</p> <p><u>LQ1:</u> How is Easter celebrated around the world? <u>LQ2:</u> What does salvation mean? <u>LQ3:</u> What happened in the Easter Story? <u>LQ4:</u> What is the Paschal candle? <u>LQ5:</u> Why is the cross important? <u>LQ6:</u> Why did Jesus' disciples eat bread and drink wine at Easter? <u>LQ7:</u> What food is eaten at Easter time?</p>	<p>Design and Technology:</p> <p>In class, we are learning how to make moving picture books using different mechanisms.</p>
<p>Art:</p> <p>We are studying Chinese Landscapes with a focus on painting techniques.</p>	<p>Music:</p> <p>Our Charanga Unit is 'Zoo Time'.</p>	<p>Physical Education:</p> <p><u>Outdoor PE:</u> Team Building. <u>Indoor PE:</u> Yoga.</p> <p>Link to Science:</p> <p>Exploring the importance of exercise and the positive impact it can have on a person's health and well-being.</p>

<p>Computing: This half-term, we are studying the Curriculum Strand - Data and Information. The children will be exploring Pictograms.</p> <p>We will also complete a National Online Safety [NOS] lesson, as part of our Parish Spirit and Computing Curriculum offer.</p>	<p>Parish Spirit: In HeartSmart, our theme is 'Don't Rub It In, Rub It Out!'</p>	<p>Whole School Events</p> <p><u>Christian Value:</u> Justice.</p> <p><u>Events:</u> Fair Trade Fortnight, St David's Day, International Women's Day, St. Patrick's Day, Holi and World Autism Day.</p>
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