



Stubbins Primary School Curriculum Planner

Summer 2	Year 2
English	This half term, the children will be reading <i>Grandad's Secret Giant</i> by David Litchfield. They will develop their storytelling skills by writing their own narratives with a moral message, focusing on character development, setting descriptions and sequencing events. Children will also explore themes of community, kindness and understanding how places and people can change over time.
Maths	In Maths, children will continue to build their understanding of statistics and data handling before moving on to position and direction. They will learn how to interpret information presented in charts and tables and use mathematical language to describe movement, turns and position. We will continue to develop fluency, reasoning and problem-solving skills throughout all lessons.
Science	In Year 2 Science, we are learning about different materials and their properties. We explore materials like wood, metal, plastic, glass, and fabric, and think about what they are used for in everyday life. We also learn to describe materials by their qualities, such as whether they are hard or soft, strong or weak, waterproof or absorbent. This helps us understand why certain materials are chosen for different objects, like why a raincoat is made from waterproof material or why chairs are made from strong materials.
Geography	Our learning will focus on holidays and travel, exploring the question ' <i>Where shall we go?</i> ' Children will compare different holiday destinations, think about what makes places attractive to visit, and use geographical skills to describe locations and features of different environments.
Art	Children will explore printing techniques, experimenting with different tools, patterns and textures. They will create their own printed artwork and investigate how artists use repetition and design to create interesting effects.
Computing	Our Computing unit is <i>Programming Quizzes</i> . Children will develop their coding skills by creating simple quizzes, learning how to use algorithms, sequences and logical thinking to make programs work effectively.
PSHE	In PSHE, the topic is <i>Growing and Changing</i> . Children will learn about personal growth, changes that happen as we get older, and how to manage new experiences and emotions. Lessons will encourage children to celebrate their individuality and develop confidence in themselves and others. We will have an additional PSHE lesson weekly this half-term to support with the enhanced transition to Year 3 as we recognise this is a big change for Year 2.
PE	In PE, children will take part in athletics activities, developing skills such as running, jumping and throwing. They will also learn net and wall games, focusing on teamwork, coordination, control and applying skills in competitive situations.
RE	In RE, children will learn about Judaism. They will explore how Jewish people live according to the Torah, the importance of the Sabbath, and the story of Moses and the Ten Commandments. Children will develop their understanding of beliefs, traditions and respect for different faiths.

Music	This half term, children will prepare for <i>Our Big Concert</i> . They will practise singing, performing and working together as part of a group. Through rehearsals, they will develop confidence, musical skills and an appreciation of performing for an audience.
Homework & Spellings	<p>For homework, your child is expected to read their reading book regularly, practise their spellings and complete their weekly maths homework. This is due in on a Thursday. Spellings will be sent home in your child's home learning book, on a Monday, and tested the following Monday in school.</p> <p>There will also be a whole school core value challenge you can complete if you want to. We would love to see photos/ videos on class dojo! These will be celebrated at the end of the half-term.</p> <p>If you would like to do any extra home learning relating to your child's curriculum topics, we would love to see what you get up to! Please send your photos on class dojo!</p> <p>Thank you for your continued support.</p>