



Literacy

Our story that we will be focussing on this half term is the day the crayons quit, by Oliver Jeffers.

We will be writing a narrative sequel, to tell our audience what happened when the crayons came home.

We will also be writing a letter, inventing our own crayon to write their letter to Duncan.

Maths

Addition and Subtraction.

Secure fluency in addition and subtraction facts within 10, through continued practice.

Add and subtract across 10

Recognise the subtraction structure of 'difference' and answer questions of the form, "How many more...?"

Add and subtract within 100 by applying related one-digit addition and subtraction facts: add and subtract only ones or only tens to/from a two-digit number.

Add and subtract within 100 by applying related one-digit addition and subtraction facts: add and subtract any 2 two-digit numbers

Science

Are you my mummy?

We will be learning that animals have offspring which grow into adults. In some animals, these offspring will be young, that grow into adults. In other animals, there may be eggs laid that hatch to young or other stages which then grow to adults. The young of some animals do not look like their parents e.g., tadpoles.

We will also be learning that all animals, have the basic needs of feeding, drinking and breathing that must be satisfied in order to survive. To grow into healthy adults, they also need the right amounts and types of food and exercise.



Project Week

Why is Bredbury Special?

History

This half term we will become "historians". We will be building on our learning from last half term all about Bredbury. We will be identifying similarities and differences between Bredbury now and Bredbury in the past.



Art

During project week we will also become "artists", we will be focussing on the key skills of researching, designing, creating and evaluating.

Autumn 2 – Year 2



The day the crayons quit

PSHE

Keeping Safe and Staying Safe

Following our 1decision scheme we will be looking at how to keep ourselves healthy, focussing on healthy eating and brushing our teeth.



Music

Christmas performance

Our music lessons for this half term will be to learn and practise our songs for our Christmas performance.



We will then perform this in front of an audience – peers and grownups from home.

RE

We will be learning about who is a Muslim and what they believe

Collective Worship School Value – Trust

Value Quote:
'My God is my strength in whom I trust.'
Psalm 18.2

PE

Dance

Children will learn to explore space and how their body can move to express and idea, mood, character or feeling. We will also explore, rhythm, levels, shapes, directions, speeds and timings.



Important Dates

3rd November – Back to school

7th November - Bible Encounters

10th November – Anti-Bullying Week

11th November - Remembrance Day

11th & 12th November - Learning Journey Meetings

14th November - Children in Need

24th November - Project Week

3rd December - International Day of Persons with Disabilities

19th December - INSET Day

IMPORTANT CHRISTMAS DATES TO BE SHARED ASAP!

Parent / Carer information

We hope you have had a lovely week off! We are excited for another busy half term together...

Our PE days are still Monday and Tuesday, please send in a PE kit to be left in school – can all items be named to avoid lost belongings.

As always, if you have any questions or concerns myself and Mr Clayton are available for a quick chat on the door each morning / afternoon.

Below is my email should you wish to contact me:
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