



Greenfield Primary Academy

Year 2



Spring Term Learning Letter 2026

In English we are learning to write a letter based on the book 'Meerkat Mail'. We will use adjectives, time connectives and conjunctions and work hard on our spelling strategies. We will also write a story from another culture based on the book 'Lila and the Secret of the Rain'. We will write a non-chronological report based on African animals.

In Maths we will continue our addition and subtraction work. We will revisit our time work and practice telling the time on the clock to quarter past quarter to and half past and try to tell the time to the nearest 5 minutes.

We will begin to understand statistics by collecting data in tally charts, making pictograms and interpreting them.

In Art we will perfect our sculpture skills.

We will be making an African mask, using our own designs.

We will research other artists designs to give us ideas and plan the process out.

Our Learning Theme is ... 'Africa'

In RE we will be learning about the Muslim faith.

We will talk about why the Quran is important and the story of Eid Ul Fitr. We will name Muslim artefacts and use drama to act out what the laws of the Quran teach us.

In Geography we will be learning all about the continent 'Africa'. We will start by locating and naming the 7 continents of the world.

We will learn all about Kenya and study the culture, climate, animals and facts about it. We will label maps and write sentences to record what we have learnt.

In Science we will learn all about growing and changing animals. We will learn the names of baby animals and compare their growth to the human life cycle. We will think about the rates we grow and investigate if the oldest in our class is the tallest. We will study the frog life cycle in depth and use our best writing skills to explain it.

In RHE/ PSHE we will be thinking about how we grow and change linking this learning to our science lessons.

Year 2 Weekly Home Learning Tasks

READING

Please share your child's reading book with them, as **10-15 minutes** of reading **every day** at home can make a lot of difference to your child's reading ability.

Your child **MUST** bring their book bag into school **every day** so an adult can read with them on their reading day, and any extra days if there is an opportunity.

Homework

Children will get a piece of homework in their Homework book every Friday. This is due in on Tuesday.

Year 2 Half Term Learning Project

The image is a collage featuring several African masks with various designs, colors, and headpieces. In the center is a white rectangular box with text and a list of questions. At the bottom, there is a yellow box with a starburst design.

KSI Home Learning Project
Spring!
This half term we will be learning all about **AFRICA** in our Geography lessons and making masks in our art lessons.
For your home learning project we would like you to research African masks.

- What are they?
- Who wears them?
- Why are they worn?
- What designs do they have on them and why?

You can write these facts down to give to your teacher as notes.
We would then **love** you to design and make your own African mask to bring into school on **Monday 26th January**.

The best ones will win 3 stamps and be displayed in class. We can't wait to see them!

**Due back -
Monday 26th January**