

Year 2 Summer 2 Overview

In **Reading into Writing** we will be looking at poetry exploring different styles of poetry as well as performing two poems to the school as part of our Choral Speaking competition.

We will also be exploring diaries and creating our own diary entry based on a familiar event.

Our dedicated author this year is Roald Dahl and our book for this half term is Matilda.


















In **Music**, our unit will be to continue exploring improvisation. Throughout the unit, we will listen to and appraise different styles of music as well as learning to sing songs, improvise using different percussion instruments and perform different pieces in small groups and as a whole class.


In **PE** we will be focusing on the seven fundamental skills (running, jumping, coordination, balance, agility, throwing and catching) and trying to master these skills. We will also use skills learnt throughout our fundamental skills units and apply them a range of different invasion games. As well as using our fundamental skills, we will think about tactics.

In **Maths** we will be looking at position and direction using prepositional language to direct and comment on where things are.

We will also be consolidating our knowledge of the four operations and applying them to challenging word problems.

Our KIRF focus will be to know and recall the multiplication facts for the 2x table.

Favourite Fruit	
	  
	 
	 
	 
	

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In **Geography** we will continue to explore our local area and comparing it to Luxor, Egypt.

We will compare the weather, locate the places on a map focusing on oceans and continents, we will identify cities, physical and human features and we will identify similarities and differences.

In **PSHE** we will be looking at growing and changing, thinking about the changes we experience as we get older. We will also explore the different ways in which we can keep ourselves safe and what healthy relationships look and feel like.

In **Science** we will be exploring our Plants unit. Throughout the topic we will explore how different seeds germinate and track the growth of sunflowers. We will learn how to care for a variety of plants and learn about their needs to survive.



In **RE**, we will be looking at the religion of Islam. We will explore the key question 'Why do Muslims believe it is important to obey God?'. Throughout the unit we will look at Muslim traditions as well as search for personal meaning thinking about how Muslims beliefs may be similar to our own.

In **Computing**, we will look at Pictograms to explore data and information. Throughout the unit, we will interpret tally charts linking with our statistics unit and learn how to create our own pictograms on the computer. To do this, we will explore a question and collect our own data. During this time, we will consider what safe data collection looks like and discuss the importance of knowing who you are sharing data with.