

Year 2 Autumn 1: Up, Up and Away



History

Children will find out about significant people who have contributed to the development of flying machines. They will learn about the lives and achievements of important figures in the history of flight, including the Wright brothers and Amelia Earhart, and explore why these people are remembered today.

We will develop our knowledge of dates and use a timeline to order important events in the lives of these significant people and the development of flying machines.

Maths

Children will be learning about place value in numbers up to 100. They will be counting in tens and ones and partitioning numbers in different ways.

English

We will learn the story of The Troll Swap where we will be doing drama, short burst writing, learning new, Year 2 writing features before finally writing our own story!



Music

In Music we will learn songs about flying and choose instruments to create our own flying music.

PSHRE

We will learn about our Patron Saints, what is fair, our school rules and what it means to give consent.

PE

We will be learning all about gymnastics and how we can move our bodies in different ways, safely.

RE

In RE we will retell stories from the Bible as well as other sacred texts and learn about issues of what is good and bad, right and wrong.

Computing
We will be learning about IT improves our world in school and beyond and how we can use it responsibly.

Science

In Science, we will learn about the properties of everyday materials and what materials are used for. We will carry out simple tests, observe and record results to find out which materials are best suited for different purposes. We will use our knowledge to design and make our own kites.

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We will design, build and evaluate our own kites using our knowledge of materials to choose the best design.