

Maths

As mathematicians, Year 2 will develop their understanding of money. They will learn how to make different amounts in different ways. Year 1 will develop their understanding of numbers to 20 and work out 1 more and 1 less.

Science:

As scientists, we will develop our understanding of biology. We will learn that animals can be sorted into different groups based on their characteristics.

Computing – Data Handling

As we introduce ourselves to data, we will be learning what data is.

Design and Technology – Textiles

As designers, we will design and make our own puppets.

Art – Painting and Mixed Media

As artists, we will learn that there are three primary colours and these can be mixed to make secondary colours. We will create Clarice Cliff inspired plates.

History – How was school different in the past?

As historians, we will use photographs and books to learn about schools in the past. We will develop our understanding of chronology by creating our own timelines.

Geography – Would you prefer to live in a hot or cold place?

As geographers, we will learn about the continents, North and South Poles and the equator. We will investigate the climates of different places around the world.

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Music – Fairytales

Through fairytales, we will investigate sound patterns. We will listen to and create our own music.

PSHE – Safety and the Changing Body

We will learn about road safety, emergency services and how to get help when we need it.

English

Inspired by our text 'The Dragon Machine' we will follow the story of George and his dragons. We will design our own creatures, describe settings and learn about questions and commands.

Whole Class Reading

We will be reading The Hodgeheg by Dick King Smith.

PE

In PE, we will be developing our coordination and ball control. We will practice throwing, catching, sending and receiving a ball. We will also develop our sportsmanship.

RE – Does praying at regular intervals everyday help a Muslim in his/her everyday life?

We will learn all about how and why Muslims pray. We will know that Muslims pray five times a day and understand that this is a commitment.