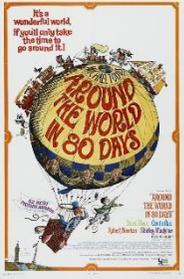


<p>English In English we are beginning our English lessons with poetry about our class mythical creature. We will then move onto writing story narratives and looking at the different components that make a good story and setting descriptions. We are then moving on to explanation texts. We will be focusing on developing their vocabulary and their use of four sentences types. Statement, commands, questions and exclamation. We will be looking at the related punctuation including capital letters, full stops, question marks, exclamation marks, apostrophes and commas.</p>	<p>Maths In Maths this term we will looking at place value, addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. Later in the term we will move onto fractions, finding fractions of amounts and solving fraction word problems. We will continue to develop the children's problem-solving skills and explore mathematical vocabulary to support them with this.</p>	
<p>History For history, we will be looking at a range of historical elements from different cultures around the world. This will include exploring traditional music, clothing, architecture and much more. We will explore how cultures are shaped by these components and how it influences the way people live around the world.</p>	<p>Science We will continue to learn about what habitats are, including micro-habitats, and the animals within. We will explore the features of a range of habitats and even have a go at making our own. We will also be looking at food chains, learning how to read and represent them.</p> <p>Geography In Geography, we will be learning about the 7 continents and focusing on several countries within each one. We will explore the climates and human and physical features of the different locations. We will use this information to identify the similarities and differences between the different countries we study.</p>	
<p>Art and Design Technology The children will work with a range of resources to explore painting and colour this term. They will investigate ways of making new colours by mixing primary colours to create secondary colours and adding white or black to change the tone of the colour. To finish the term, they will design and paint their own super hero costume. In DT, children will learn to design, make, evaluate and improve products. They will be given a clear purpose and an intended user to design for.</p>	<p>Autumn Term 2021 Year 2</p> <p>Around the world in 7 70 days!</p> 	
<p>PSHE In the first few sessions of PSHE we are looking at returning to school, changes, challenges, relationships, communication and support network as the children start a new year group. We will then move onto SCARF. Where the children will learn about Me and My Relationships and Valuing differences.</p>	<p>RE This term children will be learning about Christianity, with a focus on what Jesus taught and Christmas. They will be considering the following key questions: Is it possible to be kind to everyone all the time? Why do Christians believe God gave Jesus to the world</p> <p>MFL On Monday afternoons the children will have Spanish lessons with Senora Corrine. They will be learning how to say simple phrases in Spanish through songs, games, stories and role play.</p>	
<p>Home Learning We will change your child's reading books every Friday. Your child will be sent home with two books from school and one bug club book set online (please find your child's login details on the book mark provided) per week. It is really important that your child reads daily. Please sign your child's reading record every time that they read so we can tick their reading passport. Spellings for the term will be stuck in your child's homework book. A handwriting sheet with their spelling words on, will be stuck in their homework book weekly to help your child practise. Please read the top of the spelling sheet for instructions on the spelling homework.</p>	<p>Music Music specialist Ms Rabin will be taking the children's music lessons. They will be learning to play different percussion instruments in small groups looking at the pitch, rhythm, tempo and beat.</p> <p>PE This term PE will take place on Mondays and Fridays. On Monday afternoon, the children are lucky enough to have PE with Munchkin sports coaches. Later in the term we will be working with the children on their gross motor skills, balancing ability and core strength through gymnastics. These may take place both indoors and outdoors so please provide kit appropriate for all weather conditions.</p>	

