

<p>English</p> <p>In English we are looking at the story of Hansel and Gretel. The children will be applying their year 2 grammar and punctuation knowledge to their writing. In reading the children will focus is on skills and then apply them when reading year two spine books. They will be reading a range of texts focussing on comprehension and reading skills.</p>	<p>Maths</p> <p>In maths during the summer term we will be learning about fractions and understand how to make a whole by adding the fractions. We will revise the four operations and how to understand which operation to use to solve different word problems. We will begin to look at the concept of time and how to find but also write the time. We will then move on to 'weight, volume and temperature' and look at how to measure and read different units.</p>	
<p>History</p> <p>This term in History we will be learning about holidays in the 1950s and 1960s, particularly seaside holidays. The children will begin to understand historical concepts such as continuity and change, similarity and difference. They will begin to ask historically valid questions and identify similarities and differences between ways of life in different periods. They will start to understand some of the ways in which we find out about the past, for example using parts of stories and other sources to show they know and understand key features of events.</p>	<p>Science</p> <p>Our first topic of the summer term is 'Healthy Me' where the children will be looking at what they can do to keep fit and why exercise helps the body in different ways. They will think about all the different ways that they like to keep fit and the things they do already to keep healthy. They will then begin to think about activities that they would like to try and why. They will be completing a keeping fit challenge that will consist of creating a new game using small P.E equipment.</p> <p>Our second topic of the summer term will be 'Material Monsters' where the children will be identifying and comparing the suitability of a variety of everyday materials, including wood, metal, plastic, glass, brick, rock, paper and cardboard for particular uses.</p>	
<p>PSHE</p> <p>Our units for the summer term will be 'Being my Best' and 'Growing and Changing'. In 'Being my Best' we will explore a positive mindset and wellbeing, good choices, likes and dislikes, health, dental hygiene and what we need to survive. In 'Growing and Changing' we will look at identify different stages of growth, parts of the human body that are private and what privacy means.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Summer Term 2022 Year 2</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div> <p>RE</p> <p>We are continuing to learn about Judaism and Islam. In Judaism we will be learning about the relationship that Jews have with God and the promises they make to each other. In Islam the children will learn about community, belonging and prayer</p>	
<p>Home Learning</p> <p>We will change your child's reading books every Thursday. Your child will be sent home with three books from school on the Friday. It is 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.</p> <p>Spellings, Maths and Literacy homework for the week will be stuck in your child's homework book. A sheet with their spelling words on, will be stuck in their homework book weekly to help your child practise. Please complete and return to school the following Thursday in your reading folder.</p>	<p>Key dates</p> <p>Class assembly</p> <p>Unicorn Class – Friday 6th May 2022</p> <p>Mer People – Friday 20th May 2022</p> <p>KS1 Sports day – 30th June 2022</p> <p>Year 2 trip to the Cutty Sark and National Maritime Museum – 14th July 2022</p> <p>MFL</p> <p>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>PE</p> <p>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 doing athletics in preparation for sports day. These may take place both indoors and outdoors so please provide kit appropriate for all weather conditions.</p>	