



Curriculum Newsletter - Overview of the subjects and skills taught in Year 2 Summer Term 2017

Literacy:

- Stories from different cultures.
- Traditional and fairy tales.
- Poems on a theme.
- Instructions.

RML:

- To know letter sounds and how to blend.
- To read, hold and write sentences using phonics.
- To read phonic books and answer comprehension questions.

Numeracy:

- Adding and subtracting numbers.
- Measure (Weight).
- Using calculation skills in problems solving activities.
- Multiplication (2, 4, 5, 10).
- Ordering numbers.

Science: Humans and animals

- To recognise similarities and differences between humans and animals
- To understand the importance of keeping fit.
- Know what it means to be healthy.

History:

- Identify the different holidays in Britain.
- Identify what holidays are like in the present and the past.
- Observe any similarities and differences.

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Topic: Holidays

Music: Exploring pulse and rhythm

- Follow a rhythm in a song.
- Sing a song and identify the rhythm and beats.
- Compose and perform own song using a range of instruments.

Geography

- To know and describe places in the past.
- To locate different countries on a map and describe the links.
- Compare different places and cultures.

P.S.H.E: Relationships

- To talk about people who are important to us.
- To understand what it means to be jealous and proud.
- Talk about why we are kind or hurt people.

Art

- **Drawing skills:** To use a variety of tools, including pencils, crayons, pastels, chalk and other media.
- To begin to use line, shape and colour.

R.E

- How can we learn about a Christian belief?
- Beginning to learn about Islam.

Design and Technology:

- Construct and join different materials together.
- To be able to evaluate and improve our work.

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