

Maths

We will be learning to:

- Read and write numbers to at least 100 in numerals and in words.
- Recognise the place value of each digit in a two digit number (tens, ones)
- Identify, represent and estimate numbers using different representations including the number line.
- Compare and order numbers from 0 up to 100; using <, > and = signs.
- Use place value and number facts to solve problems.
- Count in steps of 2, 3 and 5 from 0, and in tens from any number, forward and backward.
- Recall number bonds to 20.
- Know addition facts up to 100 e.g. $60+20=80$.
- Know subtraction facts up to 100 e.g. $90-70=20$.

SPaG (spelling, punctuation and grammar)

Throughout Year 2 the children will learn a new spelling rule each week. The children will then have spellings to practise involving the new spelling rule they have learnt. Please support your children to learn these spellings which will be uploaded to the school website.

PE

The children will be learning the sport rugby and ball skills this half term. Please ensure your child has a named PE kit in school every day. This should include; a t-shirt, jumper, shorts, tracksuit bottoms and plimsolls.

Year 2

Autumn 1st Half Term

Superheroes



Topic

The children will be learning about different superheroes and their super powers. They will use this knowledge to inspire them to design and create their own superhero and superhero mask.

DT - In DT the children will be testing, designing, making and evaluating a healthy snack and its packaging.

Science – In science the children be learning about the importance for humans of exercise, eating the right amounts of different types of food, and hygiene.

RE – The children will be learning about the religion Christianity. They will be learning about the beliefs and belonging of Christians.

Music - We will also be learning to play the African drums this half term which will be taught by Steve.

English

During this topic we will be reading the story book Traction Man. The children will learn to use adjectives to describe characters and settings from the story. The children will then have an opportunity to use descriptive language to plan and write their own Traction Man story.

The children will learn the difference between questions and statements. They will demonstrate their learning by writing about Traction Man using statements and questions.

The children will be learning about harvest time this half term and will then write their own harvest acrostic poem.

During safety week the children will learn about instructions and imperative verbs. They will then move onto writing their own instructions for crossing the road safely and for a fire drill.

Finally, the children will learn about exclamation sentences. They will use these to write a letter to Mr Nixon explaining their start to Year 2.

Important dates

Open classroom at 3pm all week from Monday 11th September

Year 2 Transition Meeting 13th September

KS1 Harvest Festival 6th October

Year 2 celebration assembly 11th October

Half Term Break 20th October to 30th October

Computing

We will be using the iPads regularly to blog our learning on our class blog. Please comment and on the class blog as the children love to see the interaction from adults at home. We will also be recapping our iPad licences skills at the beginning of the year.