

Religious Education

This term in Religious Education we will be looking at the following topics:

- Books
- Thanksgiving
- Opportunities

Science

The children will be looking at different habitats and the animals and plants that live in them.

PE

PE is on Monday and Wednesday

Please ensure your child has their PE kit in school (**please name all items**). This term the children will be focussing on games and gymnastics.

Art and Design

The children will be creating their own "wild things" using a range of media. They will also make textured pictures using press printing techniques.

Music

The children will be learning songs and techniques from our new music scheme 'Charanga' and exploring pitch.

Literacy

This term we will be looking at "Where the Wild Things Are" by Maurice Sendak. We will be exploring the exciting world of the Wild Things, and looking in detail at the characters. In the second half of the term we will be looking at information texts about the rainforest, and the children will produce their own booklet about a rainforest creature. In grammar we will be focussing on noun phrases, types of sentences, commas in lists and the present and past tense.

Year 2 Curriculum Overview



Welcome back. We hope you had a fantatsic Christmas break and Happy New Year to you all!

Our topic this term will be "**Wild and Wonderful**".

Year 2 Team

Numeracy

Our main objectives this term are:

- To understand the operations of multiplication and division
- Statistics
- To identify properties of 2D and 3D shapes
- Fractions
- To solve mathematical problems using length and height.

ICT

Children use computers to research our topic.

Geography

Our geography this term is linked to our topic. Children will locate and describe the Amazon rainforest. They will understand and use correct geographical vocabulary, looking at seasons and patterns.

Homework

Please encourage your child to read for at least 10 minutes every day. When you read with your child please ask questions to check their understanding of the book. Once you have listened to your child read, please sign their reading record book - thank you. In addition some grammar/punctuation tasks will be set.

Children will have numeracy homework to complete each week (please only complete the task for that specific week). This sheet does not need to be returned to school. Children also have the option of accessing the BUG Club and MyMaths websites and this term, we will start to set spellings on the Spelling Shed.

History

In history this term we will be looking at how houses and homes have changed.

We will also be comparing Amelia Earhart & Neil Armstrong.