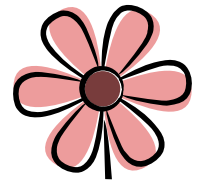




Spring 1

Class 2 Curriculum Newsletter



Welcome Back!

Welcome back to the Spring Term! We hope everyone had a restful break and is ready for an exciting new term of learning.

Key Information

PE this half term will be on Tuesdays - children come to school in PE kit.

Forest School continues to be every other Wednesday - beginning on Wed 7th Jan

Phonics

In phonics, the children will continue to learn their Phase 5 GPC's.

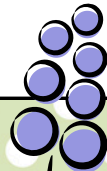
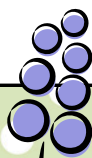
The children will now be progressing to Phase 5 reading books for home reading to support these sessions.

Spelling

The Year 2 children are beginning their full spelling units.

This term, they will be focusing on:

What to do when adding suffixes to the ends of words (such as -ed and -ing), common exception words & homophones



English

English this half term will see Class 2 engage with the key text 'Around the World in 80 Days'. Using this text, the children will write to entertain and inform. They will be writing a letter, a diary entry and a 1st person narrative.

Maths

Children will cover the following areas in Maths this half-term:

- Addition & Subtraction (within 100)
 - Length & Height
- Children will engage with learning opportunities to develop their fluency, problem solving and reasoning skills.

Science

In Science, children will be learning about 'Animals including Humans'.

In this unit, children will be learning how to:

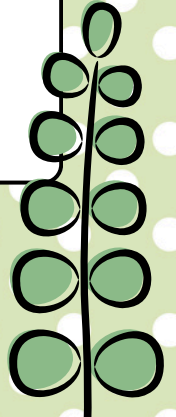
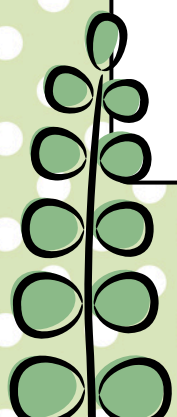
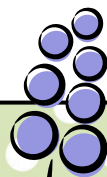
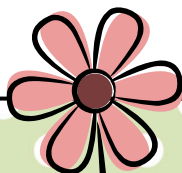
- Identify and name a variety of common animals, including fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals.
- Identify the differences between carnivores, herbivores and omnivores

RE

This half term, Class 2 will look at the following BIG question:

Who is Jewish and how do they live?

In RE lessons, children have the opportunity to engage in exploration of the theology, philosophy and the human and social sciences surrounding religion.



Foundation Subjects

The following will be covered in Foundation subjects in Class 2:

Geography - Is Pendock part of something bigger? -
Focus on locational knowledge.

Computing - Programming - Moving a robot.

PSHE - Keeping safe

PE - Gymnastics

Music - Pitch - Superheroes

Art - Colour stories

Thank you for your continued support and partnership to support the children in their learning.

Please continue to read with your children at home. We encourage any use of Numbots to support the childrens' Maths fluency.

If you need any further information or have any questions, don't hesitate to get in touch!

Best wishes,
Miss Chambers

