

History

Autumn 2 : The children will study the life of Guy Fawkes and how he impacted on history.

R.E

Autumn 1: How should we look after our Wonderful World?

Autumn 2: How can we talk to God?

Music

With seaside and holidays as our focus, your child will have the opportunity to listen to and learn some relevant songs / pieces of music.

During the second half of the term Guy Fawkes and Christmas will also feature.

PE

Autumn 1

Athletics

Throwing and catching skills.

(Netball, dodge ball)

Autumn 2

Indoor Athletics

Dance

D.T

The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch Box: the children will develop their understanding of structures. They will explore different types of lunch boxes and then design and make their own.

Modern Foreign Languages

Learn the numbers to 20 in French. Learn how to say their name, age and birthday.

Autumn Term 2016

Year 2



Curriculum Information

A booklet for parents

Literacy

The theme for all learning this term will be 'Seaside and Holidays'. In class we will use several books by a range of well known authors as our story focus. *Guy Fawkes* and *Christmas* will also feature in our learning. We aim to write in a number of different genres.

During this term, your child will be introduced to some new grammatical terms. S/he will develop an understanding of these and begin to use them in their writing. We will continue to use those introduced in previous years.

Your child will begin to learn spellings from phonic sessions and those stated in the National Curriculum (Common Exception Words).

Support at home with spelling and daily reading would be appreciated.

Geography

Autumn 1 - Weather: The children will learn about and record the different types of weather in their own environment. Then locate the hot and cold areas of the world and the impact of the weather.

Science

Weather /seasonal changes and how these affect humans and animals will be our main focus during Science lessons. Your child will learn facts, develop their understanding and carry out practical investigations.

Art

Your child will create pieces of art using natural materials. The focus will be shape and texture.

We will study the work of the artist *Andrew Goldsworthy*.

ICT

Key aspects such as flowcharts, algorithms, debugging and programming are developed and any prior learning will be consolidated.

Numeracy

Number and Place value - Estimating and counting objects, comparing numbers and finding numbers in-between. Understand place value in 2-digit numbers.

Addition and Subtraction - Revise number bonds to 10 and learn bonds to 20 and related subtractions. Add or subtract multiples of 10 to 2-digit numbers.

Multiplication and division - Double numbers to 15, Count in 2s, 5s or 10s.

Problem Solving- Solve problems using number facts addition and subtraction.

Shape and measure- Recognise 2-D shapes and sort using symmetrical and right angle properties. Measure lengths using uniform units, Begin to use cms and m to measure length.