

English

This term, our work will be focused around 'The Day the Crayons Quit' and 'Alma'.

Children will:

- undertake a range of writing opportunities including recounts, letters and narrative.
- develop growing accuracy when spelling.
- use basic punctuation and grammar including conjunctions (and, because), suffixes and contractions.
- use correct spelling of key year 2 words and begin to use diagonal and horizontal strokes to join some letters.

During guided reading the children will:

- develop their knowledge and understanding of the reading content domains.
- discuss word meaning, retrieve and record information, and begin to predict and make inferences.



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Mathematics

Over the course of this term children will be focusing on number, place value, addition and subtraction.

Children will:

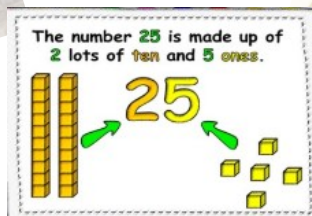
- look at the value of each digit in a 2 digit number (tens and ones)
- order and compare numbers.
- find 10 more and less than a given number.
- learn the 2, 5 and 10 times tables.
- learn how to use the written method for addition and subtraction.
- learn a systematic approach to solving simple problems.

Science

In Science this half term, children will learn about materials

Children will:

- identify and compare everyday materials, including wood, metal, plastic, glass, brick, rock, paper and cardboard and say if it is suitable for a specific use.
- find out how the shapes of solid objects made from some materials can be changed by squashing, bending, twisting and stretching.



History/ Geography

History this half term will focus on the Victorian era and Geography will focus on the UK, continents and oceans

Children will:

- use a range of historical evidence including timelines, maps and secondary sources to identify the Victorian empire, wealth and children's lives.
- identify the continents and oceans of the world and where they are in relation to the UK.



Computing

The computing this half term will follow the Purple Mash scheme.

Children will:

- learn how to stay safe on the internet.
- explore coding within different games.

Jigsaw

The PHSE this half term will focus on being me in my world.

Children will:

- explore making good choices.
- look at taking responsibility for their actions.



RE

The RE this half term will focus on Christian rights of passage.

Children will:

- explore Baptism and the Holy communion.
- look at Marriage ceremony.
- find out about Funeral ceremonies.



Art/ DT

The Art work will focus on still life and using pencils to shade in different ways.

Children will :

- identify different techniques for shading.
- explore stippling, smudging and cross hatching.
- sketch a piece of still life.



Music

The music this half term will follow the Cheranga scheme.

Children will:

- identify and follow a steady beat.
- listen and appreciate a range of different music types.
- use their voices expressively.