

Curriculum Leaflet – Year 2

Autumn Term 2016

English



- Reading and writing stories with familiar settings.
- Reading and writing alternative versions of traditional tales.
- Poetry - Looking at patterns on the page.
- Writing recounts and instructions related to our topic.
- Using capital letters, full stops, question marks and exclamation marks to demarcate sentences. Using commas in lists.
- Making compound sentences using a range of simple conjunctions.
- Choosing appropriate, interesting adjectives and verbs in writing.
- Recognising and applying the phonics digraphs and trigraphs covered so far.
- Reading on sight the list of first 100 high-frequency words.
- Spelling accurately most common words for Year 2.
- Forming each letter correctly.

Maths



- Count on and back in 1s and 10s from a 2-digit number
- Write figures to 100.
- Count on and back in 1s, 2s, 3s and 5s from 0.
- Counting on in 10s from any 2-digit number, forwards or backwards.
- Know what each digit in a two-digit number represents, including 0 as a place holder, and partition 2-digit numbers into tens and units.
- Use knowledge that addition can be done in any order to carry out mental calculations.
- Add/subtract 9 or 11 by adding/subtracting 10 and adjusting by 1.
- Know doubles to at least 16 and corresponding halves.
- Use £/p notation when working with money.
- Estimate measure and compare lengths using standard units; recognise units of time.
- Use mathematical names for 2-D and 3-D shapes; describe their properties, recognise line of symmetry and make symmetrical patterns.

Science

Materials:

Identify and compare the suitability of a variety of everyday materials, including wood, metal, plastic, glass, brick, rock, paper and cardboard for particular uses. Find out how the shapes of solid objects made from some materials can be changed by squashing, bending, twisting and stretching.

Topic

The theme of the topic for this Autumn term is:



We have already asked the children what they are keen to learn within the theme. We will be taking their ideas to create the topic which covers skills in Geography, History, Art, Design and Technology, Music, PE and Outdoor Environment. We are really excited about the topic and hope your children leave the classroom full of enthusiasm and keen to continue their learning at home.

**How did the
Fire of
London
start?**

Jamie

Lexie

**How
many
people
survived
?**

Physical Education (PE)

Dance – 1st half

Gymnastics- 2nd half

(PSHCE) / SEAL

1st half - New Beginnings 2nd half- Getting on and Falling Out
Anti-Bullying and Anti Bullying Week

Religious Education

Signs and Symbols of the major world religions.
Christmas - Focusing on the Three Wise Men, gifts, giving and receiving.

HOMEWORK

Homework can be selected from the collection of activities provided inside their homework book. Each week please complete an activity and record within the book.
Reading books will be sent home twice a week (Weds & Fri). Please ensure that you write in your child's reading record after you have heard them read.
Spellings will be sent home on Monday and the children will be tested on a Friday.

Learning Tools

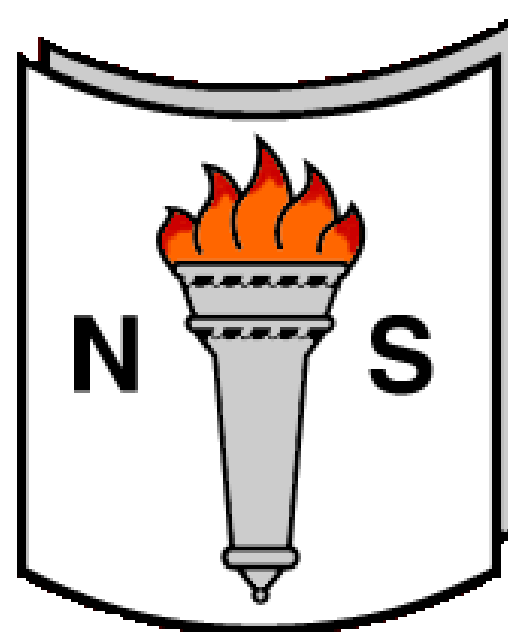
Websites to support home learning activities
www.bbc.co.uk/schools/ks1bitesize/numeracy
www.teachingtime.co.uk
<http://www.mathplayground.com/>
<http://uk.ixl.com/math/year-1>
http://www.familylearning.org.uk/phonics_games.html
<http://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/ChildrensMenu.htm>
<http://www.uk.safesearchkids.com/>

Dates for Diary

Meet the Teacher – Thursday 28th September, 9a.m.
Parent Consultation Evenings – 7th and 9th November.
Christmas performance- Afternoon 5th December and evening 6th December.

We look forward to lots of fun and learning with your children this year.
We hope that you can enjoy following their learning further at home.

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