

English



In Literacy we will be looking at the 'Wind in the Willows Story'. This will help us to write our own animal adventure stories. We will write letters and learn a classic poem (The Owl and the Pussy Cat) by heart. After half term, we will be looking at stories and poems set at the seaside. We will be also writing an explanation text linked to our work on materials in Science. We will continue to have a big focus on **Grammar and Punctuation:**

- Apostrophes for contractions e.g. can't
- Add suffixes; ful, less, er, est, ing and ed
- Use sentences as different forms; statement, question, command and exclamation
- Using commas in a list
- Identify verbs, adjectives, adverbs and expanded noun phrases
- Using different forms of punctuation.
- Verb tenses

Maths



We will continue to have a big push on the basic four operations; addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. We will complete units of work on fractions, time, statistics and position and direction. Remember to practise telling the time regularly. We will revise our previous learning and look at how to apply what we know to reasoning questions.

Computing We will continue to use technology to support all areas of our learning. We will develop our understanding of digital photography. We will learn how to use and create a branching data base.

Homework

Maths and English/Topic: Both Maths and English/Topic homework will be given on a Friday to be returned before the following Thursday.

Reading: Please continue with daily reading bringing books into school each day.

Spellings: Fridays

P.E. Kits both indoor and outdoor kits will be needed this term. Old trainers are ideal for outdoor activities.

Year 2 Summer 2024

Mrs Pickup and Mrs Hitchen

Y2 will lead the KS1 end of year assembly on Thu 18th July at 9:10am

R.E. The first unit is called, 'Eastertide'. We will look at the story of Jesus appearing on the seashore and the coming of the Holy Spirit on the apostles. The second unit is called 'The Church is Born' where we will reflect on the Church being the family of God and think about the beginning of the Church.

P.E.

In Games, we will be developing the skills needed for striking and fielding games and net and wall games. We will also be focusing on Athletic skills. In the first half term, we will be learning how to sequence movements in dance.

PSHE The topics covered will continue to help us to think about our emotions and how we react in different situations. We will answer the question 'Who is my Neighbour?' and think about the communities we live in. We will also complete a unit on understanding money.

Topic Work



During this term our topic is 'Oh I do like to be beside the Seaside' which is a History and Geography led unit. In History we will be researching how seaside resorts were different in the past. We will be looking at old

photographs as a source of evidence as well as interviewing elderly friends or relatives. In Geography, we will be identifying natural and man-made features of our local coast. We are very excited to have another trip organised to visit Fylde Sand Dunes Beach School. Wellies will be needed for this trip.

In Science, we will be thinking about the habitats and animals we observed during our trip to Leighton Moss and we will discover what a plant needs to grow well. We will then investigate the properties of materials of things you might take to the seaside. We will also be carrying out fair test investigations.

D&T

In our D&T lessons, we will be designing and making our own moving vehicle for transporting equipment to the beach.

Art

We will be developing our painting skills by creating landscapes linked to the seaside. We will be using the beach hut paintings by Lynette Amelie as inspiration for creating our own designs.

