

Class 2 Newsletter

Science

In science we are going to be thinking about 'Materials'

History

Our history focus will be 'The Great Fire of London'. Children will find out about the past from a range of sources of Information to ask and answer questions.

Geography

This term our Geography focus will be the 'Local Area' we will describe what a place is like and how it is changing.

Other subjects

RE

What can we learn from talking about God?

Computing

Programming Roamer/ Creating and publishing.

Design

Our focus will be designing, making and evaluating their own Gingerbread House and Easter card.

Music

Children will carry on with music express.

End of Year 2 Tests

These test children on their skills in reading, spelling, punctuation, grammar and numeracy. These tests will take place in May any questions please come and ask.

As ever we are always looking for people to listen to readers and so if anyone would like to volunteer and you have a DBS check, please come in to see us, Thank you.

Spring Term 2019

Dear Parents/Carers

I hope you have all had a lovely Christmas Holiday and would like to wish you all a very Happy New Year and thank you for all the lovely cards and gifts.

The topics we will be covering this half term are 'Fantastic Fairy Tales', 'Instructions', 'Fantasy stories', 'Recounts' and 'Poetry'. Please find enclosed further details of subjects that we will be covering during this term.

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to pop in and see me.

Regards

Mrs Compson-Lea

Literacy

In literacy our narrative work will be focused on 'Fairy Tales' and 'Fantasy Stories'. Children will be carrying out a variety of activities based upon a collection of well known stories. These will include work based around characters, thinking about the common features, retelling and altering the stories and writing their own story in the correct style.

Our Non Fiction work will be based around 'Instructions' and 'Information Texts'. Children will be thinking about aspects such as what these types of texts are, why they are useful, the common features and they will also be writing their own examples of these texts.

Our poetry work will be based on the topic 'Traditional Poems' and 'Humorous Poems'.

We will also continue with phonics, SPAG and guided reading activities in preparation for the end of Year 2 tests.

Numeracy

Numeracy this term will see us focusing on a variety of subjects including number, calculations involving the four operations, data handling, shapes and measure and problem solving.

In addition to the daily lessons we will be carrying out various other numeracy activities including mental maths, multiplication practice, Start of Day Activities which call for children to use a variety of numeracy skills and of course preparation for the Year 2 maths test.

We will also be continuing our 2, 5 and 10 x table club and number bond club. If you could continue to support your child in practicing these skills at home that would be brilliant.