We are so excited about our learning journey in Year 2, we want to share it with you!

<u>Literacy</u>

Here are just a few of the books we will be exploring at the beginning of Year 2. Children will complete a range of learning opportunities to develop their creative writing, sentence structures and build on their reading comprehension skills. Children will develop their spelling and grammar skills throughout our learning in Literacy.



NON-LIVING Children will be using their scientific enquiry skills to discover what animals and plants need to survive. They will learn about how animals are suited to different habitats. What do animals, and plants need to survive? As part of our science curriculum the children will have opportunities to complete a range of investigations in our projects.

Geography

In Geography the children will go on a journey around the world, learning about their local area and the countries that make up the United Kingdom. They will uses atlases and map skills to locate the continents in the world and the oceans that surround them. Following this, they will learn about the different homes and animals around the world and how those animals have adapted to their climate.

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Numeracy

In Numeracy we will be exploring the relationships between numbers, ordering numbers and comparing numbers and will use the four Operations to solve problems. We will be challenging the children to see how quickly they can recall their times tables . Problem-solving and reasoning will be a big aspect of our learning in Year 2. Children will begin to use written methods to solve their calculations and begin to explain their methods. We will also be exploring money, shape, space and measures.







<u>History</u>

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Children will be learning about The Great Fire of London. They will explore where London is in comparison to Wolverhampton and how it would have looked in 1666. Children will be ordering the key events from the fire and looking at the numerous reasons the fire spread so quickly. Key figures around this time such as King Charles II and Samuel Pepys will also be investigated and their role in the fire examined. Children will learn about Rosa Parks and why she is a significant person in history. The children will think about the characteristics of a good role model and how they could influence other people.

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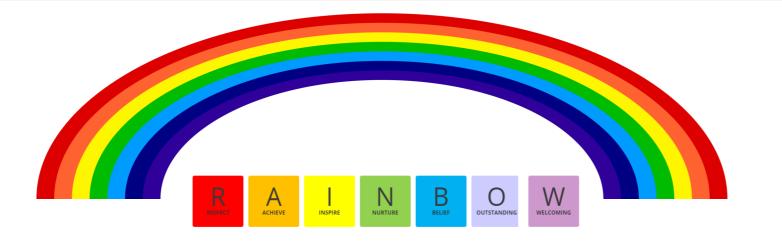
RE is going to develop children's knowledge and understanding of the Christian faith. Deepening their knowledge of The Creation Story and how Christians celebrate the different festivals throughout the Christian Calendar.

Computing

This term children will complete a module of work around spreadsheets. Children will look at online safety where they will understand and discuss how to stay safe when using the internet. They will also have the opportunity to develop their coding skills.

Art and DT

Children will explore the art work of Barbara Hepworth and use her creativity to influence their own work. Children will learn about healthy eating in DT where they will create their own vehicle in the topic 'Wheels and Axels'.



The Lord's Prayer

Our Father in Heaven,
Hallowed be Your name,
Your Kingdom come,
Your will be done,
On earth as it is in Heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins,
As we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation,
But deliver us from evil.
For the Kingdom, the power
And the glory are Yours
Now and for ever.
Amen.



Year 2 Common Exception Words

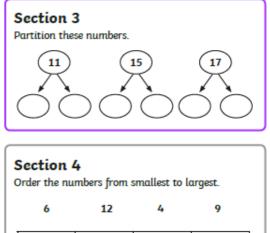
class floor pretty climb gold move prove clothes Mr should any grass bath could great Mrs steak half old beautiful cold sugar because hold door sure behind hour told even parents both improve water every break everybody kind whole past who busy eye path child wild fast many people children father mind plant would Christmas find money

Maths

Year 2 Maths Activity Mat: Autumn 1

Section 1 Draw a line to me and the words.	atch up the numbers
7	fifteen
15	twenty-two
22	four
4	seven

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Section 2 Fill in the missing numbers.	
ten ones 14- +	
ten ones	
ten ones 12- +	



Section 5 Use these signs < or > to make these statements true.
3 9 12 7
6 8

Some useful websites to use for independent learning include:

- https://www.bbc.com/bitesize
- https://www.numbots.co.uk/
- https://spellingframe.co.uk/spellingrule/2/Year-2
- https://www.activelearnprimary.co.uk/

PE will be on a Thursday this term. The children need to come to school dressed in their PE kit or a tracksuit.

Please make sure your child has the correct kit.

- Red school top
- Black pumps
- Shorts/jogging bottoms
- A tracksuit

Alphabet Challenge

Can you think of a country which begins with each letter of the alphabet?

A - Australia

