

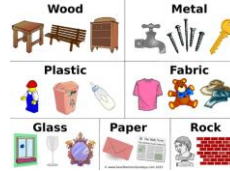
PSHE

This half term in PSHE, children will learn to stay safe and healthy. They will learn the PANTS rule, body part names, the difference between secrets and surprises, and to tell a trusted adult if they feel uncomfortable. They will also learn road safety and safe use of medicines.



Science

Our topic this term is *Use of Everyday Materials*. Children will explore materials such as wood, plastic, metal, glass, fabric and paper, and learn why different materials are used for different objects. Through hands-on activities, they will describe material properties, such as hard or soft, strong or flexible, and waterproof or absorbent, helping them develop scientific thinking and explain how materials are used in everyday life.

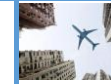


Music



In music pupils will learn to sing *Walking Through The Jungle*, they will recognise, read and use rhythmic notation including crotchet (ta) quavers (tee tee) minim (taa-aa) and crotchet rests, whilst playing tuned and untuned percussion musically.

History



Our history topic this half term is 'How did we learn to fly?'. They will be introduced to some key individuals such as: The Wright Brothers, Bessie Coleman, Amelia Earhart. The children will gain understanding about how the first flight took off and what has changed in aviation.

Physical Education

In PE this term, Year 2 children will take part in invasion games, where they learn to move with control, send and receive a ball, and understand simple rules and tactics. Through team-building activities, they will develop cooperation, communication and fair play, learning how to work together, take turns and support others while being active and having fun.



Curriculum Overview Year 2 – Spring 1 2026

Mrs Croyden, Mr Acharya, Miss Khan and Mrs Shah

Religious Education

In RE, children are learning about humanism. Humanists believe in being kind, fair, and thinking carefully, and that people can lead happy, meaningful lives without following a religion.



Computing



In our computing lessons we will focus on word processing.

English

The children will continue developing their vocabulary, reading, and writing skills while exploring the following texts:

- *Tadpole's Promise* by Jeanne Williams
- *If all the world were by* Joseph Coelho

Children will learn about different genres of writing: diary entries, letters and writing in role of a character.



Maths

Over the next half term, we will be learning about:

- Length
- Mass
- Revision of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.

Art

This unit explores primary and secondary colours, colour mixing, and textures. Children will experiment with collage and different materials, developing their understanding of colour, texture, and composition.



Important Information**Parents evening:**

PE days: Tuesdays & Thursdays

Homework: Handed out Fridays, due in Wednesdays

Spellings: Go out on a Monday (spelling test the following Monday)
Please keep **spelling sheets at home** so you can revisit words frequently.

How parents can support at home

Reading: Ensure your children reads **every day** for 15 minutes and fill in their Reading Record. Their reading books and Reading Record must be brought to school every day.

Children will also bring a home book to share of their choice from the class library and needs to be returned weekly.

Spelling: Help your child learn the spelling rules and their spelling words.

Homework: Please ensure that your child is completing their homework on time and by themselves.