Year 2 Curriculum Overview – Spring 2



Maths

In maths this half term, we will be learning about statistics. We will explore different charts and graphs, learning how to interpret the information presented as well as complete our own charts and graphs. We will then learn about money. The children will explore, learn the value of and order coins. They will also begin counting with coins, finding different coins to make an amount and adding coins together.

English

In English this half term, we will be reading George's Marvellous Medicine. The children will complete many writing activities linked to this book including setting and character descriptions, instructions, recipes, diary entries and posters.

The children will also test their acting skills as they act out key events from the book and pretend to be various characters.

SPaG- In our writing, we will be trying to accurately use the past tense and use apostrophes to show possession.

The children will continue to work on their spelling/phonics in small groups and spellings will be given weekly following this.

Music

In music this half term, we will continue working with Mr Little to learn the violin.

PE

In our PE sessions this half term, we will be continuing to work on our ball skills during our sessions with the Little Dribbler's coach.

DT

This half term, we will be making vehicles. The children will explore a range of vehicles and how they work before planning and making their own vehicles. The children will then put their vehicles to the test by racing our vehicles and evaluating their designs.

How to get involved at home

- Encourage your child to practise their weekly spellings at home.
- Continue to read with your child at home.
- When walking around the village, discuss what you can see and think about whether they are human or physical features.
- Talk about money and the value of money.
- Give children the opportunities to pay for items at the shop.

Science

In science this half term, we will be learning about the human body. We will explore and discuss how humans grow, the effects that exercise has on our body and how to maintain a healthy lifestyle.

Geography

In geography this half term, we will be learning what human and physical geographical features are. We will look at maps to see if we can spot any of these features in our local area. The children will also learn how to draw maps and construct a key.

Spanish

This half term, we will be learning the four seasons of the year. The children will also learn how to say a key feature for each season in Spanish.

PSHE

This term, the children are going to be learning about growing and changing. The children will complete a number of activities based around how people change, experiencing loss, getting older and their identity.