



Curriculum Information for Parents

Summer Term 1

Year

2

Literacy and Maths

Reading and Writing – Writing opportunities will be linked to topics and the children will write for different purposes. This half term they will be covering a recount, letter writing, poetry, instructional writing and story writing. Daily phonics and spelling sessions will be taking place alongside daily reading.

Maths – This half term we will be focusing on multiplication & division, fractions of amounts and shapes and learning the time to the nearest 5 minutes. Year 2 will be working on their times tables and division facts for 2x, 5x and 10x.

Topics

Week 1 & 2: Respect and Tolerance

In British Values Year 2 will be respecting similarities and differences of everybody and knowing that everybody is unique. Year 2 will be learning how we treat others with respect.

Week 4: In My Garden

Year 2 will be learning about different plant habitats in this Science topic. Also, looking at what plants need to grow and live.

Week 5: Funathon

Year 2 will be learning how to take part in team building games and the respect and values within sports activities alongside running, jumping, throwing and speed.

Week 6: Special Places

Year 2 begin to understand what a special place is and why they are special. Year 2 describe features of a Christian church and a Mosque in this RE topic.

Religious Education

This half term our Christian Value is Truthfulness. Year 2 have weekly RE sessions looking at a range of bible stories and parables including Peter & Paul and the early church including different places of worship.

Physical Education

In PE this half term, Year 2 will be taking part in activities to get ready for sports day as well as dodgeball & athletics.

Computing

In computing children will be continuing to work on working safely on computing equipment and the internet. Year 2 will be looking at researching and word processing through their topic learning.

Home Learning and Other Relevant Information

In Year 2 we;

- Complete any activity from the 9 areas of the Year 2 homework grid
- Reading – please write in the planner to indicate when your child has read and bring their reading book every day.
- Weekly spellings – given out on a Monday
- Homework – one piece of learning to be given out every Friday and to be returned by the following Wednesday.
- Library visits are fortnightly on Wednesday – please return library books.
- PE is every Wednesday and Friday – children come to school in their PE kits on these days.
- Use our website www.leesfield.oldham.sch.uk for further links to other sites and information to support your child's learning.