

English

The children will be focusing on the book 'Ten Little Pirates'. We will be using this book alongside many other authors to develop their discussion and story writing. We will also be writing reports linked to our science topic.

We will also be looking at lots of texts that link to our current topics across our wider curriculum subjects. E.g. Fossils (Geography/History), Plants (Science), etc. The children will use these texts to also produce some non-fiction writing.

Year 2 writing features

- Capital letters
- Full stops
- Question marks
- Exclamation marks
- Conjunctions
- Joined handwriting
- Spelling
- Extended sentence structures
- Adjectives, noun phrases and similes
- Year 2 Common exception words - reading and spelling

Phonics/SPAG

Daily focussed phonic sessions will be used to continue to build the children's phonic knowledge. Spelling rules, punctuation and grammar skills will be imbedded daily as part of our English sessions. The children will have their Phonics Screening test after half term to test their phonic knowledge (W/C 9th June 2025).

Maths

Fractions

- Recognising and finding halves.
- Recognising and finding quarters.
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Position and Direction

- Describe turns - left and right.
- Describe positions - forwards, backwards, above and below.

Place Value to 100.

- Counting from 50 to 100 using tens and ones.
- Partitioning into tens and ones.
- Comparing numbers.

Money

- Recognising notes and coins,

Time

- Days of the week/months of the year/ hours, minutes and seconds.
- Tell the time to an hour and half an hour.

Number fluency will be practiced daily using a scheme called 'Mastering Numbers' to help increase children's recall speed.

We will be continuing with our topics of length and height, mass, capacity and temperature, position and direction.

History: Mary Anning

We will be exploring the significance of Mary Anning and why she was so important for the discovery of fossils.

Geography: Jurassic Coast

We will be exploring a local beach along the Jurassic coast and why it is special with a trip at the end of the term.

Art - 3D Flora and Fauna.

The children will be focusing on surface and colour, specifically focusing on exploring watercolour.

DT - Pirate Paddy's Packed Lunch

The children will be learning through food technology to create a packed lunch for Pirate Paddy.

History Vocabulary

Timeline, in order, a long time ago, recently, when my parents/carers, grandparents were children, history, historian, find out, evidence, collect, information, detective, investigate, artefacts, objects, acts, reasons, events, actions, opinion, changed, same, similar, different.

Geography Vocabulary

Town, Route, Map, Aerial photograph, Ground level photograph, locational language, physical features, human features, weather, climate, habitat, environment, seasons, spring, winter, The Sun.

Computing

In Computing, the children will be focusing on technology around us. Learning about the different computing systems and how to group data.

Music

In Music, the children will be focusing on the topic 'myths and legends' and 'timbre, dynamics, tempo and motifs' through the topic of Space.

RE / PSHE

In RE, the children will be learning about The Gospel and answer the question, "What is the good news that Christians believe Jesus brings?"

In PSHE, the children will be focusing on 'being my best' and 'growing and changing'.

PE

In our PE sessions this term we will be doing games and

Science

Plants and Living Things and Their Habitats.

We will be working scientifically and investigating to find what conditions a plant needs to grow. We will look at a variety of living things and the habitats they live in and why that habitat suits them best.

Seasonal Changes

We will also be continuing our investigation around seasonal changes.

 **Year 2** 

 **Summer Topic Web** 

<u>Place value</u>	<u>Fractions</u>	<u>Multiplication and Division</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Position and direction</u>
Hundreds	Part	2s	Morning	Left
Tens	Whole	10s	Afternoon	Right
Ones	Half	5s	Evening	Forward
Zero	Quarter	Equal groups	Today	Backward
Greater than	Equal	Arrays	Tomorrow	Above
Less than	Unequal	Doubles	Yesterday	Below
Order	Third	Grouping	Hours	Ordinal numbers
More	Unit	Sharing	Minutes	
Less	fraction		Seconds	
Partition	Non unit		Hand	
Digit	fraction		O'clock	
			Hour	
			Half past	

Science Vocabulary

Plants and Living things

Stem, leaf, roots, trunk, flower, seed, germination, pollen, pollination, photosynthesis. Fair test, observation, record, investigation, habitats, adaptation.

Seasonal Changes

Season, weather, hot, cold, cloud, rain, snow, sleet, hail, fog, frost, ice, rainbow, thunder, lightning, day, night, spring, summer, autumn, winter.