



**Dear Parents and Carers,**

This half term our main topic is 'Going Green.' Where possible, your child's learning will be linked to this theme. This curriculum overview gives an outline of the areas of learning we intend to cover in Spring Term 2 (Feb-March). A copy of this document can also be found on our website. **PE lessons** continue to take place on a **Wednesday**. Homework will be set every Monday on MS Teams and other websites such as MyMaths. Thank you.

**Ms Sutherland and Ms Chrzanowska - Class teacher**

**MATHS**

This term we will be learning about division including dividing numbers on a number line and solving missing number problems. We will also be using our division skills with fractions when we learn about finding  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  $\frac{2}{4}$ ,  $\frac{3}{4}$  and  $\frac{1}{3}$  of a number.

We will be learning about money and seeing what different combinations of coins we can find that add up to different totals.

In year 2, we will continue to learn to tell the time to the nearest fifteen minutes (o'clock, quarter past, half past and quarter to)

We will learn about the properties of 2D and 3D shapes including identifying right angles.

**Year Two**  
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**MUSIC**

In music, we will be studying music which accompany stories including Peter and the Wolf and the Hare and the Tortoise.

We will also be learning about creating mood and atmosphere through music.

**SCIENCE**

This term our topic will be **plants**. We will be investigating what plants need to grow and stay healthy. We will compare plants that have been grown from a bulb and ones which have been grown from a seed. As part of our science, we will also be planting vegetables in the school garden.



**WRITING AND READING**

To start the half-term will be finishing the book Bear Under The Stairs and will be writing non-chronological reports about bears.

We will then be reading The Minpins by Roald Dahl, where we will be writing diary entries, character descriptions, letters and stories.

We will also be using our learning in science when we read Jim and the Beanstalk where we will again be writing letters and diary entries. We will also be writing instructions on how to plant a bean plant.



**ART AND DESIGN**

This half term we will be creating pots using clay. We will be using different tools to mould and shape the clay and evaluating how effective they are.

**COMPUTING**

In computing, we will be learning about basic computer operations such as logging on to programmes, saving and opening files.

**PHYSICAL, SOCIAL, HEALTH EDUCATION**

We will continue learning about Drug Education and other topics using the Mind Up programme. We will also continue our Life Savers curriculum.

**SPORTS AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION**

In PE, we will be learning how to create sequences as a class to put a dance together as a team.

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

In RE, we will be learning about the Mass.

We will be reflecting on why Sunday is a special day and also learning about the different parts of the mass.

This will include the liturgy, the offertory, what happens at the consecration and why Holy Communion



**DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY**

This term's focus is on mechanisms. We will be designing and then making our own moving vehicle.

**HISTORY - GEOGRAPHY**

Our topic this half term continues to be 'Going Green.' The children will be learning about global warming looking at weather patterns around the world. We will create maps of the local area through our fieldwork into how to help the community to go green.

