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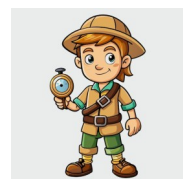
Common exception words to read and spell.

Weekly Spelling Shed, Numbots and reading.

Reading books need to be brought in daily.

English

In Spring 1, we will be writing a recount in the form of a diary entry of Charles Darwin. We will focus on writing in first person using the past tense and we will improve our writing with exclamation marks, apostrophes, conjunctions and modified verbs. We will also be writing instructions on how to be a mighty explorer.



In Spring 2, we will be writing our own Super Vegetable stories. We will be reading similar stories, exploring story paths and creating our own ideas for a story. We will plan, write and publish our stories. We will also be writing a persuasive advert linked to our Super Veggies topic.



Maths

In Maths, we will begin to learn about multiplication. We will start by looking at grouping objects and identify how this links to multiplication. We will also be learning about division. We will look at how doubling and halving relates to multiplication and division. We will apply our knowledge in practical scenarios as well as solving real life problems to deepen our understanding.



We will be practising our 2, 5 and 10 times tables. We would appreciate you helping your child by practising these at home too.

P.E.

In PE, we will continue gymnastics. We will explore and create different pathways and patterns, use equipment in a variety of ways and link movements together to create a sequence.

We will also do games where we will develop ball skills, special awareness and simple tactics.



P.E. days:
2G Wednesday
2K Thursday



Useful Websites

www.topmarks.co.uk
(focus on numbers to 20)

www.bbc.com
(bitesize KS1 English)

www.monsterphonics.com
(ebooks)

www.trockstars.com
(numbots)

Science

Our Science topic this term is Plants. We will be identifying plants that we can eat, observing plants grow and looking at what they need to remain healthy. We will also explain the life cycle of a plant.



Year 2 Spring 2026



World Explorers and Super Veggies!



Important Dates

16.2.26 - 20.2.26 - Half Term

5.3.26 - World Book Day

17.3.26 - Local walk for History Learning

27.3.26 - INSET Day

Art and DT

In Art, we will be exploring colour and looking at how artists use colour in their work.



In DT, we will be looking at mechanisms and moving parts. We will link this work to our visit to the Black Country Living Museum in the Summer Term.

R.E.

We will be learning about 'forgiveness' within Christianity, Judaism and Buddhism.

We will also be learning about special people in our lives and significant people in religion.



Computing

During our computing sessions, we will be learning about algorithms and giving instructions to robots. We will be linking this to maps and routes and designing our own algorithms.

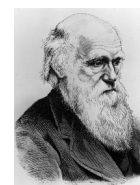


Geography and History

In Geography, we will learn about the similarities and differences between our town and Tulum, in Mexico. We will use atlases and globes to discover about the world, including the seven continents and five oceans, the countries, capital cities and surrounding seas of the UK and the equator and poles. We will develop fieldwork and map skills creating maps of the school and our local area. We will learn the geographical human and physical features of Tulum in Mexico and compare them to the features of our own local area.



In History, we will learn about famous explorers such as Charles Darwin and Neil Armstrong. We will find out more about their lives and make comparisons between their explorations. This will link to our Geography work as we will look at where in the world they explored and it will also link to our English work on Charles Darwin and being an explorer.



PSHE



Our topic is Physical Health and Mental Wellbeing. We will look at the importance of good sleep, having healthy teeth and the importance of good personal hygiene as well as the safety of medicines. We will look at how we change as we grow as well as naming parts of our body using correct terminology. We will also revisit the PANTS programme.

Music



For our singing topic we will be learning folk songs and creating sounds to represent 3 contrasting landscapes: seaside, countryside and city.

We will also use instruments to help us with storytelling. We will learn how events, actions and feelings within stories can be represented by pitch, dynamics and tempo.