Year 2 Curriculum leaflet Summer 1



Growing Plants & Animals Including Humans

The Weather





Reading & Writing

In English we will:

- read After the Fall and Blown Away
- write stories where characters need to overcome problems
- write instructions for how to be resilient
- plan and draft our own poems
- write a rhyming poem





Maths

We will be learning to:

- measure capacity, volume and mass
- estimate and measure in millilitres and litres
- weigh and compare mass in grams and kilograms
- apply addition and subtraction strategies to solve equations
- illustrate and explain addition and subtraction using column method

Science

We will be learning to:

- compare different conditions needed for plants to grow and be healthy
- observe animals growing over time
- notice that animals, including humans, have offspring which grow into adults
- find out about and describe the basic needs of animals including humans for survival

Geography

We will be learning about:

- seasonal and daily weather patterns in The United Kingdom
- the location of hot and cold areas in the world in relation to the Equator and North and South poles

PE

Year 2 has a PE lesson every **Tuesday** and **Friday**.

Please ensure your child comes to school in their school PE kit on these days.

The focus of our PE lessons this half term is running, jumping and throwing. We will use these skills during Sports Day in Summer 2.

RE & PSHE

In **RE**, we continue our focus on 'Sacred Books'. We will discuss lessons from different important religious stories.

In **PSHE**, we will learn about personal relationships with our friends and in families. We will identify what it means to be a good friend and learn to recognise individual qualities in one another.

Design Technology

Our focus will be textiles. We will create a simple bag. We will learn:

- how to create pattern pieces out of paper
- how to mark out designs on fabric using pattern pieces and chalk
- how to sew pieces of fabric together using a needle and thread