Year 2 Newsletter - Summer Term 2023

We are available on Dojo, please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any queries or questions.

Maths

This term we will learning about fractions and different forms of measurement: length, mass, volume and capacity and temperature. After that we will be learning about statistics before finishing the term with some work on position and movement.

We will be continuing to count in 2s, 5s and 10s so that the children can begin to apply this knowledge to learning their Times Tables.

The children have all been sent home with Times Table Rockstars log ins and it is lovely to see so many children accessing it at home.



History

In History we will be learning how significant events and inventions have changed the way we travel around. We will be looking at some significant individuals, such as George Stephenson and Amelia Earhart and the lasting impact they have had on our lives.

Geography

We will be learning about our local area through maps, aerial views and going out to explore. We will think about how the area has changed and why that may have happened.

R.E.

In Religious Education we will be learning different places of worship and then how religion impacts on people's lives.

Design Technology

We will be using different joining skills, including sewing, to make puppets.

Art

In art, we will be exploring the work of Henri Rousseau, specifically 'Tiger in a Tropical Storm' where we will create our own art in the style of Henri Rousseau.

Computing

This term we will be working on algorithms, initially through the use of Beebots and then using Scratch Junior.



English

In English, we will continue to focus on developing phonic knowledge and spelling, reading and writing.

We will be continuing to use The Write Stuff for our writing. This term we will be looking at a range of texts including Stardust (Fiction), What's Where on Earth Atlas (Non-fiction) and If I Were To Change The World (Poetry).



Reading

We will be continuing to use The Monster Phonics books to support our reading. New books will be sent home each Friday so please make sure that reading folders are returned on this day so that their book can be changed.

Spelling

The children will continue to have access to Spelling Shed and new spellings will be set each Monday, these spellings are the ones that are shown in their Monster Phonics spelling book.

Science

In Science we will be focussing on Living Things and Their Habitats and the Plants this half term.

We will be carrying out a number of investigations linked to growing plants, conditions for growth and we will be looking at life cycles - this will include watching caterpillars grown, pupate and turn into butterflies before we release them.

Important Information

PE Days: Our P.E. days:

Monday and Friday for both classes.

Please remember to send the children in their P.E. kits on these days and to remove all jewellery.