



Curriculum Information Leaflet

Primary 2

Term 2 2024/2025



Literacy

This term we will be continuing to develop our common words and phonics knowledge and will continue using word recognition strategies to help us read and identify words more easily. Children will be given daily opportunities for reading with our reading books, reading comprehension and our class library.

In writing, we are developing our grammar skills and focussing on being able to use question marks, exclamation marks and adjectives. Furthermore, in Talk for Writing we are continuing with our focus of Goldilocks and the Three Bears and are building up our knowledge of the story to be able to re-create it with our own twist!

We are continuing with our weekly spelling and dictation tests to strengthen our skills.

There will be plenty of opportunities to practise listening and talking across the curriculum through class discussion, working with other classes and participating in game-based activities in both individual and group work.

At home it would be beneficial to engage with daily reading, ask questions relating to the book and going over common words.

Numeracy

In numeracy this term, we are continuing to develop our knowledge of number processes and number bonds to help us progress. Our main focus will be on developing addition and subtraction skills, which will help us form a foundation for further mathematical concepts and relating it to real-life situations. In beyond number, we will also be exploring the topic of money.

Learning will be active, with plenty of opportunities for individual and group work through active stations and interactive games.

Social Studies

Our topic for this term is the book 'The Christmasaurus'. We will be doing a collaborative topic with Primary 1 and Primary 3, where we will explore the story and engage with a range of different activities and games! We will also be using this topic to prepare items for the Christmas fair.

Health and Wellbeing

PE sessions will continue to be on a Wednesday and Thursday, where the focus will be on dance and preparing for the Christmas show. (At home it would be beneficial to practise the dance and song learned. We can't wait to see it all come together!)

We will also focus on helping students understand the importance of developing healthy choices. This will include learning about healthy eating habits, exploring how different foods contribute to our well-being, and understanding balanced nutrition through the Eatwell Guide. Additionally, we'll explore the impact of food choices on energy, concentration, and overall health, empowering students to make informed, healthy choices in their daily lives.

Science

This term in science, our focus will be on understanding the Earth, its movement, and how it affects our daily lives. We will explore the concept of Earth's rotation and how this spinning motion on its axis is what causes day and night. Through engaging activities, students will learn why we experience daylight and nighttime.

Religious and Moral Education

This term in Religious Education, we will explore the season of Advent, focusing on its significance in the Christian faith as a time of preparation and reflection leading up to Christmas.

In addition to Advent, we will broaden our understanding by studying other world religions. Our goal is to help students appreciate the diversity of faiths around the world, encouraging respect, empathy, and curiosity about different cultures and beliefs. Through these studies, students will gain a deeper understanding of both their own traditions and those of others, fostering a more inclusive and open-minded perspective.



If you have any questions or concerns at any point, please do not hesitate to get in touch! Your partnership is greatly appreciated, and I am here to support you in any way I can.

Miss McCrindle