

Literacy

Fiction

The children will be looking at different versions of the story Hansel and Gretel, we will use this to develop a range of writing styles including diary entries, descriptive writing and a retelling of the story.

Poetry

The children will be looking at riddles, trying to solve some and creating their own!

Non Fiction

Children will also write a non-fiction report, looking at sorting and categorising information.

Science

Children are continuing to think about the topic **Everyday materials and their uses.**

Children will:

Find out how the shapes of solid objects made from some materials can be changed by squashing, bending, twisting and stretching.

Find out about some of the physical properties of different materials.

Children will also begin to think about the topic of:

Living things and their habitats. Children will:

Explore and compare the differences between things that are living, dead and things that have never been alive.

Identify that most living things live in habitats to which they are suited and describe how different habitats provide basic needs.

ICT and Computing

Programming

Children are continuing to use different programs to create words and pictures, using repeat commands. They are also looking at using apps within their school work.



Year 2 Dragons

Spring 1

Where can a book take me?

PE

The children will be taking part in a skipping festival.

Art & DT

Children will be learning about the artist Monet, as well as carrying out art linked to our book 'Flat Stanley'.

Music

Children will be learning new songs through the website 'sing up' and also exploring a range of instruments.

Enrichment

Trip to be announced...!

Maths

Multiplication and division:

Learn the 2x, 5x and 10x table and use arrays to help us solve multiplication and division problems. Looking at the inverse relationship between multiplication and division.

Fractions:

Recognise and find fractions of objects and numbers, as well as comparing fractions.

Geometry (properties of shape)

Identifying properties of 2D and 3D shapes.

Measures

Compare and order lengths, mass and volume and record their results.

History & Geography

Our topic work this half term will be based around a class story 'Flat Stanley' we will be learning about significant historic people and events.

We will also look at the location of the continents and oceans, as well as using compass directions and directional language.

RE and PSHE

Children will be following the 'Jigsaw' scheme of work for PSHCE.

Children will be learning about a Judaism this half term and sharing their work in assembly.