



Curriculum Plans – Year 2

Please find below a detailed outline of the curriculum covered in Year 2 in Key Stage 1.

Year 2

| | Block 1 | Block 2 | Block 3 | Block 4 | Block 5 | Block 6 | Block 7 |
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| Theme | <p>Treasures</p> <p>In block 1 the students will be learning about different localities.</p> <p>They will use maps to identify geographical features and create their own maps.</p> <p>They will develop basic research skills and explore ways we can improve the world we live in.</p> | <p>Learning to Learn</p> <p>In block 2 the students will be learning about living things.</p> <p>They will write their own stories about friendship.</p> <p>They will develop an understanding and respect for one another's individuality.</p> | <p>Celebrations</p> <p>In block 3 the students will be learning about celebrations</p> <p>They will learn about the histories of different cultures and create poems about their chosen celebration.</p> <p>They will use literacy skills when creating their poems and they will practise communication skills when they share their work.</p> | <p>Living things</p> <p>In block 4 the students will be learning about living things.</p> <p>They will explore where they might find different living things.</p> | <p>The Circus</p> <p>In block 5 the students will learn about the Circus.</p> <p>They will create their own circus acts to perform to an audience as a whole class.</p> <p>They will continue to develop their social skills when working collaboratively.</p> | <p>Food Glorious Food!</p> <p>In block 6 they will be learning about food and healthy eating.</p> <p>They will explore local and global cuisines and they will set up their own restaurant for parents to visit.</p> | <p>H2O</p> <p>In block 7 they will be learning about water and the environment.</p> <p>They will investigate which creatures live in water and will then create their own sea creature to write about.</p> |
| English Language & Literacy | They will write their own instruction and communication texts | They will study <i>Sister for Sale</i> and link to stories with similar settings, looking at family relationships. | They will study a variety of poetry and create their own poems. | They will study <i>Beauty and the Beast</i> and link to other traditional tales. | They will study playscripts and the key features. Their class text will be <i>Oh Gnome!</i> | They will study <i>Chocolate Planet</i> , a fiction text about fantasy worlds. | They will learn to write information texts and explanation texts. |
| Phonics | Throughout the year students will continue to develop their understanding and knowledge of phonics to improve reading and spelling. | | | | | | |
| Numeracy | The students will learn about place value and addition and subtraction. | They will learn about multiplication, division and data. | They will learn about addition, subtraction and shape. | They will learn about place value and fractions; addition and subtraction. | They will learn about multiplication and division and time. | They will learn about fractions, money and addition and subtraction. | They will be reviewing mathematical areas from the year. |