



From tiny seeds, grow mighty trees!

Class 2 Autumn Newsletter



Topic

Sensational Safari

Our Core Values



Homework



- Reading 3 times per week
- Weekly spellings
- TTRS for Year 2

Additional



- PE - Tuesday and Wednesday
- Water bottles needed daily
- Forest School begins
Wednesday 18th September

Our Curriculum Drivers

Perserverence

Confident Communicators

World Citizens

Healthy Body, Healthy Mind

Curriculum

As writers, we are learning to write in a wider range of sentences using a range of vocabulary to make our writing interesting. We are beginning to write for different purposes.

As Readers, we are using our phonic knowledge to decode tricky words. We are learning that reading opens our eye to the world we live in. We are answering simple questions about What we have read.

As Mathematicians, we are learning to recall simple number facts and use there to solve problems. Our focus will be on Place value, addition and subtraction and shape.

As Scientists, we will identify a variety of common animals and their habitats. We will look at food chains and compare the structure of a variety of animals.

As Historians, we will look at the significant African individuals - Nelson Mandela, and how he has impacted the world today.

As Geographers, we will use world maps to identify seven continents and five oceans. We will compare Kenya and Much Marcle. We will begin to use simple compass directions.

As Musicians, We will explore rhythms. We will look at African tribal songs, use call and response and have a go at using African drums.

As Artists, we will use a range of techniques seen in African art such as batiks, sand art and African tribal patterns.

As Computer Scientists, we will learn about online safety, explore how technology helps us in the wider world and have a go at coding.

As Sports People, we will practise throwing and catching, football skills and simple movement patterns creating African dances.

As Theologians, in RE we will discover what is means to belong to a faith community and think about why Christmas is important to Christians.

Curriculum Enhancements

Bristol Zoo Project 15th October 2024