

Half-Termly Curriculum Overview for Year 2

Ms Moses

Autumn Term 2

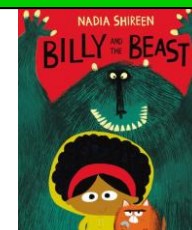
October - December 2023

Numeracy

To continue to practise strategies in addition and subtraction
Add and subtract 1s and 10s
Add and subtract 2 digit and 1 digit numbers; and 2 digit and 2 digit numbers

Literacy

We are reading 'Billy and the Beast' by Nadia Shereen
We will be writing character descriptions
Rewriting the story in our own words and writing our own version of this story
We are also looking at Poetry in " by Michael Rosen
We will be looking at noun phrases, verbs and learning about the past progressive form.
We will also be continuing our work on writing sentences with coordination and subordination - e.g. with: and / but / so / because



Topic



Our World

-Use maps and atlases to identify features of our world!
-Identify the continents, oceans of the world
-Learn about the different countries of the UK and the human and physical features of countries around the world

PSHE: Celebrating Difference

Children will be able to:
Consider similarities and differences between themselves and their peers
Explain how bullying makes people feel
Say how it feels to be and have a good friend

Religious Education

How does the symbol of light help us to understand the meaning of Christmas for Christians?



Music

The children will continue their learning on drumming and will be learning songs for our Christmas Show.



Physical Education:

*Team Games * Gymnastics
Children will develop their ball skills and use these in simple team games.
PE is on **Tuesday** and **Wednesday** this half-term.
Please bring in kits on Mondays and leave all week as this may sometimes change.

Computing

We will be finishing off our learning on Coding learning about algorithms and debugging.
We will also be learning about Online Safety and finding out that information put online leaves a digital footprint or trail.



Science:

Materials Monster

We will learn more about:
- Everyday materials (such as wood, metal, plastic, cardboard, etc)
- The uses and properties of materials
- How materials can be shaped and whether that shape can be altered (by bending, squashing and so on).

Parents

How Can You Help?

If your child is wearing shoes with laces, please ensure you are practising tying them with your child.

Reading: Children are expected to read every night and bring their book into school every day.

Maths: Download the 1 minute Maths App: <https://whiterosemaths.com/1-minute-maths>

Homework: Children will receive homework for Maths and English every Friday. Please allow time to talk to your child about their learning and encourage them to do their best.