



CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

AUTUMN TERM 2 YEAR 2

This half term Badgers and Foxes will be learning all about town and country.

If you want further information please contact Miss Ghunney or Mrs Giles

ENGLISH

We will be learning about writing fact files about animals and stories around the Piped Piper of Hamelin. The children will be focusing on using expanded noun phrases and different conjunctions to extend our writing.

MATHS

We will be learning about multiplication and division and looking at the links between them. This will involve making groups, adding equal groups and using repeated addition.

SCIENCE

The topic for this term is Animals and Humans. We will learn what animals and humans need for survival. We will be learning about balanced diets and the importance of hygiene.

HUMANITIES

In **GEOGRAPHY** we are learning about climates around the world.

This term in **RE** we learning about Christianity and the importance of celebrating Christmas.

PSHE

We will be celebrating our differences and understanding how everyone should be treated fairly. We will be learning about friendships.

MUSIC

Our lesson will be based on five of the movements from Carnival of the animals and composing music inspired by Bird Song.

PE

We have two PE lessons a week on a **Tuesday** and **Wednesday**.

This term we will be learning new balls skills e.g. dribbling, kicking, throwing, and also we will be working on team building skills. We will be doing activities based on team building skills and working well in a team and completing challenges.

ART

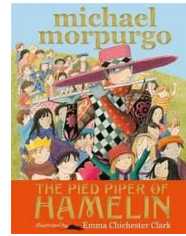
We will learn to draw and sketch in the style of Quentin Blake and use water colours to mix new shades and tones.

COMPUTING

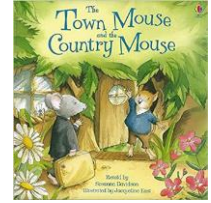
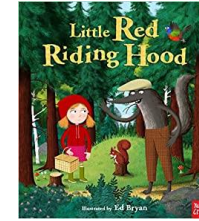
During this topic we will be learning about data handling and using the laptops to create tables, pictograms and graphs.

HOMEWORK BINGO IS DUE
MONDAY 18TH DECEMBER





BOOKS WE WILL BE READING



VOCABULARY

ENGLISH noun, verb, adjective, expanded noun phrase, conjunction

MATHS multiplication, division, sharing, groups of,

SCIENCE habitat, food chain, producer, consumer, desert, woodland,

GEOGRAPHY: climate, weather, region, desert, polar, equator, land, oceans

RE: Christian, Christmas, celebration, faith, respect, religion, cultures

PE: dribble, overarm, underarm, receive, collect, accuracy, target,

ART: water colours, oil pastels, illustrator, sketching, cartoon, drawing, grip

COMPUTING: recording, data, collection, tally chart, graph, pictogram.

PSHE: celebrating, differences, understanding, accepting, similarities

MUSIC: notation, beat, percussion

HOW YOU CAN SUPPORT AT HOME THIS TERM

Homework: Please complete the homework bingo with your child.

Maths: Learn all the pairs of numbers that make 10, 20, 50 and 100. This will help with mental maths recall.

English:

Writing – ensure that your child is using the correct pencil grip and handwriting style when completing any writing.

Reading and Phonics – Ensure that you read with your child at least 3 times a week. They will have a phonics reading book, to read themselves and a reading for pleasure book that you can read with them.

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HOMEWORK PICK AND MIX YEAR 2 AUTUMN 2

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Please complete one activity from each of the learning columns below: One creative, one English and one Maths, so in total you will have completed 3 different pieces of home learning.

ENGLISH

- **READING** – Practise reading the Year 1 and Year 2 Common Exception words. Challenge can you spell them all correctly too?
- **WRITING** – Write a Fact File about an animal, just like we have been doing in class.
- **WRITING** – Pick a few objects around your house and write descriptive sentences about them using expanded noun phrases.

My brown, soft teddy bear sits on my comfortable, squishy bed.

MATHS

NUMBER – Learn the 2, 5 and 10 times table at home. Can you write all the number sentences to match.

MEASURE Pick 10 items in your house using a ruler measure to see how many cm's they are and then order them from shortest to longest.

MENTAL MATHS – Play 10 levels on Numbots. Can you complete several challenges?

CREATIVE

RE- Can you create your own version of the Christmas Story. This can be written, drawn or in any other creative way you wish.

ART- Can you create your own picture/ painting of your favourite Roald Dahl character for your teacher to guess who you have painted or drawn.

SCIENCE – Can you draw a healthy balanced diet plate and label the foods and the food groups that it belongs to.