

YEAR 2



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Coming up next week... 9/12/2024

Maths

Learning in school:

In maths, children will be learning about 'shape':

- Recognise 2D and 3D shapes
- Count side and vertices on 2D shapes
- Draw 2D shapes
- Lines of symmetry to complete shapes

English, Reading & Fluency

Learning in school:

In English, children will be generating ideas by coming up with 'What if' questions and using these ideas to inspire a creative piece of writing.

Reading:

It is individual reads this week so please make sure your child's book is in their book bag.

Please continue to read at home and upload your comments onto the 'BoomReader' app.

SPAG

Learning in school:

Children will be working through the bridge to spelling unit and reviewing Phase 5 graphemes and tricky words. They will practise reading, writing sentences and spelling using these graphemes.

Topic

Learning in school:

History/Geography: Children will look at the explorer Felicity Aston and compare her to the explorer Matthew Henson.

RE: Children will be visiting the church and learning about the Christmas story.

PSHE: Children will looking at what it means to be kind and giving examples of how someone is being kind.

Art: Children will continue with their art module for this half term, which is called 'Painting and mixed media: Life in colour'.

Music: We will continue with their music module for this half term, which is called 'Orchestral instruments. Theme: Traditional Western stories'. Children will also start to practise singing the Christmas production songs.

Computing: We will continue with the module called 'creating pictures' module in Purple Mash

PE: For this half term, we will be looking at Dance.

Homework

Please look inside your child's homework book for this week's homework. Many thanks.

Additional notes and reminders

Please could children wear their PE kit to school on their class's PE days.
Please also ensure that no earrings are worn on their PE days, or that children can remove these themselves before the PE lesson.

Church visit - Wednesday 11th December

Year 2 Christmas performance - Thursday 12th December at 10.15am

Year 2 Christmas performance - Friday 13th December at 9.15am

Children will be wearing a Christmas jumper for their Christmas performance.

Thursday is Christmas lunch so the children will already be in a Christmas jumper. On

Friday, children will need to come to school wearing a Christmas jumper and they will be allowed to wear the jumper for the rest of the day too.

Class PE days are:

Bears - Monday and Wednesday

Leopards - Wednesday and Thursday

Monkeys - Wednesday and Friday

Class email addresses:

Please do not use these email addresses to tell us about changes to pick up, as we do not always have the opportunity to check the class email addresses during the school day.

Leopards: leopards@mead.surrey.sch.uk

Bears: bears@mead.surrey.sch.uk

Monkeys: monkeys@mead.surrey.sch.uk

Please note that as the week progresses it is sometimes necessary to change what is planned to meet the learning needs of the children and therefore changes to the above may occur.