### Curriculum Newsletter - Year 2



#### Our theme for this final half term is: Time for Change!

Summer Term 2



We will be:

### English

- Writing coherently in different styles ensuring that we include:
  - Different sentence types
  - A range of conjunctions
  - Correct punctuation
  - Neat & well-formed handwriting
  - Spelling words using the prefixes and suffixes which we have learnt
  - Correct spellings

#### Science

- Learning about plants, their different parts and their function.
- Investigating what a plant needs to grow.
- Learning about different food chains.

# R.E.

• Learning about different beliefs surrounding the concept of creation.

### Art

- Sketching a portrait.
- Drawing and painting self-portraits in the style of Picasso.

## Maths

- Learning about different measures. This includes; mass, capacity and length.
- Recapping addition and subtraction skills.

# Computing

- Creating and debugging simple programming sequences.
- Revisiting our skills!

### Music

- Learning a song with actions.
- Continuing to practise playing a simple tune on a tuned instrument.

# P.E.

• Continuing to develop our ball skills through learning how to play a range of different games.

# History

- Learning about a significant event Great Fire of London
- Learning about the importance of Florence Nightingale and why she is remembered.
- Understanding the impact of both these things in British History.

#### How you can support your child.

- Help your child to complete some Topic Homework suggestions.
- Be positive about your child's transition to Junior School, helping them feel confident to move on.
- Take time to talk with your child about their favourite experiences of Year 2.
- Continue to read with your child, little and often encouraging them to answer questions by looking back at the text and explaining how they know.

The Year 2 Team would like to thank you for all your support with your child's learning this year.