

Our Year 2 theme for this half term is:

Twisted Tales

We will be:



English

- Writing for different purposes ensuring that our work is clear for others to read.
- Looking at features of non-fiction texts
- Using a wider range of vocabulary and conjunctions in our writing.
- Spelling common exception words correctly.
- Punctuating sentences with capital letters, full stops, commas, apostrophes.
- Listening to a range of stories based on a similar character.

Maths

- Learning how to multiply.
- Reminding ourselves of our doubling and halving skills.
- Practising and applying the 2, 5 and 10 times tables.
- Dividing using sharing and grouping.
- Learning properties of shape.

Science

- Learning about basic needs for survival for animals and humans.
- Learning about different food groups.
- Exploring what makes a Healthy Lifestyle looking at diet, exercise and hygiene.

Music

- Learning how to set up and play a glockenspiel.
- Learn to play a piece of music keeping to a simple beat.

Computing

- Learning to use a coding programme on Purple Mash.

P.E.

- Learning how to travel in different ways.
- Balancing on mats using 1,2,3 or 4 points of contact.
- Balancing on different apparatus and then travelling between in interesting ways.

D.T

- Completing our Safari Buggies.
- Learning how food has changed over time (how it is prepared and how much we get).
- Designing and preparing a healthy snack.

Art

- Learning how to mix colours to match a tone.
- Developing our skills of using a paintbrush.

How can you help?

- Continue to read daily and not forgetting to fill in their Reading Stars bookmark.
- Make time to talk with your child about their reading book e.g. events, characters, vocabulary.
- Support your child to complete their Home Learning tasks this half term.
- Practise number bonds with your child with all numbers up to 20 e.g. $7+5=12$, $8+4=12$, $9+3=12$.