

### English

This half term, we will read and explore 'A Midsummer night's dream.' We will write a persuasive letter to the character Puk. We will also be exploring our text 'Elephant Me' and will be having a 'multi-skills' afternoon to allow us to write our own recount. Our lessons will include writing parts of a story, diary entries, instruction writing and being able to structure and write our own recount. We will be looking at how to edit our work too.

In our reading lessons we will also explore and read a variety of fiction and non-fiction texts and learn how to answer a range of questions using the text to support our answers. We will be focusing on the texts 'Elephant Me,' 'The owl who is afraid of the dark' and 'Rosie Revere Engineer.' We will also explore 'The Book of Planet Earth'.

### Grammar

We will be consolidating our understanding of conjunctions, correct punctuation, apostrophes and writing in the correct tense. We will be recapping over commas in a list and the use of different sentences within our writing. We will be looking at editing our work and seeing and when to use subordination and co-ordination in our writing.

### Spellings / Phonics

We will be learning and exploring a range of alternative graphemes and suffixes. We will be learning different rules for adding suffixes to words.

Our spellings will be focused on the alternative graphemes and suffixes we explore in class as well as a recapping a range of Year 1 and 2 words.

### Maths

This half term, we will be focusing on multiple things such as, fractions, time and mass and capacity. We will learn how to measure mass in grams and kilograms and compare and order mass. We will look at measuring in millilitres and litres and answer questions using the 4 four operations. We will learn to tell time at 'minutes to' the hour and understand that 45 minutes past is the same as 'quarter to'. Finally, we will look at fractions and how to find a half, a quarter and a third of an amount.

### Computing

In our computing lessons, we will be studying the topic 'Introducing AI.' In this unit, the children will be introduced to artificial intelligence (AI) basics through fun, interactive and engaging sessions. We will look at different aspects of AI and document our work in our own pupil journal which will strengthen our digital skills.



# Year 2



## Curriculum Map

### Term: Summer 1 (2025-2026)

### PSHE & Resiliency

This half term we will be studying 'Sex and Relationship Education'. We will learn about the differences and similarities in boys and girls, the biological differences between boys and girls, and we will be able to confidently label the male and female parts correctly. In our resiliency lessons, we will continue to explore the 7 Cs of resiliency such as character, connectedness and coping.

### Religious Education

In our RE lessons, we will be studying the question, 'What can we learn from sacred books?' We will look at what Jesus said about how to treat others, how Holy books are treated and different stories that are special to Muslims and Jewish people.

### Art

In Art, we are looking at the sculptor Pete Cromer. We will explore the work of Pete Cromer, learn how to draw similar shapes, make collages, do continuous line drawings and build our own creation using taught skills and inspiration.

### Science

In Science, we will be learning about living things and their habitats. We will look at a range of habitats, how animals are suited and well adapted to their habitat and the different food chains there.

### Geography

Our Geography topic this term is 'Kenya.' We will be able to identify Kenya on a map and know about its geographical features. We will also be able to know what life is like living in the Kenyan city, Nairobi, and we will learn that lots of food is made in Kenya.

### Music

This half term we will be learning the Friendship Song. We will listen to and discuss the music, play games related to finding the beat and the pulse of the song, and we will learn to sing this song using glockenspiels as accompanied instruments. We will perform this song to another class!

### Modern Foreign Languages - Spanish

In addition to our own Spanish lessons, we will have a specialist teacher who comes in every Wednesday to teach the children. Our topic for this half term is 'Summer'. Children will learn how to say different colours, animals, fruit. We will listen to and join in with parts of a song and story about ladybirds.

### Physical Education

In PE, we will be building our skills in 'touchdown' with our sports coach on Monday and 'dodgeball' on a Thursday. We will learn the rules of the games, learn how to throw, and catch the ball while moving and learn how to work together as a team.

### Enrichment

We will be visiting the 4D room in connection to our English. Shakespeare Week.

We will be having a 'multi-skills' afternoon linked to English. Science Fair.