English

This term we will read Zog, The Princess and the Castle and The Knight Who Wouldn't Fight. In addition to this we will be looking at a range of fact books about castles. We will be learning to write simple sentences using capital letters and full stops, adding interest to our written work through the use of adjectives.

Art

This term we will be creating Sun and Castle pictures in the style of the famous artist Paul Klee, using pencils and crayons.

We will create our own collage dragons using a range of media and we will also be making a rainforest themed hoop to display in the school library.

Curriculum Overview

Year 2 Term 1

Topic: In the Past

P.E

This term we will be having our PE lessons with Mr Scorer, we will be learning dance and gymnastics. We are also going to be having Forest School lessons with Mrs Dalton.

D.T

We will be designing and then making our own Castles in groups. We will use a range of materials and try to include many castle features such as battlements, drawbridges and turrets.

Computing

In computing we will be discovering what information technology means and looking at technology that is all around us. This will include thinking about the different devices we all use on a daily basis both at school and home.

Music

This term we are going to listen and appraise a range of music. We will also recognise how our voice is an instrument and learn to sing different songs as a group.



Maths

Our main focus for Maths this term will be place value. We will learn to order numbers to 100, count forwards and backwards to 20 and represent our numbers pictorially. We will also be completing daily arithmetic questions to help us become more confident with the four operations.

History

In history we will look at schools in the past and consider what is still the same and what is different. We will learn to use a timeline and discuss and question our findings about schools in the past.

PSHE

This term's topic is 'Being Me in My World.' We will consider and discuss 'rights and responsibilities,' with a particular focus on how this applies to our school environment.

RF

Our focus for this term is 'Who is Jewish and what does it mean to be Jewish.' We will look at what is important to Jewish people with a focus on celebrations.