

Numeracy

In order to help your child's mental maths skills you could practise counting up and down in 2's, 5's and 10's from any number.

Small number fact recall could be practised too.

The children should continue to use Hit the Button to practise times tables.



Homework will still be sent home on Friday (or allocated on Mathletics)

Literacy

Literacy will be taught through books, stories and poetry that are linked to our topics of 'God's Beautiful World' and 'Keeping Healthy'

The children will also be learning some poems by heart and performing them in front of the class.

I.C.T.

We will continue to develop our coding skills and find things out using the internet.

Science

We will continue our work on 'Materials' and after half term we will focus on 'Human basic needs, exercise, food and hygiene'.



Art

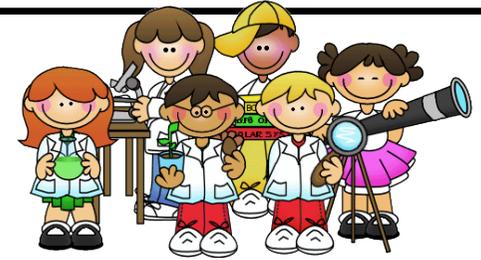
Our art work will link with our topics.

Mrs Garofalo (teaching assistant) will continue to help within our classroom during the week along with Mrs Duggan, Mrs Gallagher and Mrs Mulligan.

YEAR 2

INFORMATION

Spring Term 2018



Happy New Year!

Thank you for all the Christmas good wishes, and the very generous Christmas gift. They were very much appreciated.

This leaflet will give you some general information about the topics we will be working on this term.

Please don't hesitate to speak to me on the playground if you or your child have any questions or concerns.

Reading:

Your child will continue to have their books from the banded reading scheme changed each week on a Monday. They will be given two books to last them a week.

After hearing your child read it would be most helpful if you could record this by writing a comment in their reading diary.

They will also be able to bring a book home to share with you from the class library, which are chosen for interest and enjoyment. Please read these books with, and to your child, as this will make a great difference to their progress towards independent reading.



Topic

Year 2's topics this Spring Term are 'God's Beautiful World' and 'Keeping Healthy'.

In the first half term we will be finding out about countries, continents, oceans, weather and climates around the world.

After half term we will learn about keeping healthy.

Our D.T. project will be food based! More details nearer the

R.E.

This term's topics are:

Books
Thanksgiving
Opportunities

P.E.

Year 2's P.E. sessions will continue to be on a Monday and Thursday. It would be helpful if you could make sure that your child keeps their full kit in school. All children need a pair of well fitting plimsolls or trainers, a plain white tee shirt, some shorts and a pair of jogging bottoms. Girls will also need to keep a pair of socks in their bag to put on for PE on days when they are wearing tights with their uniform.

If your child wears earrings please ensure that they are not worn to school on P.E.

