

Year 2
Learning Links
Autumn 1 (18/19)



Welcome to a
New School Year!

In Maths this half term we will be developing our counting and calculating skills

<p><u>I can read and write numbers</u></p> <p>1 one 13 thirteen</p> <p>2 two 30 thirty</p>	<p><u>I can partition numbers</u></p> <p>14 56 145</p> <p>↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓</p> <p>10 + 4 50 + 6 100+40+5</p>
<p><u>I can write numbers in order</u></p> <p>2, 5, 1, 7</p> <p>1 2 5 7</p> <p>30, 13, 31, 33, 3</p> <p>3 13 30 31 33</p>	<p><u>I can round numbers to the nearest 10</u></p> <p>34 to the nearest 10 67 to the nearest 10</p> <p>is 30 is 70</p> <p>1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9</p> <p>← →</p> <p>Round down Round up</p>

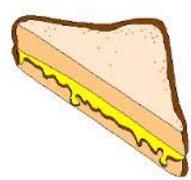
In English we will be following and writing our own instructions.

Beginning	<p>Introduction:</p> <p>Would you like to know how to make a delicious cheese sandwich?</p> <p>Follow these instructions to find out.</p>
Middle	<p>What to do:</p> <p>First take 2 slices of bread.</p> <p>Spread butter on both slices.</p> <p>Put the cheese on top of one slice.</p> <p>Then put the other slice on top.</p> <p>Cut the sandwich in half.</p>
Ending	<p>Remember to be careful with the knife.</p>

Full stop

Verb

Capital letter



Command sentence

English

We will be applying our phonic knowledge and skills so that our reading becomes fluent.

We will listen to, discuss and express views about a wide range of poetry and stories.

We will check that the text makes sense as we read.

We will recognise reoccurring literary language in stories and poems.

We will develop our spelling strategies.

We will develop our stamina for writing by: writing narratives about personal experiences and real events.

We will be able to read what we have written with appropriate intonation to make the meaning clear.

We will learn how to use sentences with different forms; statements, question, exclamation and command.



Maths

We will count in steps of 2, 3, and 5 from 0, and in tens from any number, forward and backward.

We will recognise the place value of each digit in a two-digit number (tens, ones).

We will identify, represent and estimate numbers using different representations, including the number line.

We will compare and order numbers from 0 up to 100; use <, > and = signs.

We will read and write numbers to at least 100 in numerals and in words.

We will use place value and number facts to solve problems.

We will solve problems with addition and subtraction using concrete objects and pictorial representations.

We will recall and use addition and subtraction facts to 20 fluently, and derive and use related facts up to 100.



Science

We will learn about the seasonal changes that take place in Autumn

We will learn about the features of a woodland habitat and the plants and animals that live there.

We will learn about the basic needs of humans for staying healthy, including the importance of a balanced diet.



Geography/History

We will name and locate the worlds seven continents and and five oceans.

We will name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of the United Kingdom and its surrounding areas.

We will learn about Christopher Columbus's life and his journey to the New World.



Art/DT

We will develop our art and design techniques in using colour and pattern.

We will learn about how the artists Kandinsky and Mondrian used colour and pattern in their artwork.



Music

We will develop our knowledge of pulse in music.

We will develop our understanding of pitch, and practise using our voices to sing in tune.

We will listen to and appraise music from and inspired by South Africa.

We will begin to learn to play, improvise and compose simple parts on tuned percussion.



PSHE

We will be setting goals for the year. We will talk about goals and why they are important.



RE

We will be exploring special days, signs, symbols, stories and places of worship that are important to the Hindu religion.



PE

We will develop movement skills and become increasingly competent and confident in a range of physical activities to extend our agility, balance and co-ordination.



Computing

We will use technology purposefully to create, organise, store, manipulate and retrieve digital content.



Please see learning links leaflet for more details of how you can help your child this half term

We look forward to seeing you at our welcome meetings and workshops this half term

Our World

What's on the other side of the world?

These are the facts we will be learning this term



7 Continents of the World

Asia
Africa
Europe
North America
South America
Australia
Antarctica

Vocabulary

Continents	Large areas of land
Oceans	Large areas of salt water that cover most of the earth
Countries	Parts of continents with their own rulers and culture
Equator	An imaginary line around the middle of the Earth, where the hottest places are.
North and South Poles	The furthest north and south places in the world. Very cold!

5 Oceans of the World

Atlantic
Pacific
Indian
Southern
Arctic



The United Kingdom



The United Kingdom of Great Britain is a country in Europe. It is made up of four smaller countries.

England



England is where we live. The capital city is **London**.

Scotland



Scotland is in the north. The capital city is **Edinburgh**.

Wales



Wales is in the west. The capital city is **Cardiff**.

Northern Ireland



Northern Ireland is part of another island to the west. The capital city is **Belfast**.



"In fourteen hundred and ninety two,
Columbus sailed the ocean blue.
He had 3 ships and left from Spain,
He sailed through sunshine, wind and rain."

Christopher Columbus

- 1 Christopher Columbus was an **Italian explorer**.
- 2 He was **born in 1451** in Italy.
- 3 He started **sailing** when he was **13 years old**.
- 4 He learnt to find his way at sea using **the sun, the stars and a compass**.
- 5 He completed **4 voyages** across the Atlantic Ocean.
- 6 He **died in 1506** in Spain, when he was 54 years old.

Journey to the New World

- 1 Columbus wanted to find a new way to get to the Far East to trade.
- 2 He persuaded the King and Queen of Spain to give him the money he needed for the journey.
- 3 His 3 ships were The Nina, The Pinta and the Santa Maria. They set sail on 3rd August 1492.
- 4 He arrived in North America on 12th October 1492, in The Bahamas.
- 5 Columbus and his crew did not know they were in North America, so they called it the 'New World'.
- 6 Lots of people already lived in North America, but Columbus was one of the 1st people from Europe to travel there.

