

Spring Term 2022

Year 2

Values: **Respect, Love (Compassion), Forgiveness.**

Enrichment

Trips: Watford Mosque

Clubs: Tennis Club on Monday after school, Dance Club on Tuesday after school and Yoga Club on Friday after school will be offered for Year 2 pupils this term. Please check your emails for further details and contact the office if your child wishes to join these clubs. .



Literacy

We have two key texts this term: The Girl and the Dinosaur and Leaf. We will use these texts to develop our vocabulary, explore grammatical features of sentences, use expanded noun phrases, apply suffixes to words, write for different purposes, read back what we have written and make any changes to our writing. We will continue working on reading strategies with whole class guided reading. We will also have Book Week this term with further details to follow.

Mathematics

In Maths this term we are looking at comparing money, looking at measures and using different scales, and learning the written method for both addition and subtraction. We are also going to be looking at telling the time on an analogue clock to the nearest five minutes. We will apply our new strategies and reasoning to problem solving questions.

RE

We will be learning about Muslim faith including beliefs and values We will also learn about Christianity and the Easter story.

Science

Chemistry: Describe changes in materials by applying different force. Select and justify a material for a particular use.
Physics: What are sources of light?
Biology: Basic needs of humans, the importance of diet and exercise, plant life cycles and micro-habitats.

Humanities

Geography: My local school area, Belfast Northern Ireland, climate change and the North/South Poles.
History: What was our school building location in the past? Who are influential people within Watford F.C.? What is Rosa Park's legacy?

Computing

We are going to be looking at how cameras work, and taking pictures with our cameras, and also testing games, and how to stay safe online.

Art & DT

The EatWell plate to create a balanced meal. To use wheels and axles. Drawing with pencil. Painting in a monochromatic style. Clay sculpture.

PE

We are very lucky to have a tennis coach in to lead one of our sessions for half a term. We will also be doing a gymnastics unit and learning some target games, as well as invasion tactics.

PSHE: We will be discussing dreams and goals we have for ourselves, including working cooperatively to achieve an end product. We will learn about being health, including mental and physical health.

Music: We will be returning to the pieces of music we listened to in the Autumn term. We will Perform by making long and short pounds with our voices, take part in singing by following the melody, identify the beat in a tune, compose our own short rhythmic phrases and sequence sounds. We will also describe the music we listen to by recognising changes in pitch, dynamics and timbre.

Spanish: We will be learning and revising how to say the days of the week, months of the year, numbers to 10 and colours in Spanish this term.