

Curriculum Overview— YEAR 2

Autumn 2—2018



English

Texts/Genres

- Super worm / Narrative
- Writing leaflets about insects and mini-beasts
- Recount about the 'Bug Man'
- Winter poems
- The Snowman / Instructions
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At home:

Read a variety of fiction books about insects and non-fiction books.
Complete all homework and try to visit your local library.
Ward End Library is our local library.

Maths

Unit: Money

- Counting money—coins
- Counting money—notes
- Showing equal amounts of money
- Comparing amounts of money
- Calculating the total amounts
- Finding change
- Solving two-step word problems

Unit: Multiplication

- Making equal groups
- Multiplication as equal groups
- Adding equal groups
- Multiplication sentences
- Using arrays
- 2 times table
- 5 times table
- 10 times table
- Solving word problems—multiplication

Extended Curriculum

Art & Design

- Develop a wide range of art and design techniques in using colour, pattern, texture, line, shape, form and space

D&T

- Understand where food comes from
- Select from and use a wide range of materials and components, including construction materials, textiles and ingredients, according to their characteristics

Geography

- Use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of their school and its grounds and the key human and physical features

PSHE

Theme: 'Remembrance Day'

The children will learn to:

- Know and understand the significance of Remembrance Day.
- Children will learn about social prejudice and the impact on society.



Year 2

Topic:

Wriggle and Crawl

R.E

The children will learn about:

- The Christmas Story
- Remembrance Day

Music

Charanga Musical School

A Christmas song by Joanna Mangona and Jane Sebba. The children will focus on one song: Ho Ho Ho—a Christmas song. They will Listen and Appraise other styles of music and continue to embed the interrelated of music through games, singing and playing.

Computing

The children will learn to:

- Organise, store, manipulate and retrieve data in a range of digital formats.
- Understand what algorithms are and how they are implemented as program on digital devices.

At home:

Please ensure that your child knows how to keep safe whilst using the internet.

Visits/visitors

Bug Man will visit Year 2 this half term

Science

Theme: Habitats

The children will:

- -Identify that most living things live in habitats to which they are suited and describe how different habitats provide for the basic needs of different kinds of animals and plants, and how they depend on each other
- -Identify and name a variety of plants and animals in their habitats, including micro-habitats
- -Identifying and classifying
- -Gathering and recording data to help in answering questions.
- -Observing closely, using simple equipment
- -Asking simple questions and recognising that they can be answered in different ways

PE

Theme: 'Invasion Games'

The children will learn the skills of:

- Balance, co-ordination, running, skipping and jumping
- Awareness skills, stopping, carrying, controlling and moving with a ball