



FOX CLASS Year 2

Curriculum Information: Autumn 2 Term 2021

Mathematics

This year the school will continue to use the "Maths No Problem" scheme and complementary lessons alongside it. This creates lots of different lessons for the children. This term, the children will be focusing on multiplication and measurement.

Values

The school focus for this first term is **Friendship**. We will be thinking about how our friends help us and how we can help our friend. As well as what makes a good friend.



English



This term, we look at a variety of different texts, including poems and folk tales from your topic this term; The British Isles. We will continue to focus on building strong and varied vocabulary banks for the children to use in their writing. Work on the children's hand writing continues this term, looking at size, fluency and the beginnings of joining. Phonics is still a key focus for Year 2 this term as we think about spotting those sounds we have looked at in term 1 throughout the work we look at and produce. The children will also continue to read every day as well as share a class book together. Using the VIPERS scheme, the children look at vocabulary, Inference and Predictions of and within texts.

Our **topic** for this term is:

The British Isles

What are the tales of these lands? What are the people and cultures like of these places? What are the capital cities? What is the history of the British Isles?



Art & DT

Year 2 will be investigating colour, shape, texture, contrasts and the work of several different artists, as well as pieces representing Remembrance.

History/Geography

We begin the term thinking about WW1 and 2 and linking this in with Remembrance Day. We will create poppies for display as well as understanding their significance. Linking in without Topic this term, we will look at tales from the past of the countries that make up the British Isles as well as locating these places on maps in context of the world.

P.E

The children will continue to come to school wearing their PE kits on our PE days. They continue to be on Monday and Friday. We are using the Real PE scheme which builds on children's team work skills as well as their own awareness of their bodies. We will also be having weekly yoga lessons so relax and stretch the children's bodies as well as working on core strength and balance.

Science

We will be building on the children's knowledge of water; its properties, uses and functions. We will be experimenting with different materials that float and how Water can change to state of another particle.

R.E.

This term Fox class will continue to look at Judaism and the celebrations such as Hanukkah and then we turn our attentions to celebrating Christmas.



Computing

We did not get to use this Chrome books in the first term, so we aim to have the children using them every fortnight over the next. They will be using them to research maps and countries.

