

English: Reading and Writing

In our reading this term, the books we are looking at are 'The Curious Garden', 'Greenling' and 'Jack and the Beanstalk'. We will be using drama to explore key terms throughout as well as answering a variety of questions using our inference and retrieval skills.

This term, we will be writing a non-chronological report, letter and diary entry using these books for inspiration. In terms of grammar, the children have now been taught all the concepts for Year 2 so this term will be spent securing their confidence in using them in different writing contexts.

Maths:

This term we are continuing our measure unit: this includes the measure of length and measure of mass. Children will learn the abbreviations of measure (e.g. cm, m, g, kg) as well as being able to calculate and read units of measure.

We will also be exploring and learning about measuring temperature and volume. Children will be able to use beakers and jugs to measure capacity as well as a range of thermometers to measure the temperature of water.

We will end the term recapping all of what the children have learnt over this year in preparation for Year 3.

Things to know:

PE is now on a Thursday and the children will need an appropriate PE kit to get changed into.

Our school trip to Hunstanton beach is on Friday 15th July.

Year 2 – Summer Term 2 – The Scented Garden

Wider Curriculum

Science: This term we are exploring plants and what they need in order to grow. We will extend this further to humans, what we need to grow and the changes humans go through in their life cycle.

Geography: We will be comparing the climates of the Sahara Desert and Antarctica using a variety of sources.

Computing: Our computing is based on programming quizzes. We will be exploring how to create a quiz online including different types of questions to ask.

RE: Our RE this term is focused on special and sacred places. We will be learning about the sacred places of worship for different religions.

Music: Our music this term is re-visiting all the songs we have learnt this year, practising them with different instruments.

