English:

In Writing, the children will explore the story 'Daisy's Dragons'. They will use the story to write their own non-chronological text of a made-up dragon and will then write a set of instructions on how to catch a dragon.

After half term, the children will plan and write their own narrative based on an alternative fairy tale.

Reading:

In Reading, the children will continue to attend their daily phonics sessions. They will develop their comprehension skills and will be exposed to a range of longer texts.

Computing:

In Computing, the children will continue to develop their understanding and knowledge of online safety. They will explore digital photography and will use the tablets to develop their understanding of taking photos.

Art and DT:

In Art, the children will explore and create maps through various art forms, including drawing and print making.

In DT, the children will learn how to sew a running stitch ready to design, make and decorate a pouch.

Home Learning:

Home learning will continue to be sent home on a Friday and be returned by the following Thursday. This will consist of spellings, reading their Phonics book, an English task and a Maths task.

Maths:

In Maths, the children will continue to deepen their understanding of fractions. They will learn how to find a half, a quarter and a third of a shape or an amount. They will learn to tell the time past the hour and to the hour in 5-minute intervals. The children will explore different forms of measure and will use statistics to interpret different data. They will continue to deepen their understanding of the 2, 5, 10 and 3 times tables.

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Geography:

Our big question is: What is it like to live by the coast? During this topic, the children will learn to name and locate the seas and oceans surrounding the UK in an atlas. They will identify physical features of coastlines and will determine their position by using compass directions.

History:

During the second half term, the children will be learning about what a monarch is. They will explore William the Conqueror and how he became King of England.

Physical Education:

This term the children will have PE on **Tuesdays** and **Wednesdays**.

The children will be taking part in a range of different athletic activities followed by team games such as rounders.

Religious Education:

Our big question for the first half term is: Why are prayers and blessings important to Jewish people? The second half term will focus on what might Christians learn about God from stories?

Skills for Life

We follow the SCARF curriculum and this term, Year 2 will be looking at the topics of 'Being my Best' and about the choices we make, followed by 'Growing and Changing'. Plans are on the website.

Music:

In Music this term, the children will develop their understanding of using dynamics and will use a range of instruments to experiment with different sounds.

Science:

The children will be learning about plants. They will explore the differences between a bulb and a seed. They will expand their knowledge of the life cycle of a plant.

In the second half term, the children will explore habitats from around the world. They will develop their understanding of how animals have adapted to survive.

Forest School

Every Monday afternoon, Year 2 will have a Forest School session with Mrs Haward. Children should come to school in their Forest School clothes and appropriate footwear to suit the weather. These should be old clothes which may get muddy.