

Writing

In our writing lessons, we will be focusing on securing the basics for sentence writing: capital letters, end stop punctuation, finger spaces and checking for sense.

We will do this through writing a letter, character and setting descriptions and a short story.

To support your child at home, encourage them to write. The children also love correcting mistakes made by adults!

Spelling

Each week, the children learn a new spelling rule which they will be tested on the following week. The spelling rule and words will come home with your children so that they can practise.

Spelling tests are on Wednesday.

Maths

This half term in Year 2, the children will be learning about multiplication and division. We will explore the concepts of multiplying and dividing by 2, 3, 5 and 10. We will be learning to tell the time on analogue clocks.

Please encourage your child to practise reading the time off of a clock at home.

Children will start to learn their 2, 5 and 10 times tables which they can practise on TT Rockstars.

Science

In Science, the children will learn about habitats. They will explore the school environment and see which mini-beasts live in microhabitats. We will also learn about the characteristics of living things so that the children can identify what is a living thing.

Spring 2 - Paddington

Year 2 Topic Overview

Computing

This half term, the children will be using 2count on Purple Mash to collect data. They will then learn how to use this data to create pictograms to represent their data. The children will also develop their ability to sort data.

Geography

The children will be learning about Peru and London.

We will be using atlases and globes to support our learning.

Art

The children will be learning different skills and techniques to create a Paddington sculpture out of clay.

PE

PE is every **Monday**. Dance is every **Wednesday**.

This half term the children will be learning about bat and ball skills. They will develop striking using bat focusing on contact, direction and control.