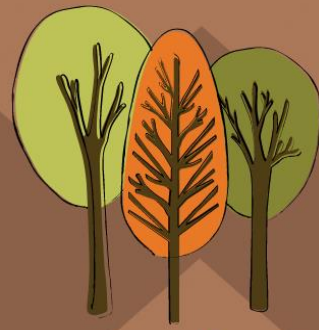




Year 2

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Reading



This term we will be reading *Click Clack Moo*, *The Secret Sky Garden*, *The Proudest Blue*, *Paddington* and a book about Mae Jemison.

Writing



We will focus on instructional writing, recounts about personal experiences and character description. The latter will be inspired by the text *Beegu*.

Maths



Children will focus on developing their understanding of place value. They will also learn efficient addition and subtraction strategies and learn the 2, 5 and 10 times tables.



Science

This term, we will focus on everyday materials and their properties. We will perform simple tests using different materials and record data in different ways.



Humanities

In Geography, learn to navigate our local area using maps. In History, we will learn about significant people who have changed the way we live today.



Computing

We start by learning about online safety and then we will learn how to use Powerpoint.



Art & DT

We will be exploring different painting and printing techniques. We will be exploring mechanisms and textiles.



Music

We will be expressing mood and feelings in music making, culminating in 2-part 'Call and Response' songs. We will start to use line graphics to show pitch and duration of notes.



PSHE and Religion & Worldviews:

In PSHE, our units are 'Being Me In My World' and 'Celebrating Difference'. In RW, we will look at Hindu beliefs and the Christian celebration of Christmas.

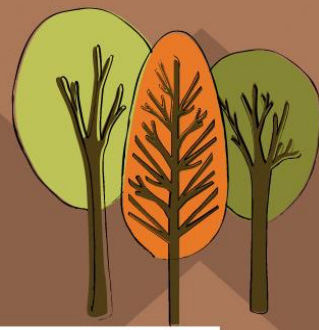
PE

The children will take part in dance, gymnastics and invasion games.





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Miss Charbonneau and Mr Fenn are the Year 2 teachers. Mrs Pead and Mr O'Sullivan are our Teaching Assistants.

Key Information

The school gate opens at 8.35am and closes promptly at 8.45. The school day ends at 3.15pm.

First half term

- 2ZC - P.E on Thursday, Forest School on Tuesday

- 2PF - P.E on Tuesday and Thursday

Second half term

- 2ZC- P.E on Tuesday and Thursday
- 2PF - P.E on Thursday, Forest School on Tuesday

Key Dates



- 14/10/24 and 15/10/24

Parents' Evening

- 27/10/25 to 31/10/25

Half term break

- 28/11/25 – PD day

School closed to pupils

- 19/12/25 - Last day of term

- 6/1/26 – Pupils return to school

Contact



To contact your class teacher, please use Class Dojo.



Please contact the school office to report absences:
01473 683932



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Homework



To become fluent and enthusiastic readers it is recommended that children read daily, and we expect the children do at least a minimum of 5 reads per week.

In addition, please use Times Table Rock Stars to develop their times tables.

Helping each other to aim high...



Aspiration



Nurture



Collaboration



Curiosity