

English

Fiction writing

Key Texts: 'Aliens Love Underpants' by Claire Freedman and 'Man on the Moon' by Simon Bartram

Inferring, predicting, planning and retelling stories

Empathising with characters and writing character descriptions

Non fiction writing

Information text- 'Sun, Moon and Stars' by Stephanie Turnball:

- Features of non-fiction text

- Using the text to investigate space

Grammar and Punctuation

Revising correct sentence punctuation, introducing the idea of editing work for missing capital letters and full stops

Begin to punctuate sentences using question marks and exclamation marks

Join two sentences with a variety of conjunctions

Use adjectives and nouns

Spelling

We will be learning how to spell words with the following rules: kn, gn, wr, ce, dge, ge, j

Spell common exception words independently

Handwriting

Continuing to learn joins and use in all work

Using the correct size capital letter compared to a lower case letter

Reading

Reading with expression

Answering and asking questions about what they have read

Making inferences.

Art & Design & Technology

Explore the properties of different types of paper

Use paper to make a stained glass window

Use paper to make a collage

Make a papier mache model of a planet

Mathematics

Place Value

Counting in steps of 2, 3, 5 and 10

Read and write numbers to at least 100

Understand the value of the digits in a two digit number and be able to say 10 more or 10 less than the number

Compare and order numbers to 100

Use place value and number facts to problem solve

Addition and Subtraction

Know number facts to 20, understand that addition is commutative whilst subtraction isn't

Use concrete materials to solve addition and subtraction problems

Mental addition and subtraction

The inverse relationship between addition and subtraction and use this to solve missing number problems

Reason about numbers e.g.. Which number is greater 31 or 13. Explain why.

French

Asking and answering questions about how they are feeling

Building vocabulary on colours, numbers, food and animals

Space Marsh Class

Computing

Building knowledge on algorithms as a sequence of instructions to program a spaceship to move around the screen.

Religious Education

Christianity—Harvest festival

Islamic New Year

PHSE and SEAL

New beginnings, what makes us special, respecting others, friendships, what to do if someone is doing something you don't like, treating others the way you would like to be treated

Trips

Science museum—materials workshop and space exhibition

Tuesday 25th September

Science

Materials

Differentiate between the name of an object and the material which has been used to make it.

Describe the properties of materials

Think about the suitability of a material for particular uses

Explore how to change the shape of a material

Conduct a scientific enquiry including: making predictions, recording results and drawing conclusions

Space

Understanding the basic human needs for survival.

Working Scientifically:

Asking questions about space and how it differs from Earth

Geography/ History

Geography:

Identify weather patterns on Earth and how they may differ on different planets

History:

Learn about the first women to walk in space; 'Svetlana Saviskaya'

Research the first landing on the moon

Black history month

Physical Education

Health and Fitness

Team games including throwing, catching, kicking a ball

Music

Experimenting with making music using basic instruments and body percussion



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Dates for the diary

Richmond Running Festival—*15th and 16th September*

Parents Curriculum Brief—*Monday 24th September*
5.30pm

Year 2 Trip to the Science Museum—*Tuesday 25th September*

Scooter Training- *Thursday 27th September*

Macmillan Coffee Morning—*Friday 28th September*

Drama4all workshop—*Thursday 18th October*

Harvest Concert—*Thursday 18th October—2.30pm*

End of Half Term— *Friday 19th October*



Year 2

Autumn 1 Term 2018

This booklet will give you an insight into the different aspects of the curriculum we will be covering during this half term. During this half term your child will be learning all about Space. They will be incorporating their learning about space within their science, English and topic learning;
reading a range of non-fiction books .

Our main learning this term will be focusing on:

- In English— To infer and predict, proof reading their work to make sure they are beginning to punctuate their work correctly.
- In Maths— the children will continue to consolidate place value and number knowledge using addition and subtraction to further secure their understanding.

Please use our 'open door' policy to share any concerns or worries that you have about your child. We are here to help and support you and ensure that your child has an enjoyable experience in Year 2.

Kind regards,

Deer Park Team