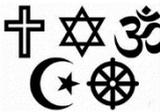


# Parent Curriculum Overview

Summer Term 1 2021 (Year 2)

<p><b>ENGLISH</b></p> <p>This half term we will be looking at writing more non-fiction based texts. This will include poetic writing. The main text we will use to encourage this is called "Tell me a Dragon".</p> <p>I will also be placing a lot of focus on our spellings this term in lots of ways. One thing I would ask you all is to have a look at our Sir Linkalot spelling app at home. Send me your quiz results or shoutouts for lots of dojo points!</p>  <p>Please make sure you are reading at home. Aim for 10 minutes a day. We will be checking all reading records every Monday and I will add your points to our reading race!</p>	<p><b>MATHEMATICS</b></p> <p>In maths we will be exploring fractions using a variety of representations, including some lots of practical ways too. Towards the second half of half term we will be exploring different units of measurement such as height, distance and time.</p> <p>I will also be promoting coverage of our times tables as we had to learn the entire module through lockdown. Please check out Times Table Rockstars and look out for any challenges I may set too,</p> 
<p><b>SCIENCE</b></p> <p>In our science we will be focussing on human lifestyle (part of our animals and humans module). We covered this briefly during lockdown but as we're back in school we can make use of lots of practical tasks in different groups. In this unit we will look at stages of growth, diet, dental hygiene and more.</p> 	<p><b>TOPIC (History)</b></p> <p>This half term we will be learning about major events that contributed to the civil rights movement. We will be looking at the lives of Rosa Parks and Nelson Mandela. We will be specifically exploring their actions which helped contribute to the civil rights movement.</p> 
<p><b>COMPUTING</b></p> <p>In computing we will be exploring different forms of animation and programming.</p> 	<p><b>Design and Technology</b></p> <p>In DT we will be exploring mechanisms such as pulleys and levers. We will investigate how these are used in day-to-day life such as children's toys.</p> 
<p><b>PSHE</b></p> <p>In PSHE we will be exploring relationships and how we can all look out for one another. We will also spend some time going over online safety which we briefly covered during lockdown.</p> 	<p><b>PE</b></p> <p>This half term, our two units will be "Handball" and "Football". Our timetabled PE days are <b>Thursday and Friday</b>. We ask that you bring in full PE kit to get changed into on Thursdays. On Friday, the pupils will not need to get changed however they can put on some trainers instead.</p> 
<p><b>RE</b></p> <p>In RE we will explore different cultures and their definitions of "belonging". We will explore how this links to our school values.</p> 	<p><b>MUSIC</b></p> <p>Our music lessons will be looking at a song about friendship which will come with a lot of fun activities to get involved with.</p> 
<p><b>Home Learning</b></p> <p>Please aim to spend 10 minutes a day either on DoodleMaths or TT Rockstars. To improve spellings have a look at Sir Linkalot at home and send me your quiz results or shoutouts! We will also be</p>	<p><b>Important Information</b></p> <p>Please aim to bring in a healthy snack for school and a drink of water. Squash will be allowed at lunchtime only. Full PE kit will be needed on Thursday and trainers on Friday.</p>

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checking reading records which I will be rewarding lots of dojos for. If you have read the book 3 times or scored 80% comprehension we will change your book. If you need any information about this please contact me any time.

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