



Year 2 Spring 1 Newsletter

<p>OUR TOPIC FOR THIS HALF TERM:</p> <p>In RE, we will be looking in depth at Judaism, discussing things that are important to this faith, sacred items, places and beliefs. In our Science lessons, we will be learning about animals including humans, looking at offspring and how they change and the effects of healthy eating and exercise on the human body. We are getting creative in Art by making sculptures. In Computing, we will be looking at the different tools we can use to create a digital painting.</p>	<p>KEY LEARNING IN MATHS:</p> <p>In Maths we will be exploring money. In this topic we will be consolidating our recognition of coins, adding and subtracting money to find change.</p> <p>We will then be moving on to multiplication and division where we will look in depth at the 5, 10 and 2 times tables, followed by more formal methods of calculating multiplication and division problems.</p>	<p>USEFUL VOCABULARY:</p> <p><u>Science</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Offspring• Reproduction• Growth• Child• Exercise• Heartbeat• Breathing• Hygiene• Germs• Disease	<p>USEFUL VOCABULARY:</p> <p><u>Art</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 3D shape• Sculpture• Join• Material• Structure• Base• Balance• Connect• Arrange
<p>OUR QUALITY TEXT:</p> <p>In English we will be looking at 'The Three Little Pigs'. We will be retelling and creating our own version of the story.</p>	<p>HELPING AT HOME:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• It is important you help your child practice their times tables at home. In Year 2, we learn our 10x, 5x and 2x tables but we will be moving onto the 3 times table too.• It is important that you read with your child as much as possible (at least 3 times a week) using their RWI books as these are familiar reads your child will be confident with. It is also important to read to your child to help them to foster a love of reading and develop their language acquisition skills.	<p>WHERE CAN YOU FIND OUT MORE?</p> <p>You can use these websites to find out about your child's learning at home.</p> <p>RE; Judaism https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nmjv4Zns4ME</p> <p>Science: Lesson: Young animals KSI Science Oak National Academy</p>	
<p>Reminders</p> <p>Please send your child with a water bottle</p> <p>Please record reading in your child's reading record.</p>			