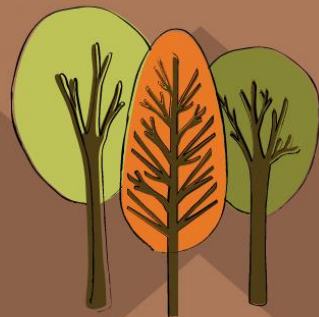




# Year 2

## AUTUMN



### Reading



We will read the following texts:

*Click Clack Moo: Cows that Type; The Secret Sky Garden; The Proudest Blue; Mae Jemison; Paddington.*

### 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 develop an understanding of number and place value of 2-digit. We will develop 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.

### Geography and History

In Geography, we will create and interpret simple maps. In History, we will learn about the Space Race!



### Computing

We will focus on keeping safe online, effective searching and PowerPoint.



### Art & DT

We will be exploring painting and resist and relief block printing. 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 & RW

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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The Year 2 teachers are Mrs Devereux and Miss Charbonneau.

### Key Information

- School gates are open from 8.25am and the KS1 doors open at 8.35 a.m. Registers close at 8.45 a.m. The school day ends at 3.15pm.
- PE days are Monday and Tuesday. Please ensure pupils attend school in correct PE kit.

#### First half term

- 2ZC- Forest school on Monday
- 2SD- P.E on Monday

#### Second half term

- 2ZC- P.E on Monday
- 2SD- Forest school on Monday

### Key Dates



#### Parents' Evening

- 11/10/23 - 3.30pm - 5.30pm
- 12/10/23- 3.30pm - 7.00pm

#### Half term break

- 23/10/23 to 27/10/23

#### Last day of term

20/12/23

### 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



- Please read with your child as regularly as possible – ideally every day – and record reads in your child's diary.
- Spelling activities will be sent home weekly.
- Later this term, we will send out details for TT Rockstars.

## Helping each other to aim high...

*Aspiration* *Nurture* *Collaboration* *Curiosity*