

Talk for writing

Little Red Riding Hood

The children will be retelling the story of Little Red Riding Hood. They will be looking at changing characters and settings to make a new version of the story using their own imagination.

The children will use conjunctions and adjectives in their sentences.

Together we will learn the actions to the story giving children the confidence to know the story by heart.

At the end of the term the children will use the skills



they have learnt to write a warning story.

PE

Invasion Games – The children will be learning the fundamental skills of understanding how to throw and catch confidently, taking into consideration their stance, space and distance for each throw and catch. These skills will support the children to play games such as football and basketball.

Mathematics

Place Value – Children will be learning about the place value of each digit thinking about the tens column and the ones column, ordering and comparing numbers up to 100, adding 10, more or less than a given number and counting in multiples of 2, 5 and 10.

Shape – Children will identify and **describe** the **properties** of **2-D shapes**, (e.g. *pentagons, hexagons, octagons*), including number of sides or vertices, symmetry in a vertical line.

Addition – Children will be focusing on using concrete materials to support understanding of addition.



Dunstall Hill Primary School

Year 2 Curriculum Overview – Autumn Term 1



Diary Dates



13th Sep – Roald Dahl Day

15th Sep – International Day of Democracy - Pupil Leadership Vote

26th Sep – European Day of Languages

October Month – Black History Month

10th – World Mental Health Day

Knowledge Subjects

Geography – Children will learn about Spatial sense. This relates to our school site and drawing maps of our school. They will then learn to use maps of the local area to plan a route. They will also identify locations on a globe.

Art – Colour and Shape - The children will be looking at many famous artists and their work for example, Kandinsky's Squares with Concentric Circles, Delaunay's Electric Prisms and Monet's The Beach at Trouville. The children will enjoy practising colour-mixing and brushwork skills. Natural objects will be used to create organic shapes on card, which they then form into sculptures.

Music

Children will learn to listen to and explore music for different purposes. This will include describing different pieces of music and expressing opinions about the music. They will learn to create repeated patterns with different musical instruments.

Computing

Children will be learning about photography and designing images through devices such as an iPad. We will look at taking an ideal photograph of nature using the different features of a camera.

Reminders

Reading Books – It is important that children are reading daily at home. The white reading diaries need to be signed so that children can change their books.



PE - Fundamentals every Tuesday. Please can the children bring in PE kits. No Jewellery on this day.

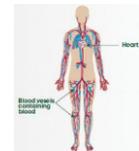
TT Rockstars – Children need to be practise their times tables daily.

<https://trockstars.com/>



Science

The Human Body – The children will be learning about what we need to survive. They will also look at the skeleton, muscles, digestive system and circulation in the body. They will find out about the importance of the scientists Edward Jenner and Louis Pasteur.



RE

Children will be learning about Moses and how he made such a positive difference in many religions. The children will have opportunities to participate in class discussions.

PSHE

Our PSHE topic is back to school with the focus being on rules and our classroom. We will also look at keeping ourselves healthy by making sensible food choices and good hygiene.

