



## Year 2 Curriculum Flyer Autumn term 1

Please read the following information to find out about your child's learning this half-term

In **English** we are reading 'Into the Forest' by Anthony Brown. We will be using the book to write exciting setting descriptions about forests and woods. We will be using our knowledge of traditional stories and fairy tales such as 'Red Riding Hood' and 'Jack and the Beanstalk' to write diaries and recounts. We will also be using drama to explore how characters are feeling and what they are thinking at different points.

In **Maths** we are securing our knowledge of place value to order and compare numbers up to 100. We will be working on our adding and subtracting numbers up to 100. We will also be solving missing number problems. Pupils will be working on learning their 2, 3, 5 and 10 times tables, and practicing these at home will be very helpful for them.

In **Science** we are learning about living things and their habitats. We will be thinking about different types of living things such as plants, animals and humans and learning about where they live. We will be thinking about the conditions a creature needs to live and what helps to keep different animals alive.

*Our wider curriculum work will include...*

**Humanities:** Year 2 will compare two important people (Mary Anning & David Attenborough) and look at changes over time in the work they do.

**Art & D&T:** We will read the book 'The Pea and the Princess' and do some pattern work and textile work linked to this text.

**RE:** We will be learning about the Quran and why it is important to Muslims.

**Music:** Year 2 will get the chance to take part in some African drumming.

### Useful Notices:

P.E. is every Tuesday. Pupils will be learning about the fundamental skills of gymnastics. Please make sure they have their kit each week.

We are aiming to read 5x per week at home. Please sign in their reading diary to say you have heard your child read.

Coats will be needed every day as weather is changeable going into Autumn.

Please provide a water bottle for your child containing only water.