

(Main topic) Cross-curricular Learning Links
Around the World
The Yellow Balloon

START

LINK

Numeracy

In numeracy this half term, we will be exploring number and reason at a greater depth. We will use a variety of different practical equipment to master our learning of year two. We will have the opportunity to explain our reasons, why and how what we do to work out answers of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. We will continue to revise our 10's, 5's, 2's and 3's and will begin to learn our 4's in interactive fun games.

Science

In science this half term, we will be introducing temperature, understanding temperature how we measure temperature. We will be investigating climates around the world, looking in to which plants grow in different climates, which animals live in different climates and comparing them. We will use the Yellow Balloon Curriculum book to understand places around the world, exploring the continents and climates our yellow balloon visits.

Art & Design

In design, we will be able to create our very own volcanoes! Our children will be able to use a variety of different skills, of cutting, moulding and shaping to create their volcano and at the end of the term will be able to explode their volcano using a chemical reaction!

Science

- Temperature
- Plants
- Habitats
- Animals
- Climates

Art and Design

- Colour and mixing
- Cutting
- Moulding
- Shaping

National Curriculum Aims:

Geography

- Human and physical features of geography
- Around the world
- Continents
- Plants

Religious studies

- How do we support each other?
- Similarities and differences in our religions including Islam
- Light and Dark

LINK

Writing

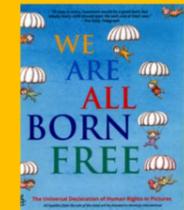
In literacy this half term, we will be exploring in depth our curriculum-learning book 'The Yellow Balloon'. We will have the opportunity to make our very own story about the travels of our very own balloon. Capturing the experience in our stunning start, the children will use pictures from our story to enhance their thinking about where their balloon may have gone and who may have found it. The children will use all literacy skills learnt throughout the year to make their stories the best they can be.

Computing

In computing this half term, we will be able to become researchers. We will use laptops to gather information from a variety of different websites. We will explore internet safety throughout this topic, ensuring our year two children know how to



British Values/Oasis Ethos/SMSC/PSHE



SMSC

This half term we will be taking an inside look at how to be humble, taking an inspirational quote of 'Climb the mountain so you can see the world, not so the world can see you'. We will learn

P.E.

In PE this half term, we will be using the skills we learnt from last half term to play ball games, such as tennis, hockey and rounders. Children will have the opportunity to put such skills to the test, as we will be working as a team. We will be able to show self-control and confidence as part of our school habits

Y2
Summer 2
Miss Hill and Miss Street

Around the World

LINK

Music

In music this half term, we will be practicing our singing. We are concentrating on tone and pitch as well as length. We will practice a variety of different songs to perform to our parents at the end of the year.



R.E

This half term we will be recapping our knowledge about Islam and comparing it to other religions. June is an exciting time for our children who celebrate Eid. We will also be studying light and dark.



LINK

Geography

This half term we will be exploring the world. Using our knowledge learnt from Summer one, we will explore the seven continents of the world in more detail, using what we have learnt from science about temperature we will investigate climates around the world, exploring animals and their habitats as well as plants and where they grow.



Fabulous Finish

For all the hard work your child has put in over the last year Watermead will be hosting a Garden Party!

FINISH