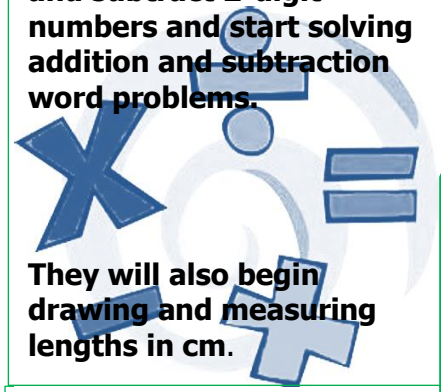
PARENT'S GUIDE TO THE CURRICULUM

This information will give you an understanding of what your child is learning at school in Autumn 1.

MATHEMATICS

The children will be learning about the numbers to 100 and their place value. They will add and subtract 2-digit numbers and start solving addition and subtraction word problems.



They will also begin drawing and measuring lengths in cm.

COMPUTING

We are pirates – the children will learn what algorithms are and will start creating simp[illegible] themselves.

MUSIC

Children will learn and perform songs linked to the curriculum.

RE

Caring for our world
The children will discuss different ways of how to look after the world.

ENGLISH

Vlad and the Great Fire of London
Children will write a narrative retelling the events of the story focusing on writing complete sentences with capital letters and full stops and using the past tense correctly.

Samuel Pepys by Peter Harrison
Children will write a diary entry based on the events described by Pepys. They will be challenged to use a variety of time adverbials and punctuation in their writing.

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iSPACE

The children will learn about different emotions and will explore strategies of how to deal with them. Children will learn how to solve conflicts in class and with their friends.

SCIENCE

Animals including humans

The children will learn about the growth and life cycles of animals. They will also learn about the basic needs of animals and the importance of hygiene, exercise and different food types.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Running-The children will practice running in a straight line, stopping controlled, changing speed and will explore different ways of changing directions.

TOPIC

In Geography the children will learn about maps and will create their own map of the route of the Fire of London.
In History they will learn about the Fire of London and some changes that have occurred since then.
In Art they will be looking at colour mixing and silhouettes.

HOW PARENTS CAN HELP

Help your children by ensuring they arrive at school on time and attend every day. Please provide them with the correct school uniform. PE kits need to be brought to school every Wednesday.

Home learning will be sent home weekly. Please support your child in continuing their learning at home.

IMPORTANT DATES FOR THIS HALF TERM

Meet the teacher: Thursday 12th September 2019 (8:45 and 16:45)
Year 2 trip: tbc
Parent Consultations: Monday 14th October 2019
Inset Day: Friday 18th October 2019
Half Term: Monday 21st October – Friday 25th October. Children start Monday 28th October 2019.