

# Year 2 Autumn Curriculum map 2025-26

## **English:**

The children will be engaging in a range of books starting with 'The Bear Under the Stairs'. We will then write for a range of purposes including letters, information texts and stories.

## **Maths:**

In the first term we will be securing our subject knowledge of place value with numbers up to 100. The children will then learn how to add and subtract within 100 as well as learn about shapes and their properties

## **Science:**

This term, we are studying materials. Firstly, how materials can be changed by tearing, wetting and twisting them. We will then investigate the characteristics and suitability of materials to a variety of purposes.

## **Phonics and Reading:**

As the children move away from phonics gradually over this term, the reading shifts to a class based book. This term we will be Reading the adventures of Claude by Alex T. Smith.

## **PSHE**

We are learning about families and relationships and then onto health and well-being.

## **Art:**

In this term, we will look at creating maps using collage and colour to build layers and show detail.

## **Geography:**

We will be learning about sustainability. In this term, we will understand why people should recycle as well as constructing useful items using upcycling.

## **Computing:**

We will look at what makes a computer and identifying computers within our school.

## **Music:**

This term, we will explore different rhythms by making call and response animal music.

## **PE:**

This term we will be developing our skills in gymnastics, dance and ball skills.

## **RE:**

To begin the term, we will start by looking at Judaism before exploring Christmas and what it means to Christians.

## **History:**

In History we are learning about the Great Fire of London. We will look at sources of information to teach us what life was like in 1666 and we will study the impact the fire had on London both then and now.