

Year 2 Curriculum Newsletter

Autumn 1

PSHE

We are learning about friendship. We will be looking at how we can be a good friend and how we can solve disagreements.

Phonics

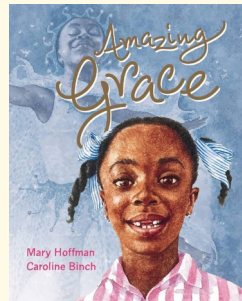
We will be recapping our knowledge of the Extended Code, including exploring key vowel sounds.

Music

We will be listening to a song that celebrates South African music. We will be singing, finding the pitch, rhythm and pulse and playing instruments.

Reading

We are reading ...



Art

We will be exploring different methods of painting. We will be creating portraits of inspirational people, after we created a background wash. We will also be developing our sketching skills.

Maths

We are securing our learning about place value. We will then move onto addition and subtraction, using more formal methods.

Writing

We will be writing a retelling of Amazing Grace. We will then be writing a diary entry and a character description.

Computing

We are learning about how to stay safe online. We will also begin learning about algorithms and how to create complex problems.

PE

We will be learning about the impact exercise has on our body and learning agility and co-ordination skills. We will be using balls, hoops and beanbags, while playing lots of games.

History

We are learning about what History is. We will be learning about Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole, who are both important people from the past.

Geography

We are learning about what Geography is. We will be using an atlas to locate the equator, the 5 oceans and the 7 continents of the world.

RE

We will be learning about what makes somebody inspiring and why Moses is inspiring to Jewish people and Jesus is inspiring to Christians.

Science

We are learning about different materials and their properties. We will be conducting an experiment to compare different materials.