

Knowledge & Understanding of the World

Computing

We are games programmers this first half term, learning how to program a sprite to move around the screen.

Geography

This text has many links to the Geography curriculum: compass directions, maps, and key physical features.

Science

For our Science week this half term, we will learn about the importance of exercise and how to get the right balance of food.

Problem Solving, Reasoning & Numeracy

Maths

Our Singapore Maths units this half term will cover numbers to 100, addition and subtraction, and the 2, 5, 10 times tables.

Personal, Social & Emotional Development

Empowering Learners

The theme for Autumn 1 is learning to become 'Independent Enquirers'. We will deal with problems, ask questions, give instructions and explain choices.

Creative Development

PE

Premier Sport will continue to deliver PE sessions at Weston this year. A new coach will be teaching us invasion games on a Tuesday morning.

Beliefs

Our Year 2 theme throughout the year is 'How do we respond to things that really matter?'. This half term we will be celebrating Inter Faith Week by studying the question 'Can worship help people remember what is important?' in Hinduism.

DT/Art

We will make our own pirate galleons as our creative focus for DT this topic. They are inspired by DT specialist Steph O'Donnell's project packs.

THE NIGHT PIRATES

Communication, Language & Literacy

Literacy

We will be using 'Night Pirates' by Peter Harris as a stimulus for both writing and comprehension. Storytelling drama and games will help us to learn the story before deconstructing it, reconstructing it with a change and finally making an Adobe Spark Video.

MFL

Emilié, a specialist teacher, will be teaching us French for the first time this year. These slots will be just after our PE lesson on a Tuesday morning.