

CLASS 2 AUTUMN TERM 2021.

SUBJECT	AREAS COVERED THIS TERM
Mathematics	Fractions, decimals, rounding of numbers, all 4 rules in worded problems, inverse operations, estimation, symmetry, 2D and 3D properties of shapes, nets, Venn diagrams, number patterns and relationships, times tables, recording and interpreting of information (graphs, charts), time. Your child has been put into a times tables group (see Reading Record) and will be tested on specific times tables every Friday. Mathletics will be set on a regular basis for your child to complete. It will be based around the work your child has covered recently.
LITERACY	The Units for this term will begin with: Classic Fiction , to be followed by alternating non-fiction and fiction units through until the end of term. Included within these will be: Sentence construction – nouns, verbs, adjectives, adverbs, simple, compound and complex sentences, all using a range of punctuation. We will continue with spelling/phonics lessons on a daily basis. Your child will be given a spelling sheet on a Friday to learn for a test on the following Friday. Your child will also be expected to access Bug Club at home as well as daily reading to an adult. This should be recorded in the Home School Planner.
HISTORY	<u>The Romans are Coming!</u> This is a History-based topic, looking in particular at the impact made by the Roman invasions of Britain, in Britain. We hope to have a special class visitor. Very exciting!
GEOGRAPHY	This will play a minor role this term; see above, although we will be using atlases, globes and local maps to enhance our historical understanding.
DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY	Keeping in mind the needs of the Roman Army, we will be investigating Roman food and cooking techniques on the march!
MUSIC	With Mrs Clarke. We will be working alongside one of the texts being studied in literacy, 'Fantastic Mr Fox. Developing listening skills using the film soundtrack and matching musical themes to characters in a story. We will be improving identification of orchestral instruments along with learning to recognise time signatures.
R.E	Buddhism and Sikhism
P.S.H.E	Family and Relationships.
ART	Celtic designs, Roman pottery, alongside basic skills using drawing and painting.
SCIENCE	Human and animal health and nutrition
COMPUTING	Programming (InO-Bot): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Program LEDs to achieve a specific function. • Program code that uses sensors when defined criteria are met, e.g. lights when dark, proximity sensor. Presentation (PowerPoint): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transitions between slides. • Pre-made animations applied to some objects. • Import own pictures and/or video.
P.E	Owen will teach class PE on Tuesdays and Mrs Jarmain on Thursdays.

If you have any queries or concerns, please come and talk to me – either for a quick word in the playground before/after school, or you can make an appointment with the office. I will endeavour to set your mind at ease!

Many Thanks, Mrs Jarmain.