

**As mathematicians,** we will be introducing and learning about fractions of shapes, numbers and amounts. We will focus on  $1/2$ ,  $1/4$  and  $3/4$ . We will also be learning how to tell the time, with a focus on o'clock, half past, quarter past and quarter to. We will also cover position and direction, shape and statistics.

Please continue to regularly practice your times tables at home, in Year 2 the children should focus on their 2s, 5s and 10s. They can also begin to practice their 3s.

**As writers,** we will use a range of punctuation in our writing and continue to improve our handwriting. We will continue to write for different purposes including persuasive letters, prediction, poetry, descriptive writing and arguments. Our book in English for this half term is *The Magic Finger*.

**As readers,** We will continue to use our VIPERS sessions to improve our comprehension skills, our book for this half term is *Horrid Henry and the Mega-Mean Time Machine* in our VIPERS lessons. We will also continue to improve our inference and prediction skills when reading a story. We expect all children to read five times a week to become a rocket reader.

**Please ensure your child logs onto Google Classroom daily to access their home learning.**

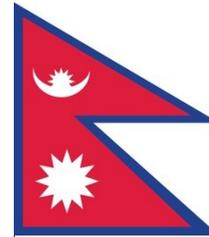
**As scientists,** we will be describing and comparing the properties of materials. We will also be investigating which materials are suitable for different purposes and compare their strengths. We will also investigate which materials are light blockers.

**As geographers,** we will begin to look at maps and identify where the United Kingdom is on a map. We will also be comparing the United Kingdom and Nepal.

Year 2

Spring Term 2

Home and  
Away



**In PE,** look out for an exciting challenge from Mrs Johnson for you to complete whilst you are at home.

**In wellbeing ,** we will be looking at how we effect the environment and what we can do to protect it.

**In RE,** we will be studying Islam and also looking at *The Easter Story*.

**As artists and designers,** we will design and build our own buildings linked to our topic Materials.

**As computer scientists,** we will be developing our skills as online communicators, linking with our wellbeing topic on keeping safe. We will be focusing on personal and private information.

*If you have any queries or issues, please do not hesitate to contact us via the class e-mail addresses.*

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