

## English

### **Fiction - To entertain**

- Traditional Tales
- Adventure Story
- Character Descriptions

### **Poetry**

- Recitations
- 'The Sound Collector'

### **Non-Fiction - To inform**

- Recount

### **Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar (SPaG)**

- Sentence structure
- Word classes
- Tenses
- Suffixes

### **Reading/Comprehension**

- Fluency and expression
- Vocabulary/Retrieval/

## **Termly Overview**

**Terms 3 & 4 2024**

**Year 2**

## Science

### **Chemistry: Materials Matter**

- Absorbency/Waterproofing
- Printing/Wax-resist/Melting

### **Physics: Materials – Squash, Bend, Twist**

- Thinking scientifically - investigations
- Bounciest/stretchiest/strongest/ most durable

## Computing

- Using Technology
- Creating and Publishing – Creating Pictures
- Creating and Publishing – Making Music

## Topic

### **Oceans and Seas of the World**

- Seas around the UK/world
- Waves – Works of J. M. W. Turner

### **Monarchy**

- Role of the monarchy
- Key facts and chronology of some significant British monarchs

## RE, RSHE via The Big Think

### **Religious Education**

- Places of Worship
- Beginnings and Endings

### **Relationship & Health Education via The Big Think**

- Love and Related Values
- Responsibility and Related Values
- Internet Safety Day - February

## Physical Education

- **Games:** Attacking and Defending
- **Gymnastics:** Under the Sea

## Mathematics

### **Number**

- Sequencing and Place Value
- Estimating/Placing on number line
- Multiplication & Division
- 2, 5, 10 and 3X tables
- Commutativity
- Inverse relationships
- Solving problems (+, -, x, ÷)

### **Measurement**

- Money
- Height and length measurement
- Mass, Capacity and Temperature

## Music, Art, DT & MFL

### **Music**

- Singing/ making music/musical games/ composing/ Listening and appraising
- Dynamics and Tempo
- Exploring Feelings through music

### **Art - Drawing: Tell a Story**

- Artist: JMW Turner
- Media: Charcoal/paint
- Skills: Charcoal mark making / Creating texture

### **Design and Technology – Structures: Baby Bear's Chair**

- Developing strong and stable structures

### **Mandarin**

- Dates & Festivals – New Year & Lantern Festival
- Pinyin and Tones

## How you can support your child at home

- Listen to your child read for at least 10-15 minutes every day – no distractions! Discuss and check for understanding
- Learn and practise spellings, number bonds and times tables every day
- Promote Growth Mindset and use positive language
- Develop good routines and encourage your child to form good habits in line with our 'Habit of the Month'
- Talk to the Class Teacher about anything that is unclear to you