



**Year 2  
Spring Term**

### DT

As designers we will develop our knowledge of textiles using basic sewing techniques.



Watch out for more information regarding trips and enrichment activities to support our learning.

### Physical Education

Real PE: *Cognitive Focus*: developing our ability to successfully complete dynamic and static balances.

*Creative Focus*: developing our coordination through ball skills and counter balances with a partner.

Real Gym: As gymnasts we will further our skills of balance, travel, flight and rotation using the floor, low and large apparatus.

### PSHE

Using the Jigsaw resource; the children will discuss 'Dreams and Goals and Healthy Me.'

### Music

Exploring Sounds. How does music make the world a better place? Recognising different sounds. How does music teach us about our neighbourhood?

### Computing

As coders we will develop an understanding of instructions to design algorithms.

Afterwards we will learn about data and how it can be organised and presented using pictograms and block diagrams.

### Geography

As geographers we will explore the capital cities of the UK. We will also examine how Bristol, as our closest city, has changed due to the influence of Brunel.

### RE

What do Christians believe about Jesus?  
What do Christians believe about forgiveness?



### Guided Reading

As readers we will enjoy reading a variety of texts in order to extend our vocabulary and improve our understanding of texts

### My Happy Mind

Appreciate: Teaching the importance of gratitude, both to ourselves and to others.  
Relate: Learning about the importance of being able to get along with others to have positive relationships.

### Art

As artist we will explore how you can transform a familiar object into a new and fun form. Artist: Chris Kenny

### History

As historians we will explore changes in living memory looking closely at the impact that Isambard Kingdom Brunel had, particularly to Bristol and the South West.

### Phonics

We will continue embed our sound knowledge and then extend our understanding of alternative pronunciations and spellings through phase 5C

### Science

As scientists we will explore living things and their habitats considering the different biomes across the world.

### Mathematics

As mathematicians we will investigate multiplication and division. Looking at their relationship, different strategies to calculate as well as the 2, 5- and 10-times table facts. We will develop our understanding of 2D and 3D shapes through naming, sorting, describing and comparing them.



### Literacy

We are... speakers, listeners, readers, writers and performers

We will explore the story 'The Bog Baby' and this will also inspire our instruction writing. After half term we will use 'Grandad's Island' to continue our exploration of sentence types and how to accurately punctuate them. Using a variety of conjunctions to extend as well as consistently using past and present tense.

