

In Maths we will learn to

- recognise equal groups
- make equal groups and add them
- introduce the multiplication symbol
- multiplication sentences
- use arrays
- make equal groups- grouping
- make equal groups- sharing
- the 2 times-table
- divide by 2
- doubling and halving
- odd and even numbers
- the 10 times-table
- divide by 10
- the 5 times-table
- divide by
- the 5 and 10 times-table

In Geography we will learn:

- name and locate the seven continents of the world
- name and locate the five oceans.
- identify the equator on a globe and world map
- locate the North and South Pole
- understand that countries have different climates in relation to the equator, North Pole and South Pole

In Art we will learn to:

- use a variety of techniques e.g. weaving, finger knitting
- learn how to thread a needle
- create images from imagination, experience or observation
- use a wide variety of media including photocopied material, fabric, plastic, tissue, magazines , crepe paper etc.

What will we be learning this half term?

Year 2 Swifts

In Computing we will:

- explore how music can make them think and feel
- make patterns and use them to make music with percussion instruments and digital tools.
- create different rhythms and tunes using movement of animals as inspiration.
- share their creations and compare creating music digitally and non-digitally

In Science we will learn:

- about living things and their habitat

In PSHE we will learn:

- how to be a good friend, e.g. kindness, listening, honesty
- about different ways people meet and make friends
- strategies for positive play with friends e/g/ joining in, including others, etc
- about what causes arguments between friends
- how to positively resolve arguments between friends
- how to recognise, and ask for help, when they are feeling lonely or unhappy or to help someone else

In English we will:

- build stamina for writing
- write a setting description
- ensure sentences contain capital letters, full stops and finger spaces
- use adjectives to describe
- use conjunctions to extend sentences
- use expanded noun phrases for more description
- use powerful verbs to add action
- use similes
- read sentences to check they make sense
- explore a range of picture books, poems and read for pleasure

Our class novel this half term is **Rabbit and Bear** by Julian Gough.

In Music we will learn to:

- Combine pulse, rhythm and pitch
- listen and respond to music
- develop performance awareness and skills
- singing as part of the performance
- playing instruments

In RE we will learn:

- How do Christians celebrate Easter?