# YEAR R AUTUMN 2

## LITERACY

In phonics we will continue learning the phase 2 sounds and tricky words. We will focus on blending graphemes to read words.
We will use the sounds we know to write lots of cards and letters and learn to write our name independently.

## MATHS

We are learning to represent and compare numbers 1-5.
We will explore how numbers are made up of other numbers to 5.
We will learn about 1 more and 1 less.
At thee end of the half term we will be learning to recognise 2d shapes. We will think about routines and times of the day.

## UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD

This half term, we are thinking about celebrations such as Bonfire Night, birthdays, Diwali and Christmas.
We will think about traditions that are special to us and understand that there are similarities and differences in lots of celebrations.
In RE, we will learn about why Christians celebrate Christmas.

## EXPRESSIVE ARTS AND DESIGN

This half term we will explore making glittery firework pictures. We will use salt dough and clay to make models, diva lamps and Christmas decorations. We will perform a nativity!

## COMMUNICATION AND LANGUAGE

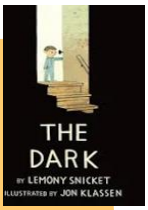
There will be lots of opportunities to talk and find out about how we all like to celebrate!

## PERSONAL AND PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

IN PDL this half term, we will look at "Keeping Myself Safe" - linked directly to our school value of "Safe". We will also be thinking about how we can be resilient!
In PE, we will be exploring our first unit of gym! We are working hard to make our finger strong with daily activities such as threading. We will also begin to learn how to hold a pencil correctly!

# YEAR 1/2 AUTUMN 2

## ENGLISH




This half term, our topic is *The Dark*, inspired by the books *The Dark*, *Flashlight* and *Orion and the Dark*. The children will enjoy exploring these stories and using them to inspire their own descriptive and imaginative writing.

## MATHS

Our maths learning kick starts with multiplication and division. Children will learn how to share equally with objects and then move onto how to find fractions of shape

## DT

This half term, We explore different textiles and how to make Christmas themed puppets. We will learn how to join materials together to make our hand puppets



## RE

As we approach the festive period, the Christmas story comes to life through our Nativity learning and in this unit children will also understand the importance of celebration and belonging making links to Hanukkah and Christmas



## SCIENCE

This half term in science, the children will be learning about living things and their habitats. They will explore the differences between things that are living, dead and never alive, discover how plants and animals are suited to their habitats, investigate microhabitats, and learn how living things depend on each other through simple food chains.






## MUSIC

It's Nativity season! Children will enhance their understanding of the Christmas story through learning songs and words through our performance. We can't wait to share this with you in December.

## PERSONAL AND PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

Our PE sessions will be fun packed active sessions about sending and receiving, building on fundamental movement skills to build strength, healthy competition, confidence and coordination. We will also be learning about movement through yoga and techniques to help us with our balance and how to feel calm.
In PDL, we continue to learn about getting along with each other and celebrating difference.



# YEAR 3/4 AUTUMN 2

## ENGLISH

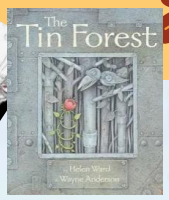
Our 2 English units this half term are

- Monster Slayer - Beowulf

Writing to report - non chronological

- The Tin Forest- Writing to inform Environmental themed story with a message




## MATHS

In Maths this half term, our units are

- Multiplication and divicion
- Fractions
- Geometry

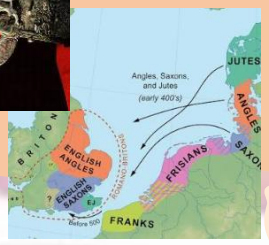
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## ANGLO-SAXONS

This half term, our History topic is focused on Anglo-Saxons: The Ruin of Britain?

We are looking forward to holding out Anglo-Saxon Day **on the 4th of December.**






## DT

In DT we will be looking at different types of flat breads and creating a new recipe.



## L2M

In L2M this term we are playing African percussions and our concert will be on the 16th of December.

## RE

In RE this half term we will be looking at concept imagery - angels

## FRENCH

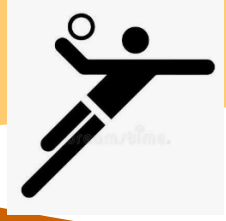
In French this half term we will learn how to talk about Family

## PERSONAL AND PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

IN PDL this half term, we will look at "Keeping Myself Safe" - linked directly to our school value of "Safe".

In PE, our indoor unit is Yoga, In Outdoor PE, we will be learning how to play handball.





# YEAR 5/6 AUTUMN 2

## ENGLISH

Our 2 English units this half term are

- Where the Poppies Now Grow
- Non chronological reports based on our own Dragon designs (using Fantastic Beasts as a text)

## MATHS

In Maths this half term, we will continue with our arithmetic teaching and learning, extending into our Fractions unit. We will finish the half term looking at geometry.

## HISTORY

This half term, our History topic is on Ancient Civilisations. We will be comparing which ancient civilization had the greatest impact on our lives today.

In **Computing**, we will be learning how to make and edit videos in order to present our history findings as a news report.

## RE

As we approach the festive period, our RE learning will be focused on the concept of Prophexy.

## FRENCH

In French this half term we will learn how to talk about the weather.

FAIRTRADE

Our Fairtrade Fayre will be on Thursday 26th November after school!

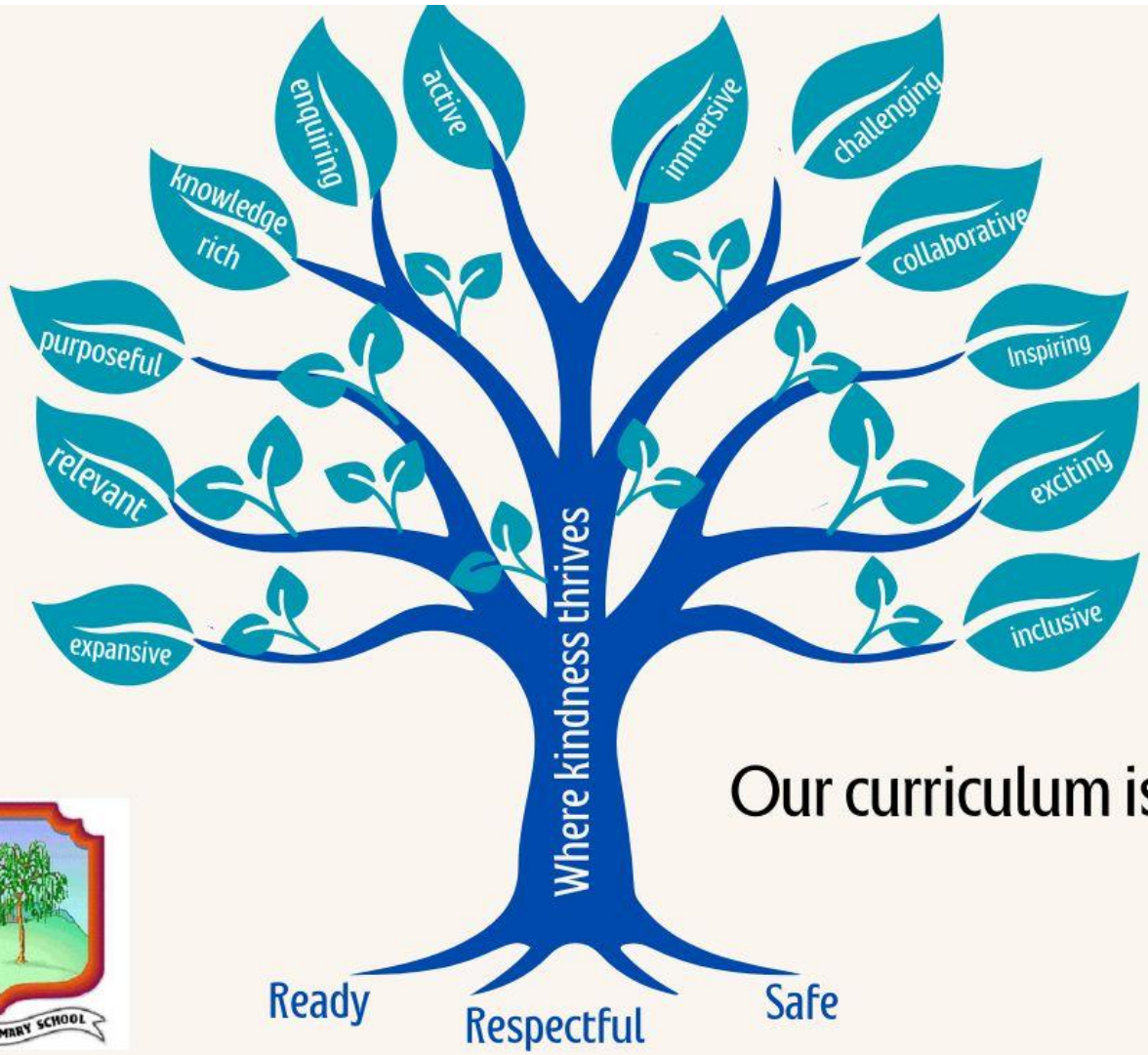
## SCIENCE

This half term we will be exploring "Light" and thinking about how we can see.

## PERSONAL AND PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

IN PDL this half term, we will look at "Keeping Myself Safe" - linked directly to our school value of "Safe".

In PE, our indoor unit is Yoga, where the children will be learning some mindful movements to develop their core strength. In Outdoor PE, we will be learning how to play Netball.




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