



# Year 2 Curriculum

## Spring Term

*Nurturing Potential Within a Christian Ethos*

### Maths

This term we are focusing on multiplication and division learning our 2, 5- and 10-times tables. We are then moving onto statistics and fractions. Alongside this money and time is also being taught.

### English

This term we are writing descriptions of different countries, re-telling stories from different cultures, performing rhyming couplets and writing letters to and from different countries.

### Science

This term we are focusing on animals, including humans looking at what we need to survive, keeping healthy and producing young. Then moving onto plants, observing and describing what they need to grow.

### R.E.

Our two themes are: Is it important to celebrate New Year, focusing on New Year celebrations of different religions and how should the church celebrate Easter? Looking at the Easter story.

### P.E.

The skills for this term are ball skills (football), cross country, yoga and dance. We will use these skills to take part in sporting events with other local schools, including a cross country competition.

### Computing

The two topics are creating media, making music using the computer to compose and data and information where the children get to create pictograms and present their data using different programs.

### Music

Our music influence is South African Music focusing on pulse, rhythm, pitch, singing and playing instruments including African drums. As well as improvising and composing music to perform.

### P.S.H.E.

The focus is belonging to a group and the roles and responsibilities this has, the internet in everyday life including online content and information and what money is, needs and wants and looking after money.

### Art

Focus on the artists: Paul Goldstein and Esther Mahlangu, using the skills to experiment with tones using pencils, pastels or charcoal. The children will draw natural forms from observation, imagination and memory.

### D.T.

DT will be a focus in the summer term.

### Humanities

We are learning about the continent of Africa, including the animals, people and landmarks moving onto great explorers of the world focusing on the pilot, Amy Johnson who lived in Princes Risborough.