

Year 2 Autumn Term 2 2024

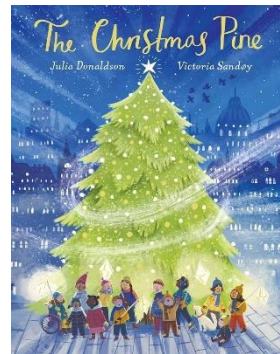
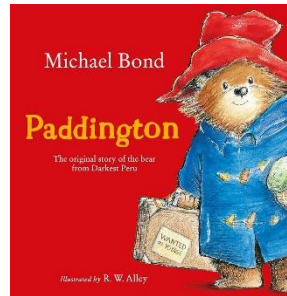


English and Reading

Our class text will be 'Paddington' and 'Christmas Pine'. We will be reading the stories and using different skills to create a piece of writing linking to other areas of the curriculum. Our writing focusses this half term:

- Instructional writing, Poetry and recount.

We will be using commands, adjectives, commas, expanded noun phrases, conjunctions, exclamation marks, statement, verbs and adverbs.



Reading

This half term we are focusing on our love of reading. We have developed our reading corner and completing shared read every afternoon, looking at different books and authors.

Meerkat mail – Emily Gravett

The Koala who could – Rachel Bright

The squirrels who squabbled – Rachel Bright



Art

Art will be our focus in Spring 1.

Design Technology

This half term we are focusing on repurposing old clothes and materials to make something useful like a quilt.

We will be creating patchwork using an overstitch. Much like Frank Fasset's work.

Maths

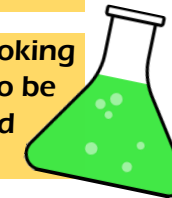
In Maths, we will be consolidating arithmetic skills and applying our skills into reasoning and problem solving questions. We will be studying:

- Addition and subtraction – using dienes to bridge 10.
- Shape – looking at 2D and 3D shapes

Science

We will be studying Living things and their habitats. Looking at what is alive, once alive and never alive. We will also be covering that most living things live in a habitat and describing the different habitats.

We will be discovering how animals obtain their food from plants using the idea of a simple food chain.



Computing

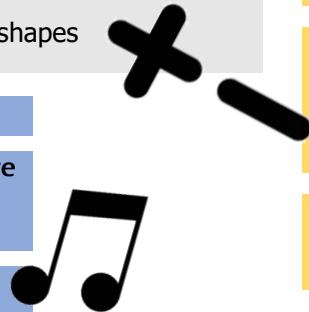
We will be learning about digital photography and how to make a good photograph.

PSHCE

We will continue using jigsaw where we will be focusing on celebrating everyone's differences.

Music

Pupils will listen to different types of choral singing and understand that the voice is an instrument and how this can be controlled. Pupils will sing well known songs. They will revisit simple conducting cues and use the terms melody, lyrics, rhythm, pulse and dynamic.



PE

In PE this half term, we will be learning Yoga

PE Days

Wednesday & Thursday

Geography

We will be studying human and physical features in our local area and comparing Doncaster to London. We will be focusing where they are and how they are different.

