



Curriculum Newsletter Bonneygrove Primary School

Year Two Spring Term 2

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English

In English, we are studying mystery and suspense stories.

We will consider how to build tension and to use all the senses when creating a suspenseful mystery story.

PHSE

This topic will enable children to understand how their choices affect their health. It will teach them the importance of having a healthy diet and maintaining regular physical activity.

This term we will be learning about



Volcanoes!

Important dates for the year group:

Tuesday 12th March – Wednesday 13th March:
Parents Consultation Day

March 11th – March 15th - Science week

Mathematics

In mathematics, children will learn to find equivalents between decimals and fractions. They will also order and compare decimals up to thousandths using a place value grid.

Geography

Pupils will learn about physical geography. They will learn about the layers of the earth and the differences between the layers. Children will understand how volcanoes are formed and the processes of eruptions. They will then present this newly learnt information using digital media.



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Science:

This term we will look at testing materials. We will learn about different materials, their uses and their properties, as well as dissolving, separating mixtures and irreversible changes. The children will sort and classify objects according to their properties. They will explore the properties of materials to find the most suitable material for different purposes.

Music: The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air, learn the lyrics!

PE: Fitness. In this unit pupils will take part in a range of activities that explore and develop different areas of their health and fitness. They will learn different components of fitness including speed, stamina, strength, co-ordination, balance and agility.

DT: Children will learn about Pop Up Books and discover techniques that are used to create pop up effects. They will plan a book based on a design brief that will allow them to target a specific reader.

Computing

This term we will be looking at programming using a Microbit. Children will learn that a Microbit is a programmable device. That uses a block coding language similar to Scratch. They will compose a program without support by writing complex algorithms.

School Values- *Resilience,
Honesty, Ambition, Creativity,
Kindness and Inclusion.*

You can join in with our learning at home by:

Reading:

Read with your child daily and sign the reading records.

Geography: We are studying volcanoes, can you make your own volcano?

Writing:

Write your own suspenseful mystery story from your own home. What spooky things could happen? Where would you hide? What ominous signs could there be that are dark and foreboding....

Maths: Match fractions to decimals. Search 'topmarks match fractions and decimals game'

https://mathsframe.co.uk/en/resources/resource/120/match_fractions_decimals_and_percentages#.UCdcd2MsCEY

Why not join in with some of these 5-minute workouts with your children!

[5 Minute Move Energising Kids Workout | The Body Coach TV - YouTube](#)