









Bonneygrove Primary School

Year Two Curriculum Newsletter

Summer Half Term Two 24/25

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English		Maths	
<p>In Year Two, our English learning has been full of creativity and imagination! The children explored narrative writing by creating their own fantastic versions of <i>Jack and the Beanstalk</i>, developing their storytelling skills with exciting characters, settings, and plot twists. This term, we will continue developing our narrative writing skills and explore poetry and playscripts. The children will have the chance to get creative with language, express ideas through different styles of writing, and begin to understand how stories and poems can be brought to life on the page and stage.</p>		<p>Time We are continuing to learn to tell the time, looking at how to read an analogue clock to the nearest five minutes. We will be looking at how to tell the time both past and to the hour. During the unit, we will also explore how many minutes are in an hour and how many hours are in a day.</p> <p>Statistics During our statistics topic, we will be looking at drawing and interpreting tally charts, tables, block diagrams and pictograms.</p> <p>Position and direction This unit will expose the children to the language of position. They will learn to describe movements and turns using the correct terminology.</p>	
Reading		Science	
<p>Through guided reading sessions and daily read for twenty; we will be focusing on retrieval, inference and vocabulary skills.</p>		<p>Animals including humans Our science topic this half term will be about consolidating our previous learning around how animals, including humans, have offspring which grow into adults, as well as continuing to look at the basic needs of animals, including humans, for survival (water, food and air).</p>	
DT		Geography	
<p>Food technology - Fantastic Flapjacks In this unit, children will be exploring flapjacks. They will be researching them, tasting them, creating a recipe, cooking them and then evaluating their flapjacks.</p>		<p>China! We are learning all about China and will be locating it on the map as well as finding out about it's features so we can describe how China shares similarities and differences with parts of the UK.</p>	



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Religious Education		Personal, Social, Health and Economic Education (PSHE)	
<p>Religion: Islam- The children will be learning about Hajj. They will be thinking about some of the events that happen during Hajj and starting to explain why these are important to Muslims. We will also be discussing the significance of Hajj to a Muslim and whether completing it makes someone a better Muslim.</p>		<p>Changing Me: This unit will complement our previous learning in our science units and look at the natural process of growing from young to old, including how our bodies have changed since we were babies. Within this, we will be discussing the physical differences between boys and girls, using the correct names for parts of the body and recognising that some parts of the body are private.</p>	
Modern Foreign Languages: Spanish		Physical Education	
<p>In this unit pupils will recap prior lessons learnt of ten common fruits in their plural form with their definite articles. They will learn the basic transactional language required by taking part in role-play activities.</p>		<p>Net and Wall - This half term our focus is on building on our skills in playing competitive games. We will be practising how to defend a space on the court, hitting a ball over the net and into the area, throwing accurately to a partner and using simple tactics to make it difficult for an opponent.</p>	
Computing		Music	
<p>Computing Systems and Networks - In computing we will be exploring and discussing what a computer is. What does it do? How does it do it? Why do we use and need them?</p>		<p>Perform & Share In groups children will reflect, rewind and replay songs they have learnt throughout the year.</p>	
Key Dates			
Sports Day – Friday 6 th June 2024			