



YEAR TWO (2) AUTUMN TWO – WHAT WILL YOUR CHILD LEARN THIS HALF TERM?



ENGLISH

Core Texts: Traditional Tales from Africa.
Key Question: *What are Traditional tales? Why do they unite communities?*

Children will also learn about non-fiction texts, information texts. Children will learn traditional seasonal songs. They will focus on grammatical features, spelling and handwriting.

MATHEMATICS

Children will continue to learn about place value, problem solving and reasoning. They will also do mental addition and subtraction, measurement, geometry and position as well as direction.

SCIENCE

Key Question: *What are habitats?*
Children will learn about living things and their habitats.

Children develop and understand the life cycle of the African frog. They will understand how animals grow and develop and become adults. They will learn about the butterfly cycle as well as others and also about the food chain.

GEOGRAPHY:HISTORY

Geography Key Question:
Where in the world is London?
Children will the distinctive features of our local area and how characteristics come from human ideas and actions.

History Key Question: *What does it mean when we speak about the past and present?*
Children will learn about London past, present and future. They will contrast this with India. They will learn about chronological order and the Fire of London.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Key Question: *What is calligraphy? What is being sung in a Nasheed?*

Children will explore what the concept of God means for themselves. They identify significant objects that are important to Muslims and compare them with objects significant to Christians.

PSHE

Children whilst focusing on new beginnings, will learn about British Values and democracy.

They will focus on the 6rs, use the skills from the Life Bus to extend their knowledge and understanding.



DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY

ART: Children will explore patterns in nature. They will learn about the famous painter JMW Turner.

Children will also design and make props for their Christmas performance.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Key Question: *How can I use the gymnastics skills I have learnt to perform for an audience?*

Children will run, jump, throw and catch to develop and build upon their balance, agility and co-ordination.

MUSIC:- pupils will to sing songs with rhythm and rhyme. They will learn traditional songs for their performance. In ICT children will continue to work on Purple Mash and learn how the internet works.