



*The smallest of all seeds becomes the largest of the garden plants*

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## Curriculum Newsletter – Summer Year 2 Miss Akerman and Mr Richards

### Mathematics

We will be focussing on Statistics, positions and direction. Children will understand the difference between forwards, backwards, right, left, above and below. The children will be learning about graphs and how to use the information to gather facts. Looking at different graphs from pictograms, tally charts and graphs.

We will continue to practise time, fractions and time tables.

### English

We are going to read the book 'The Great Fire of London and Vlad and the Great Fire of London' and use them to help write our own poem and a recount of a real event. We will learn about what a good story consists of and we will practice using adverbs, adjectives, co-ordinating and subordinating conjunctions, and powerful verbs to make our writing more interesting.

We will continue to read a new text each week to practise our retrieval and inference skills as well as learning new vocabulary.

### Science

We will be learning about animals and their needs. We will also focus on habitats and changes to them.

### Phonics/Spelling

We will continue with our spelling lessons and small group phonics work.

### PSHCE

We will be looking bullying and behaviour. How bullying can impact on people and other people's behaviour.

### PE

We will be focusing on teamwork. Focusing on Sports weeks and sports day.

### Religious Education

We will explore our special places and where we feel safe.

### Geography/ History

In Geography we will find out what makes our landscape diverse and in History we will be learning about Evacuee's in World War II.

### Useful Information

Please listen to your child read daily and talk about their book. Please add comments to their reading record to show each time they have read at home.

Please help your child to count fluently in 2s, 3s, 5s and 10s. Daily practise of this will really help them in their Maths learning.

Any homework activities will be posted on Seesaw and encourage your child to access Times Table Rockstars as often as possible to help them learn their times tables.

The children will be given new spellings to learn on a Friday, and they will be tested the following Friday. Please help them to practise their spellings several times a week.

Please make sure your child brings a water bottle to school every day. They will need to always have a PE kit in school. Sun lotion to be applied at home.

Thank you.