



# Summer 2 : Learning in Year 2



## English

In English we will be linking our writing to books on the theme of the seaside. We will be consolidating our year two work focusing on the accurate spelling of the year 1 and Year 2 common exception words. We will be learning poems and doing some paired reading with the year 6 class.

## Supporting your child with their learning

- Practise accurate spelling of common exception words
- Practise neat handwriting, making sure all letters are formed correctly and are the same size
- Practise telling the time

## Science

In science we will look at our local area and how the plants and wildlife have changed throughout the school year. Our scientist of the unit is Ynes Mexia, a botanist who collected leaves and plants to carefully study them. We will collect leaves and plants to make our own journals.

## Topic: History

In history we will be learning about significant people and places in the local area. We will focus on Lord Ashton and the Ashton Memorial and will be comparing the seaside resort of Morecambe, from past to present day.

## Maths

We will be learning to tell the time to five minutes. We will be measuring and estimating the different heights and lengths of objects. We will be looking at tables, graphs and pictograms to ask and answer questions about.

## Computing

In computing we will be using the purple mash app to look at ways information can be presented. We will be making our own pages of information and experiment with a variety of ways to share it online.

## Art and DT

We will be consolidating our skills covered in year 2 by creating pieces of art each week to link with our topic of the seaside.

## P.E

In PE we will be practising different athletic skills and preparing for our school sports day.

## PSHE

We will be reading stories and playing games to help with our understanding of diversity. We will celebrate being different and discuss the ways in which we can be more tolerant and understanding of our differences.

## Music

We will be following the Charanga music scheme and be looking at the different types of music we have covered in Year 2. We will be revisiting our favourite songs to sing and play percussion instruments along to.

## R.E

Our topics are 'Rules' and 'Treasures' We will be discussing how rules can help at home and in school and the reasons for rules within the Christian faith. We will explore the importance of treasuring God's world. Finally, we will be learning about other world religions; how they pray, where they pray and who they pray to.