

Year 2 Topic map

Religious Education

We will be learning about what makes some people and places in Cornwall sacred.

We will explore who is Jewish and how they live.

We will also explore who Christians believe created the world.

Art and Design

We will be making simple sketches to explore and develop ideas.

We will also produce work using clay.

We will evaluate other artist's work.

Computing

We will explore and use PowerPoint to make a slideshow about a range of sports.

We will use transitions and effects in our presentations.

P.E

Multi-skills – a range of ball game skills and developing our gross motor skills.

Athletics – improving our fitness and stamina in races.

Enrichment (Seasonal, visits and 'wow' moments)

Year 2 will take part in an Olympic opening ceremony day where we will create laurel crowns, take part in Olympic sports, explore and research the history of the Olympics and enjoy Olympic refreshments.

At the end of the topic, we will have a closing ceremony to discuss all we have learnt.

English (including Punctuation, Spelling and Grammar)

We will be investigating non-fiction texts. We will identify all the features of information texts and why we use them. Following on from this, we will create our own information text about a sport of our choice, ensuring we conduct accurate research beforehand.

We will read and explore the story of 'The Slightly Annoying Elephant' by David Walliams. We will change the original story and write our own version, including all the skills we have learnt in Year 2.

We will recap all of the Year 2 spelling rules over the final half term.



History and Geography

We will learn about the history of the Olympics and how the modern Olympics is different from the ancient Olympics.

In geography will explore the four countries of the United Kingdom in detail.

Mathematics

Recognise mathematical language such as 'difference', "more, "less" and "fewer"

Add and subtract within 100 by applying related one-digit addition and subtraction facts: add and subtract only ones or only tens to/from a two-digit number.

Add and subtract within 100 using addition and subtraction facts that they know: add and subtract any 2 two-digit numbers.

Recognise repeated addition, representing them with multiplication equations and calculating the product, within the 2, 5 and 10 multiplication tables.

Relate grouping problems where the number of groups is unknown to multiplication equations with a missing factor, and to division equations (quotative division).

Music

- Listen and appraise classical music
- Singing songs that we have learnt throughout the year
- Play instruments within songs
- Improvise using voices and instruments
- Compose our own pieces

Science

We will learn about the importance of nutrition and exercise for athletes and comparing their diets to people who are less active.

We will take part in a range of investigations that will involve looking at materials, identifying and classifying and using observations to answer scientific questions.

PSHE

We will learn about growing and changing, basic first aid, being positive and respecting privacy.