

Year 2 Topic map

Religious Education

We will continue to explore the religion of Islam.

We will explore the five pillars of Islam and the prophet Muhammed.

Art and Design

We will be exploring how music influences art and create our own artwork inspired by 'The Carnival of the Animals'.

We will explore Van Gogh's 'Starry Night'.

Computing

We will use internet browsers to research musicians and composers.

We will explore and understand internet safety.

P.E

Net and wall games - such as basketball and netball.

Dance – exploring movement and balance.

Enrichment (Seasonal, visits and 'wow' moments)

A WOW day where we explore instruments and create our own.

Visits from real musicians who will perform for us (online if necessary).

An end of topic 'Shogonquin festival' full of music!

English (including Punctuation, Spelling and Grammar)

In English we will explore the stories of the Pied Piper of Hamelin and Peter and the Wolf. We will also explore the poem 'The Grand Old Duke of York'.

We will continue to build upon our sentence structure and recognise and use a range of sentence types.

We will discuss and explore a range of stories and poems, identifying new vocabulary which we can then use in our independent writing.

We will explore the Year 2 spelling rules and apply these into our writing, along with recapping and perfecting our Phase 3 and 5 phonics.



Strike up the band!

History and Geography

We will explore and name the seven continents and oceans of the world on a map.

We will explore music from around the world and identify the countries / continents they come from using atlases.

We will research and learn about famous composers

Mathematics

We will learn to recognise, make and add equal groups, using grouping and sharing.

We will solve calculations for multiplication and division and write them using the multiplication (\times), division (\div) and equals (=) signs.

We will recall and use multiplication and division facts for the 2, 5 and 10 times tables, including recognising odd and even numbers.

We will solve problems involving multiplication and division, using materials, arrays and repeated addition.

We will make and interpret simple pictograms, tally charts, block diagrams and simple tables.

We will ask and answer simple questions about data that we have collected.

Music

"Growing and us" – our mainclass song

Find the pulse of a song.

Listen to and appraise a song.

Play tuned and untuned percussion instruments.

Science

We will explore and compare the differences between things that are living, dead, and things that have never been alive.

We will learn that animals, including humans, have offspring which grow into adults.

We will describe how different habitats provide for the basic needs of different kinds of animals.

PSHE

Being safe

We will explore how we can stay safe in school and at home.