

## Maths:

Develop a greater understanding of numbers to 100 and be able to use a knowledge of Place Value. The children will continue to work on addition and subtraction skills using 2 digit numbers. They will also use money to further their knowledge of numerical operations. Multiplication and division will be taught.

## Geography

Using maps children will locate the world's seven continents and five oceans. They will identify hot and cold areas of the world in relation to the equator and the North and South Poles.

## R.E

There are three questions that Year 2 will focus on in RE: How do Hindus worship? How and why is Diwali special for Hindus? How and why is light important at Christmas? The children will study both the Hindu and Christian religions.

## Science :

### Uses of everyday materials

Identify and compare the suitability of a variety of everyday materials, including wood, metal, plastic, glass, brick, rock, paper and cardboard for different uses  
Compare how things move on different surfaces.  
Find out how the shapes of solid objects made from some materials can be changed by squashing, bending, twisting and stretching. A number of experiments will be carried out to encourage investigation skills.

## Art:

Sculpture and collage. The sculptures Anthony Gormley will be explored.

## Article 15

You have the right to choose your own friends and join groups as long as it isn't harmful to others.



## Article 7

You have the right to a name.

## English

Reading – reading for information. Looking at the layout of non-fiction texts.

Writing – become skilled in writing a variety of sentence types using correct punctuation. The children will write stories, recounts, letters and instructions.

They will develop a deeper understanding of grammar and continue to work on their phonic knowledge.

## Music

### Charanga: Hands, Feet and Heart.

The children will listen to different music from South Africa and learn to recognise pulse and rhythm within a piece.

## Article 18

You have the right to be raised by your parents if possible.

## Class Novels:

**The Pirate Cruncher**  
**The Pirates Next Door**  
Jonny Duddle

## DT:

Create a structure ensuring it is strong and well constructed.

## History:

Know who became pirates and why. Find out about famous pirates. The children will find out what life was like on-board a pirate ship.

## MFL:

**Read numbers 1-20 in French**  
**Months of the year**

## PE:

Mighty movers (Running)  
Multi-skills (Coordination and agility)  
Boot camp (Fitness)  
Groovy Gymnastics

## Year 2 Autumn Topic:

# PIRATES



## Computing:

Computer Science: Follow and input instructions on a device.

Debug simple instructions.

Information Technology: Put children in different locations using green screen technology.

Digital Literacy: E-safety – know safe sites to use.

## Seal/SMSC/Rights Respecting

Relationships: why are friends important?

The children will establish a class charter and identify how they can contribute to school life.

What is bullying? Change starts with us.

