

English

- Exploring a range of texts from different countries and cultures e.g. *Meerkat Mail*, *The Rainbow Bear*, *The Ugly 5* and *Lila and the Secret of the Rain*
- Writing for a range of different purposes
e.g. postcards, letters, narratives, non-chronological reports, recounts, instructions
- Identifying the key features of different writing genres
- Making links between texts
- Answering questions and making inferences on a range of texts
- Summarising and highlighting key parts of a text
- Cross-Curricular writing opportunities linked to science learning on Mini-Beasts
- Poetry - Exploring and creating riddles all about Mini-Beasts.

Science

- **Living things and their habitats**
 - Mini beasts and micro habitats
 - How living things live in habitats suited to their basic needs
 - Describe and compare different habitats
 - Identify and name a variety of plants and animals
 - Describe how animals obtain their food from plants and other animals
 - Simple food chains

PE

As we have Forest School this half term Year 2 will only have Multi-Sports

Maths

- **Statistics - data handling**
 - Tally charts
 - Tables
 - Block graphs / diagrams
 - Pictograms
 - Interpreting data
- **Position and Direction**
 - Positional language
 - Turns
 - Patterns
- **Consolidation and review**

Computing

- **Purple Mash - Creating Pictures**
Using 2Paint a Picture to explore:
 - Impressionism - Claude Monet
 - Pointillist Art - George Seurat
 - Cubism - Paul Cezanne
 - Post impressionism - Van Gogh
 - Surrealism - Salvador Dali

RE

- **What is important to Muslim families**
 - The importance of respect
 - Muhammad as a prophet
 - The Qur'an is a special book

Year 2 Summer Term 2 'Around the World in 12 Weeks!'

PSHE - Jigsaw

- **Changing Me**
 - Exploring life cycles
 - Learning about how we grow and change from young to old]
 - Understanding and respecting the changes we see in ourselves and others
 - Knowing who to ask if we feel worried about changes

DT

- **Cooking and Nutrition**
 - Preparing and cooking food from around the World
 - Designing and making functional, appealing food-based products using different tools and equipment
- **Moving Mini-Beasts**
 - Designing and making a moving picture using levers, sliders and other mechanisms

Geography

- **Around the World in 12 Weeks**
 - Learning and exploring some of the different countries, continents and places around the World e.g. Africa, Kenya, Kalahari Desert, Australia
 - Identifying similarities and differences between the continents and countries
 - Locating them using atlases, globes and World maps

Enrichment

- African Drumming Workshop
- Forest School
- Nower Wood Trip - 8th June
- Transition activities for Year 3
- End of term performance and celebrations (this will be in place of the Music curriculum)