

### **Art and Design**

In Art, children will learn about different kinds of nature sculptures, exploring the work of Andy Goldsworthy and other environmental artists.

### **Computing**

Using floor robots, children will learn about algorithms, and will design, test and debug their own algorithms.

### **Design and Technology**

Pupils will explore fruit and vegetables, learning how to peel, zest and chop safely as they make a healthy meal.

### **English - Reading**

The Twits by Roald Dahl. Pupils will predict, discuss vocabulary and retrieve answers from the text to answer questions.

### **English - Writing**

Using their reading text as inspiration pupils will write character and setting descriptions, letters, diary entries, narratives and poetry.



## **Curriculum Information for parents/carers**

### **Year 2 - Elm - Spring 1**

In Year 2, we aim to help the children build their independence, and resilience to prepare them for the expectations of lower KS2. Pupils are responsible for their learning and organisation of resources, as well as looking after their personal belongings.

### **Geography**

In Spring 1 children will develop their key map skills through a range of engaging geographical skill-based activities, exploring maps and learning key map symbols.

### **History**

This half term we will learn about the influential nurses Florence Nightingale, Mary Seacole and Edith Cavell.

### **Maths**

Children will represent values using UK notes and coins and begin to learn multiplication & division.

### **Phonics**

Pupils are following the Little Wandle Letters and Sounds Revised Scheme for Year 2 Snellina.

### **Science**

Pupils will learn about a variety of habitats and the plants and animals that live there.

### **Personal, Social, Health, Economic**

Pupils will develop their understanding of their role and responsibilities as a member of the community.

### **Physical Education**

During PE pupils will develop their core strength, balance and coordination through gymnastics.

### **Religious Education**

Following their Autumn 1 studies, children will continue to learn more about Islam, and how Muslims live their lives.

### **Music -**

**I Want To Play in a Band**  
Pupils will listen to a range of genres, sing and play tuned and untuned instruments.