# Autumn Term 2023 – Year 2 Curriculum

### Maths

In maths, we will be securing the children's understanding of number and how numbers up to 100 are formed. The children will be using a broad range of resources to support their understanding.

#### **Science**

As scientists this term, the children will be learning about the uses of everyday materials which builds on their learning about properties of materials in Year 1.

RE

As global citizens, the children will be exploring Islam and what it means to be a Muslim. They will be finding out about the Five Pillars and the significance of each.

#### RHE

We will be focusing on being happy and healthy through the unit of respecting ourselves and others. The children will explore how they like to be treated and how to treat others with the same respect.

## Reading

As the children develop their skills in reading and learn all the sounds in the RWI programme, they will be moving from RWI groups into whole class reading where the focus will be on familiarising them with the skills they need to be fluent, confident and independent readers.

The children will be learning about the Titanic and exploring the significance of the sinking of the ship. They will be identifying the differing experiences of the passengers according to class and the purpose for them travelling to America before exploring how travel and ship building has changed to ensure safety.

### French

The children will be learning the names of the different fruits in French. They will learn the most common fruits and slowly build up to learning the names of fifteen different fruits.

## English

As authors, the children will be learning how to form sentences and to extend these sentences by adding in adjectives to create a clear image in the reader's mind as well as joining sentences and clauses together using a range of conjunctions.

#### Art

As artists, the children will be exploring the drawings of Valerie Davide and experimenting with charcoal and mark-making to create specific effects.

## Computing

The children will be learning about different types of technology such as bar codes, mobile phones and computers. Later in the year, they will be using some of this technology in their own

#### PE

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During outdoor PE, the children will be learning the skills needed to be successful in invasion games. They will also be learning about different stretches, balances and moves during gymnastics in their indoor PE session..