

Year 2 Spring Term 2 Booklet 2024

Successful Learners

Areas of Learning

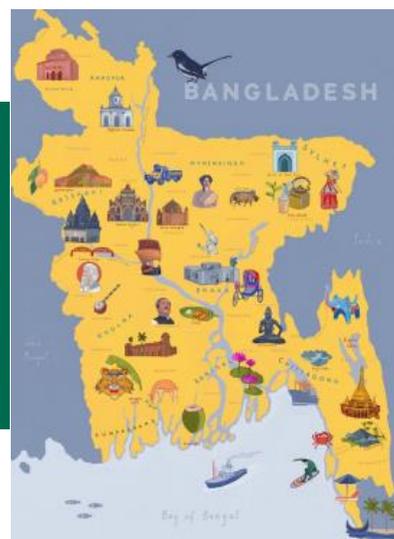
As Geographers we will be learning about Bangladesh and how it compares to the UK. We will compare and contrast this environment to where we live now. We will consider the main similarities and differences in the Physical and Human Geography between the UK and Bangladesh.

As scientists we will be continuing to learn about 'Uses of everyday materials.' We will be exploring materials, describing their properties and learning to classify them.

As mathematicians we will be learning about 2-D and 3-D shapes and what features each shape have including vertices, sides, and faces. We will also be learning about money and learning to find change. We will then be learning about multiplication and division. We will need to be able to multiply and divide by 2, 5 and 10.

As readers we will be continuing to have daily phonics lessons to consolidate our recognition and application of sounds. Within our school day we will also be exposed to a variety of texts that relate to our current learning, including non-fiction, fiction, poetry. We will also be developing comprehension skills.

How does Bangladesh compare to the UK?



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As writers we will continue exploring the text 'The Dark'. This term we will write poems about what would happen if there was no dark, and we will be developing our skills of writing a narrative. In our SPAG lessons we will be looking at different punctuation including questions marks and exclamation marks, and how we can include these in our writing. We will be working hard this term on our cursive handwriting.

As active children we will be practising our balancing and travelling in controlled ways through Gymnastics. We will rehearse and perform simple sequences.

As information technologists we will be learning about questioning and house computers and databases use questioning to define and provide information.

As artists we will be exploring the work of Jamini Roy. We will develop our skills of using different mediums to find how to make desired colours and tones.

Religious Education we will be thinking about how symbols help us to understand the Easter story. We will think about why Easter is the most important festival in the Christian calendar.

Christian Values

Thankfulness, Honesty, Love, Hope, Forgiveness, Compassion, Friendship, Responsibility, Courage

We will be exploring the value, courage. We will learn what it means to be courageous and why being courageous in our lives is so important. We will learn from the Bible stories and discuss what types of acts can be courageous and how we can follow this.

Spiritual development

We will provide frequent opportunities to explore, express and share feelings and build opportunities to do this within lessons. Children will consider unity in the world and ways that this can be achieved. Children will express feelings of thankfulness and awe towards the world and how amazing it can be.

Building Learning Powers- Reciprocity.

We will be focusing on developing our reciprocity this half term. We will learn to be aware of our own strengths and weaknesses and how these can be used to work both independently and collaboratively. As part of this we will aim to empathise with others and see things from their point of view. Most importantly we will look to each other when we need help as part of our learning partners.

Welcome back! We had such a busy term last term, so I hope the children are feeling well rested for another fun and busy term. The children have lots of new learning opportunities that I know will interest them greatly.

READING- It is very important that your child is reading at home! The benefits of reading with an adult daily have a huge impact. Please ensure the children are bringing their reading books into school to change them as often as possible! They can bring their reading books into school in their bookbags and change their books every day. We will also be continuing to visit the school library every Friday too.

HOMEWORK- Homework will follow the new format this term. Our maths activity will be focusing on our number bonds, and fact families as we want the children to be very secure this as possible. Please also check DOJO as I will be posting links to maths games that will help the children learn.

SPELLINGS- As part of Year 2's weekly homework they will be sent home 10 spellings to learn each week for a test on Friday. I will provide a different suggestion each week as a fun way to help the children learn these spellings. I will also post them on DOJO for when homework books are returned.

Thank you so much for your ongoing support, please feel free to pop in whenever you have any questions.

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