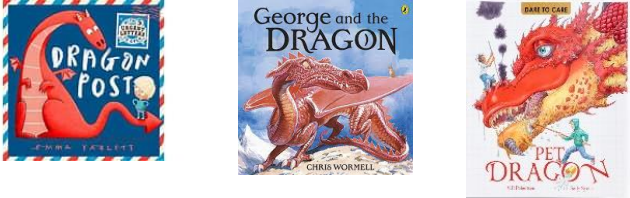




Topic overview for Year 2 – Summer 1 2023

Topic name – Dungeons and Dragons 		What is your expected outcome for the topic (what is the purpose for doing it)? RE - I can tell someone why water is important. Literacy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - To write a descriptive narrative - To write a non-fiction report DT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Use tools with clay - To join materials effectively 			
Trip/visitor/ hands on experience: King's Coronation through various media Walk around the Village		Text drivers:			
Week 1 17.04.23	Week 2 24.04.23	Week 3 01.05.23 3 day week King's Coronation	Week 4 08.05.23 4 day week	Week 5 15.05.23	Week 6 22.05.23
Maths – Time	Maths – Subtraction 1 digit from 2-digit Partitioning units Using a numberline Missing numbers	Maths – Subtraction 2-digit from 2-digit Partitioning T/Us Using a numberline Missing numbers Commutative law	Maths - Money, measure and number problem	Maths - Money, measure and number problem	Maths - SATs
Literacy – Fiction There is no Dragon in this Story Fiction - Descriptions	Literacy – Fiction The Dragon Slayer Twisted Fairytale – the 3 dragons and The Dragon Slayer	Literacy – Non- Fiction Write a letter to King Charles	Literacy – Fiction Set of Rules Dare to Care Pet Dragon Instructions	Literacy – Non-Fiction The Tiny Crusader Literacy Shed Reading and Spelling SATs	Literacy – Non-Fiction Reading and Spelling SATs
Art – Close Observational Drawing	Art - linked to DT Draw a dragon Design a dragon eye Use the mark making we learned last term in the design		Art - linked to DT Paint the Dragon eye using paint to create an effect.	RE Why is water used as a ritual in religions? About Baptism About River Ganges About why water is precious in religions and life.	RE Why is water used as a ritual in religions? About Baptism About River Ganges About why water is precious in religions and life.

Geography – The Local Area Looking at the physical and human features of where we live.	Geography – The Local Area Looking at the physical and human features of where we live.	History The King’s Coronation	Geography – The Local Area Looking at the physical and human features of where we live.	Geography – The Local Area Looking at the physical and human features of where we live.	Geography – The Local Area Looking at the physical and human features of where we live.
DT- Fruit Salad Cutting safely	DT- Dragon Eye Clay Eyes To experiment with clay by using different objects for mark making. To use tools effectively in clay.	DT – Dragon Eye Clay Eyes To experiment with clay by using different objects for mark making. To use tools effectively in clay.	DT – Joining materials Cut complex shapes from a range of materials with some accuracy	DT – Joining materials Cut complex shapes from a range of materials with some accuracy	DT – Joining materials Joining materials – measure and cut wooden batons to make a frame for the shield.
Science <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Learn that pushing and pulling can change the shape of things. Bigger pushes and pulls have bigger effects. 	Science <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Learn that pushing and pulling can change the shape of things. Bigger pushes and pulls have bigger effects. 	Science <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pushing and pulling can make things move or stop. Pushing and pulling can make things move faster or slower. 	Science <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pushing and pulling can make things move or stop. Pushing and pulling can make things move faster or slower. 	Science Longitudinal study - Spring animals and plants (habitat changes)	Science Longitudinal study - Spring animals and plants (habitat changes)
PDL - SCARF Being My Best	PDL - SCARF Being My Best	PDL - SCARF Being My Best	PDL - SCARF Being My Best	PDL - SCARF Being My Best	PDL - SCARF Being My Best
PE - Athletics: Country Dancing Review running technique over different distances , throwing underarm and overarm different objects, standing long jump, high jump, practising relays	PE - Athletics: Country Dancing Review running technique over different distances , throwing underarm and overarm different objects, standing long jump, high jump, practising relay	PE - Athletics: Country Dancing Review running technique over different distances , throwing underarm and overarm different objects, standing long jump, high jump, practising relays	PE - Athletics: Country Dancing Review running technique over different distances , throwing underarm and overarm different objects, standing long jump, high jump, practising relays	PE - Athletics: Country Dancing Review running technique over different distances , throwing underarm and overarm different objects, standing long jump, high jump, practising relays	PE - Athletics: Country Dancing Review running technique over different distances , throwing underarm and overarm different objects, standing long jump, high jump, practising relays
Additional Mental Maths Working at speed to recall facts	Additional Mental Maths Working at speed to recall facts	Additional Mental Maths Counting on and back from 100. Counting in 2s, 5s and 10s	Additional Mental Maths Multiplication 2x tables	Additional Mental Maths Multiplication 5x tables	Additional Mental Maths Multiplication 10x tables

<p>https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button</p> <p>Homework – 10x tables division facts</p>	<p>https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/daily10</p> <p>Week off for the Coronation</p>	<p>Homework – 5x tables Division facts</p>	<p>Homework – 5x tables</p>	<p>Homework – 2x tables division facts</p>	<p>Homework – 2x tables</p>
<p>Useful Websites Download the 1-minute maths app from White Rose to practise your mental maths facts.</p> 	<p>Useful Websites Maths https://themumeducates.com/wp-content/uploads/2018/04/KS1-SATS-Reasoning-paper-1.pdf</p> <p>Reading 2019 ks1 English reading Paper1 reading prompt and answer booklet.pdf - Google Drive</p>	<p>Useful Websites Practise compound words, sounding out and punctuation (full stops and capital letters) https://www.bbc.co.uk/games/embed/small-town-superheroes?exitGameUrl=https%3A%2F%2Fbbc.co.uk%2Fbitesize%2Farticles%2Fzncgvk7</p> 	<p>Useful Websites https://www.natgeokids.com/uk/category/discover/geography/</p>	<p>Useful Websites https://www.starfall.com/h/ela/punc-invest/?sn=ela2-3</p>	<p>Useful Websites https://www.topmarks.co.uk/</p>

Following our parents' meetings, lots of you requested additional work at home for their children.

We have included some games and activities linked to recent learning we have been doing. We hope your child has fun completing these over this half term. It is helpful to sit with your child initially so they know how to play the game correctly, then if they are confident they should be allowed more independence. They may need support in choosing the correct level for them, it is helpful to start with the first level to give your child confidence then they can try a more difficult level if it is appropriate.

The Year 2 Team

SATs

You may be aware that we will be administering SATs (Statutory Assessments Tests) this year. Legally, these have to take place during May but they are very low key and are done as part of the lesson in groups. Whilst they are completed under exam conditions, we DO NOT tell the children and cause them unnecessary anxiety. They are familiar with doing assessment tasks so it is all part of their classroom routine. The children will sit two reading, two maths and one spelling and grammar paper.

Village Walk



Year 2 will be walking to the village the week of the 8th May weather permitting for our geography field trip.

This will take place on Tuesday 2nd May (Caterpillars) and Wednesday 3rd May (Butterflies).

We will need a couple of volunteers per class to come with us for safety reasons. If this is something you can do, please let us know. Last half term, we had to cancel the litter picking due to lack of volunteers so we would really appreciate your support. We will ask again the week before when we know the day.

PE Days



Our PE days are Monday morning and Thursday afternoon. Monday is outdoor PE (athletics) so come into school on this day in your outdoor kit. Thursday PE is dance in the hall.

Please wear warm sports clothes with trainers. Please ensure long hair is tied back and earrings preferably removed on both of these days.

Library Day

Monday