



Newdigate Primary and Nursery School Year 2

Autumn 1 Curriculum Letter

SUMMARY OF CURRICULUM OBJECTIVES

For your information we have outlined below the topics that will be covered this half term in Year 2.

<u>Literacy</u>  The focus books will be The Three Billy Goats Gruff and Dogger From this we will be: • Retelling a story • Character description	<u>Numeracy</u> The focus will be: • Place value to 100 • Addition and subtraction • Multiplication • Money
<u>Science</u> As Scientists we will be looking at materials. We will be learning about the properties of different materials, their uses in everyday life and choosing the best material for a specific purpose.	<u>Computing</u>  Children will be thinking about how we use technology in everyday life. We will look at how to use technology safely and what we need to do to help us to stay safe online.
<u>History/Geography</u> As Geographers, we will be learning about cities, towns and villages. We will be learning about how to use maps and aerial photographs and drawing maps of our school.	<u>Art/DT</u>  As artists, we will be exploring colours and colour mixing. We will learn about primary and secondary colours and using this knowledge to make patterns in the style of Clarice Cliff.
<u>PE</u>  In PE we will be practicing our coordination and footwork. To do this, we will practice different ways of moving and stopping and the best ways to combine different movements.	<u>Music</u>  As musicians, we will be exploring rhythm and pitch through 'The Friendship Song'. The children will begin using tuned percussion to accompany the song.
<u>RE</u> During this half term the children will be completing the topic 'Who was Jesus?'. During this topic they will learn about some religious worldviews on who Jesus was and the roles he took. This will include learning about both Christian and Jewish views on the role of Jesus.	<u>PSHE</u> Children will focus on the theme of health and wellbeing. We will think about feelings and the best ways to manage emotions. We will also think about ways of staying healthy including maintaining good hygiene and sleeping well.
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