



Dear Parents and Carers,

We are really looking forward to welcoming your children to Year 2 in September.

We understand that many of the children have missed out on a great deal being in year 1 and we hold this at the forefront of our minds as we plan for their transition.

Below is a table detailing the topics we will cover next year. This may be useful if you are planning any day trips during the summer holidays or perhaps have books at home that link to these topics.

Year 1 Topic Overview 2019/20		
Autumn 1	Spring 1	Summer 1
<p>Famous for five minutes (Inventors such as 'The Wright Brothers' and 'Leonardo Da Vinci')</p> <p>Science Animals (including humans)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Babies - Healthy Hearts - Healthy Foods - Dead or Alive <p>RE - Hinduism</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Raksha Bandhan - Harvest 	<p>The Great Fire of London Fire Safety</p> <p>Science Everyday Materials</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Absorbency - Melting and molding - Waterproofing <p>RE Islam (Authority, worship and writings)</p>	<p>We are Britain (Spiritual, Moral, Social and Cultural)</p> <p>Science Plants (Ready Steady Grow)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Growing cress - Spreading seeds <p>RE- Christianity</p>

Autumn 2	Spring 2	Summer 2
<p>Geography</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Reading and drawing maps - Guided walk around the school grounds - Beyond the school gates - Trip to Croham Woods <p>Science</p> <p>Living things and their habitats</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Microhabitats - Food Chains - Collecting materials (Trip to Croham Woods) - Designing a bug hotel - Building a bug hotel <p>RE - Christianity and Christmas</p>	<p>Great Fire of London (Rhymes and Songs)</p> <p>Great Fire of London (story)</p> <p>Science</p> <p>Everyday materials (Squash, bend and twist)</p> <p>RE - Islam (Lifestyle and Celebrations) and Easter</p>	<p>Geography</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Oceans and Seas <p>Science</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Living things and their habitats (Gardens and allotments) <p>RE - Why are some things special</p>

We hope that you have a wonderful summer.

Kind regards,

Year 2 Team

Mrs Mclagan & Miss Rapley