

Year 2 Term 3 Curriculum Overview

Blean Primary School



Dear Parents and Carers,
Please have a look over our
class curriculum for the
coming term...

Learning Together to Enjoy and Achieve

English:

We will begin the term by reading and immersing ourselves in a story linked to our Humanities. Our first book is linked to the voyages of Captain Flinders and his cat Trim. We will then write our own stories based on their explorations at sea. We will be reading and performing to our peers the poem: 'The Owl and the Pussy Cat'.

Maths:

We will be learning about money. We will look at the value of coins and calculating totals and change. Our focus will then be on multiplication and division. We will learn and apply our number facts for the 2,5- and 10-times tables.

Science:

This term we will be learning about habitats. We will consider how living things are suited to their habitats and how they have adapted. We will reflect on the current concerns regarding the environment and habitats.

Humanities: We begin with a topic called 'Explorers' and look at a key question as to whether significant people would be considered explorers or invaders. Starting with more of a historical focus, the children will be immersing themselves in to the role of people from the past to answer the question. We will use role play and historical evidence to develop our own opinions.

Music:

This term, the children will be learning to maintain a steady beat and play the Glockenspiel.

PSHE:

We will start the term with a topic called 'Dreams and Goals'. We will consider our aspirations for the year ahead.

Art:

Our Art this term is inspired by Van Gogh's Fishing Boats at Saintes-Maries-de-la-Mer, 1888. We will each create a unique piece using a range of techniques.

PE:

We will be developing our fundamental skills to help us play badminton. In our hall sessions we will be doing circuit training. Our PE days are Tuesdays & Thursdays.

RE:

We will be considering the key questions: What can we learn from sacred books? Which stories are special and why?

Computing:

We will be working on our programming skills. We will develop our understanding of instructions in sequences and the use of logical reasoning to predict outcomes.

If you have any questions at all, please find us at the end of the day or let the office team know.

Many Thanks
The Year 2 team

Please ensure a named PE kit is in school at all times. Please consider some tracksuit bottoms and a top for the colder weather. Children with long hair need to have it tied back. Please ensure all uniform and personal property are named. Please hear your child read daily for 15 minutes and record this in their reading record. **Home Learning** will be published each Thursday via Google Classrooms. Home learning books to be returned to school each Tuesday, thank you.