



ST ANNE'S RC PRIMARY AND NURSERY SCHOOL

Autumn 1 Newsletter

Year Two



English

This half term we will be focusing on A Tiger Who Came to Tea by Judith Kerr. We will be looking at how to correctly punctuate a sentence, how to use adjectives and conjunctions and writing for a range of different purposes.

Mathematics

In Maths this half term, we are revisiting place value, and stretching our knowledge of number to numbers within 100. We will be looking at partitioning numbers and writing numbers in both numerals and word form.

R.E

In RE, our first topic this half term is 'family: beginnings' where children will be learning about the creation story and the importance of prayer. Our second topic is signs and symbols where we will be revisiting baptism and looking at the symbols used in baptism and the meaning behind.

History/ Geography

We will be focusing on history this half term, looking at The Great Fire of London. We will be exploring what life was like in London at the time of the fire, how the fire started and what impact this has for us in our lives today. In addition, we will be looking at the diary entries of Samuel Pepys.

Science

Science this half term focuses on animals including humans.

P.E

Children will be exploring different movements and how to travel. We will also take part in dance lessons with our coach.

Phonics

In phonics, we will be following a programme of spelling for Y2 and reading 3 times a week. Keep up catch-up sessions will be planned for those who need it.

Music

We are exploring pulse, rhythm and pitch using the Charanga platform.

PSHE/ RSE

The My Happy Mind focus this half term is meet your brain.

Computing

We will be checking that we can log on safely and then exploring coding.

Art/ DT - Art is the focus for this half term. Children will be looking at expressionism as a form of artwork and painting using different techniques.