



ST ANNE'S RC PRIMARY AND NURSERY SCHOOL

Autumn 2 Newsletter

Year Two



English

This half term we are looking at the book 'Lost and Found' by Oliver Jeffers. Children will be looking at writing their own report on Antarctica.

Mathematics

In Maths this half term, we are continuing to look at addition and subtraction skills including fact families, related facts, and number bonds to 100. We will then be moving onto exploring shape.

R.E

In RE, we will be continuing our signs and symbols topic where we will be revisiting baptism and looking at the symbols used in baptism and the meaning behind.

We will look at the Christmas story through our Nativity performance. We will also begin our preparations topic looking at Advent and how we prepare for this special time of year.

History/ Geography

Geography will be the focus this half term with our topic looking at map work. We will be exploring our local area, planning routes, using a compass, and observing aerial photographs. We will also be using atlases to look at the world around us including continents and oceans.

Science - Science

this half term focuses on materials and their uses..

P.E - Children will be focusing on gymnastics.

We will also be doing some yoga.

Phonics - We will be looking at Year 2 spelling rules. We will be recapping phase 5 sounds and following the Little Wandle reading programme.

Music

In music, we will be using Charanga looking at 'Playing in an Orchestra'. We will also learn and perform our Nativity songs.

PSHE/ RSE - My Happy Mind - Celebrate. RSE - Let the Children Come - we are all created and loved by God

Computing

We will be looking at Spreadsheets during our computing week.

Art/ DT

DT this half term is looking at different mechanisms which will form our annual Christmas card.