



All Change!

Year 2 - Summer Term - 2026



In English we will focus on...

Reading information texts.
 Looking at how information is shown in different ways.
 Writing an explanation text.
 Writing an extract from a diary.
 Writing direct speech using inverted commas.
 Writing a simple cinquain poem
 Writing an alternative ending to a narrative
 Using full stops, capital letters, exclamation marks and question marks consistently to punctuate sentences.
 Using conjunctions to join clauses.
 Using inverted commas for direct speech.
 Revising and using the Year 2 Common exception words
 Continuing to revise the Year 2 spelling patterns and punctuation including suffixes, contractions, possessive apostrophes and homophones.

In Maths we will focus on...

Telling the time to the nearest five minutes.
 Using a ruler to measure in centimetres and metres.
 Comparing lengths and heights
 Measuring mass and volume in standard units
 Measuring temperature in standard units
 Describing positions, movement and turns.
 Understanding how information can be presented as statistics.
 Comparing, reading and creating pictograms, bar charts and tally charts.
 Number facts and arithmetic - Mastering Number

In History and Geography we will focus on ...

Learning about the Great Fire of London.
 What caused the fire and how did it spread?
 What happened after the fire and how did London change?

Local History - The Victorian seaside.

Finding out about weather and climate in our school grounds through fieldwork.

In Science we will focus on...

Plants

Understanding the growth of seeds and bulbs.
 Finding out what plants need to stay healthy.
 Revising the names of familiar plants.

Animals including humans.

Understanding the basic needs of animals and humans.
 Learning about how the offspring of both grow and compare their growth.
 Finding out about the importance of exercise, eating the right food, and hygiene.

In Art and D.T we will focus on...

Looking at different structures and the materials they were built with
 Understanding how structures can be strengthened
 Designing and building our own Tudor style houses.
 Create a variety of monochromatic patterns and look at animals, mosaic flooring, wallpaper and mehndi designs.
 Describing patterns considering line, shape and space. Learn from the work of designers and artists. T
 Develop their mastery of pencil control, working to draw detailed and precise patterns.

In RE and RHE we will focus on...

Reading and discussing Bible stories.
 Learning about Hinduism and naming some religious artefacts, places and practices.
 Talking about 'Changing me'.
 Understanding how to keep healthy.
 Talking about dreams and goals.

In PE we will focus on...

Athletics
 Striking and fielding
 Net and wall games
 Gymnastics

In Computing we will focus on...

Creating simple animations using an online tool
 Presenting data.

In Music we will focus on...

Playing non-tuned and tuned instruments.
 Listening to and appraising different styles of music.
 Learning about contrasts in melody and timbre.
 Learning and performing a range of songs.