

Curriculum Overview for Year 2

Second half of Spring Term 2019



Hedgehogs class

<u>Class teachers</u>: Ms Bowes & Miss Cox

Support Staff: Mr Nathan

Otters class Class teacher: Support Staff:

Miss Edy Miss Harrison

Our topic this half term is 'Wild Things'. Please see attached topic web for the overview of the half term

Literacy

We have Phonics sessions 4 times a week. This half-term we will be working on phase 5 and Phase 6 spelling rules. They will read in a Guided Reading group with their teacher once a week and will read individually to adults as well. At Moss Lane we expect every child to read at home, every day. Please check your child's reading record for their weekly reading Learning Target (LT). It is really important for children to have their reading record at school every day. Please continue to practice spellings given as Home Learning and the Year 1 and 2 Common Exception and High Frequency words in preparation for SATS.

School Values

The values for this term are Aspire and Hope.

<u>P.E</u>

P.E. kit is needed in school every day as sometimes the routine has to be changed. Please ensure all items are clearly labelled especially since we are going swimming!

Thursday is our swimming day and all children need their swimming kit in school, goggles and swimming hats are allowed. We will need parent helpers so please speak to your child's class teacher(s) if you're available.

<u>Allotment</u>

We will be doing art, science and literacy at the allotment – ask your child about what they have done.

How you can help your child at home

Find lots of opportunities to build number facts (doubles, halves, number bonds to 10 and 20 and times tables – 2, 3, 5 and 10). Since we will be focusing on time please take every opportunity to look at analogue clocks and read the time shown with your child. We will also be doing capacity and volume so baking would be a great opportunity to practice measuring and reading scales. We will also be recapping addition and subtraction of 2-digit numbers.

Home Learning

Home Learning is a good chance to consolidate prior learning and gives your child the opportunity to show you what they've been learning that week in school. We always enjoy seeing what you have done together.

If there is anything you wish to discuss further or have any queries, please come and see us or make an appointment via the school office.

With best wishes

Ms Bowes, Miss Cox and Miss Edy