

English

We will read the book "Izzy Gizmo" and write a character description for the main character in the book.

We will read autobiographies and we will write our own autobiography.

We will revisit our writing skills and grammatical knowledge from Year 1 and begin to practise Year 2 skills such as using different conjunctions and expanded noun phrases.

Art & Design & Technology

We will use our drawing skills to develop and share ideas about ourselves, our families and special places and our feelings about them. We will sketch and draw with different media and develop our understanding of light and shade.

Geography

We will learn about the geographical features of Sheffield and be able to compare different areas. We will learn about the countries that make up the UK (and their characteristics) and surrounding seas.

PE

We will develop our passing and dodging skills through playing tag rugby.

We will develop our balance, jumping and landing skills using large apparatus.

Blue Base - Autumn 1

What makes me special?

How you can help at home:

- Listen to your child read 3x a week and ask questions about what they have read.
- Practise number facts for numbers to 20 (e.g. $8+5=13$, $13-5=8$).
- Learn to spell weekly spelling words.

SMSC

We will work co-operatively to write a class charter that helps us create a safe and fair environment in our classroom. We will think about what makes us unique and be able to identify our own feelings and how to ask for help.

History

We will explore our personal history and chronology, and our family tree. We will learn to place events in chronological order and talk about the passing of time.

Maths

We will be consolidating our understanding of Year 1 skills and place value of numbers to 100. We will look closely at the place value of each digit in a two-digit number (tens, ones) and will be able to compare and order these numbers. Using this knowledge, we will also be learning to add and subtract two digit numbers to 100.

Computing

We will select different tools and programmes to create portraits and landscapes in a range of styles.

Science

We will learn what animals need to survive. We learn about the importance of exercise and what makes a healthy diet.

Music

We will use musical vocabulary to describe sounds we hear in our environment. We will use these sounds as a starting point to create our own music.

RE

We will explore the theme of belonging and understand the different ways that people "belong" in their communities. We will think about why the Church is important to Christians.