# Spring Two - Year 6



# English

We will be writing a newspaper report based on Goldilocks and the 3 little pigs! We will be immersing ourselves in newspapers in order to identify the key features of newspaper reports – we will also be carrying out our own court room drama!

#### Maths

In maths we will continue to develop our knowledge and understanding of fractions. We will be learning to multiply fractions by whole numbers and other fractions. We will be dividing fractions by whole numbers and solving problems involving all four operations with fractions. We will also be solving problems involving fractions of amounts.

## Science

In Science, we will be to exploring circuits, batteries and switches. We will be learning about circuits and how to use conventional symbols in circuit diagrams. We will apply our investigative skills and explore how to change the brightness of a bulb in a circuit by changing the components.

In reading, the children will read extracts from a range of fiction and non-fiction texts to help support the development of their comprehension skills. We will be focusing on vocabulary-based questions while also focusing retrieving and inferring information from texts.

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#### DT

In Design & Technology, we will be celebrating culture and seasonality all while making delicious fruit crumbles!

## History

## French

#### Music

Our history unit is all about the Maya civilisation. We will be using our knowledge of timelines to place the period correctly in history. We will learn to describe the ideas and beliefs of Mayan people and make comparisons between Mayan civilisation in America with Anglo-Saxons in Britain.

In French our unit will focus on World War II. In this unit pupils will learn how to group/order unknown vocabulary to help decode texts in French. We will be improving our listening and reading skills and naming the countries and languages involved in WW2. We will also be able to say what the differences were in city and country life during the war while learning to integrate all our new and previous language writing a letter.

In music this term our learning will be focused around exploring The Electric Light Orchestra. We will be listening to their music and learning to play a range of chords. We will also be following and identifying all the different sections of the piece, offering ideas to further develop the piece of music, and practising the final composition and perform to an audience.

## **PSHE**

# Computing

PE

Our topic in PSHE this term is Keeping Safe. We will be learning to explain why emotional needs are just as important as physical needs are, as well as learning to explain some ways of making sure that I keep myself safe when using a mobile phone. We will also be Learning to explain why some people believe that more young people drink alcohol than actually do (misperceive the norm).

In computing, we will be continuing our 'Programming A – Variables in games' unit. We will explore the concept of variables in programming through games in Scratch. We will be using variables to create a simulation of a scoreboard.

As sportspeople we will be aiming to swim competently, confidently and proficiently over a distance od at least 25 metres. We will also aim to use a range of strokes effectively [for example, front crawl, backstroke and breaststroke].