

Year 2 Newsletter

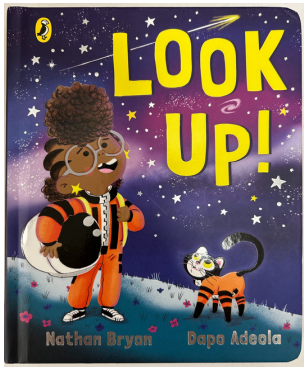
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Last half term highlights

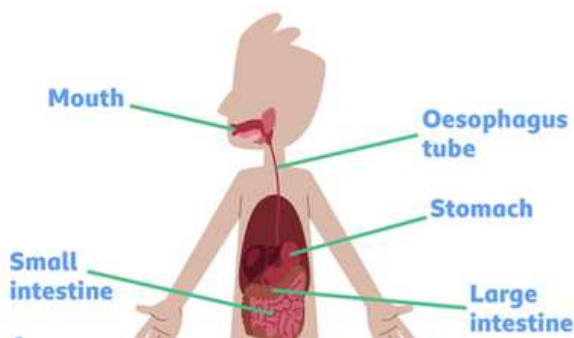
Flute Class thoroughly enjoyed the Take One Picture Project which is organised by the National Gallery. They learnt lots of information about Venice. Their Venetian carnival masks looked amazing!

They all particularly enjoyed the food tasting and making tapas!



We enjoyed our work around the book - Look Up! by Nathan Bryon.

They enjoyed learning about meteoroid showers. The children created some fantastic pieces of writing including: a biography, a persuasive letter, a poem, a script and much more!



In science we learnt all about the human body, the skeletal system, the muscular system, the digestive system and the circulatory system.

In geography, we looked at and created maps of the Willow Grove site. We also looked at local maps of Wixams and Bedford. The children learnt about compass points and directed each other from one location to another.



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Overview of learning for Autumn 2

English

We will be focusing on a new book this half term which contains tales from around the world. The children will be orally telling stories to each other, writing setting descriptions, Character descriptions, writing diary entries and creating their own narratives based on the stories we read.

In our daily spelling and grammar session will focus on homophones (words that sounds the same but have different meanings and spellings.) We will also be focusing on different sentence types and punctuation.

Maths

In maths we will be focusing on:

- Money- making different amount and finding change
- Using and comparing units for mass
- Using and comparing capacity

History

In history, the children will be looking at the Romans. They will look at:

- The growth of the Roman Empire
- The Roman Army
- The Roman Invasion of Britain
- Roman Towns
- The changes that the Romans made to Britain

Science

In science, we are focusing on astronomy. This will include:

- Understanding what the Solar System is
- Looking at orbit and rotation
- Identifying the different phases of the moon
- Looking at and drawing constellations

Things to Remember

- The school gates close at 8:30am.
- Monday morning reading will continue to happen in the classroom- all parents/carers are welcome!
- Please ensure your child has a suitable coat in school now the weather is getting colder.
- Library will continue to happen on a Friday.
- Monday and Tuesday are PE days.
- The Year 2 curriculum overview presentation s on Thursday 6th November at 3:15pm.

