

Our PE this Half Term

PE for Year 2 is on a Friday. Please ensure that children come to school on this day already in their PE kit with appropriate shoes. This half term the children will be learning to develop our athletic skills. We will be focusing on how to run at speed and length while staying straight!

Our Religious Education and World Views this Half Term

In our Religious Education learning this half term we will be looking at the concept of stories. We will be recapping some of the Christian and Jewish stories we have already learnt and discussing the impact that stories can have on our own lives. We will be adapting the story of the Good Samaritan into our very own version! Can you think of a story that has helped you learn?

How can you help at home?

Reading - Please continue to read with your child 3 times a week and don't forget to make sure it is logged on Go Read. Remember to ask your child lots of questions while they are reading to check their understanding.

Maths - To support with our learning of measurement in school, anything that you can allow your child to measure at home would be fantastic. Using a ruler to measure length or weighing ingredients ready to bake a cake are all great opportunities for children to explore their new skills.

History - Get your children to look up at the sky! What machines can they see flying around? Maybe you have some photographs of a holiday where you visited an airport to show the children!

Dates for your Diary

Thursday 26th May 2022 - Queen's Jubilee Celebrations.

W/C 16th May 2022 - Year 2 SATS.

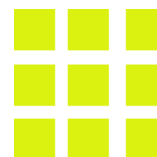
Fri 27th May 2022 - DEVELOPMENT DAY

Mon 30th May - Fri 3rd June 2022 - HALF TERM.

Fri 17th June 2022 - DEVELOPMENT DAY

Tues 28th June 2022 - EYFS and KS1 Sports Day.

Mon 4th July 2022 onwards - Transition to Year 3.



Nine Acres Primary School Summer Term 1 2022

Year 2 Team

Miss Hayward



Miss Fry



Miss Perumall



Mrs Frampton



Mrs Barnes



Dear Parents/Carers,

What a busy half term ahead of us!

This half term we will be taking flight by learning all about the history of aviation. We will be exploring the very first flying machines and also studying the significant fighter pilot Mary Ellis and looking closely at her impact of flying on the Isle of Wight!

As many of you know, we are also busy prepping the children ready for their end of Key Stage 1 SATS that will be occurring at the end of this term. We know the children have worked so hard and will continue to make us all proud.

With thanks,
The Year 2 Team.



Knowledge Organiser
'Striving for Excellence'



Year 2 - Summer Term 1 2022 - Aviation

Important facts to know by the end of this topic:



- The first successful aeroplane was called the Wright Flyer.
- It was made by the Wright brothers in 1903.
- There are many differences between modern aircrafts and the flyer.
- The Isle of Wight has two airports; one in Bembridge and one in Sandown.
- Mary Ellis was a ferry flyer who transported aircrafts to where they needed to be to help with the war.
- After the war, Mary Ellis came to live on the Isle of Wight and become commandant of Sandown airport.

Key Skills

- Using terminology of past and present, then and now.
- Developing knowledge of different aircrafts through time.
- Analysing information from a range of sources to learn about Mary Ellis.



Source analysis and interpretation



Chronological Understanding

Key Vocabulary

Aeroplane – powered flying machine with fixed wings.

Aircraft – flying machine.

Aviation - the world of aircraft and air travel.

Century – period of 100 years.

Flight – journey through the air.

Pilot - a person who operates the flying controls of an aircraft.

Propeller – turning part with blades that power the aeroplane.

Significance - important.

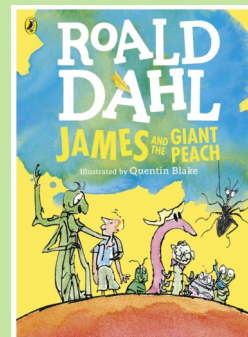
Our English this half term!

Have you ever eaten a nice juicy peach? Have you ever had magic turn into the size of a ladybird, a worm, a grasshopper or a spider? James has.

In this half term, we will be exploring the story of James and his adventure to get away from his terrible Aunties. We will be exploring many writing opportunities such as character descriptions, diary entries and poems.



This term's exciting book!



Our Maths this half term!

This half term we will be looking at measurements. We will look at mass in grams and kilograms, capacity in litres and millilitres and learn about position and direction. We will be using centimetres and metres to measure height and length and learning how to read a variety of scales.

