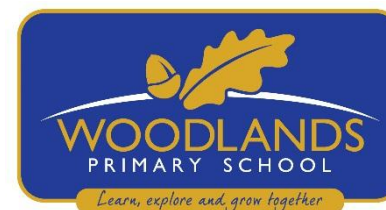


Year 2

Terms 1 and 2 Curriculum Outline



Welcome to our Curriculum Outline for the coming two terms. For general information on routines and homework, please visit our year group page on the website, using the following link www.woodlands.kent.sch.uk and click on the [curriculum](#) tab.

<p>English</p>	<p>Term 1 – Bob’s Best Friend. We will have the opportunity to learn the story with actions and recount it. We will also adapt the story to write our own version concentrating particularly on sentence construction and use of adjectives. As part of our topic, we will write some descriptive passages about a moon and space scene. This term’s learning will culminate in children writing their own version of a meeting tale. We will also think about how to write instructions and create some of our own.</p> <p>Term 2 – Meerkat Mail. With this wonderful story we will be hot seating characters from the book and describing settings. We will look at some “What if ...” scenarios and looking carefully at the sequence of the story. We will finish the term by writing our own adventure journey story. We will also discover what a Clerihew poem is and have a go at composing one.</p>	
<p>Maths</p>	<p>Throughout both terms, we will concentrate on place value, addition, subtraction and shape. In place value, we will be concentrating on numbers up to 100, flexibly partitioning them and placing them on a number line. We will be counting in 2s, 3s, 5s and 10s. In addition and subtraction, we will be including number families, comparing number sentences and missing number problems. In shape we will think about the properties of 2D and 3D shapes, sorting shapes, lines of symmetry and making patterns with shapes.</p>	<p>Throughout both terms we will be concentrating on place value, addition, subtraction and shape. In place value we will be concentrating on numbers up to 100, flexibly partitioning them and placing them on a number line. Whilst learning about addition and subtraction, we will explore number bonds, strategies for solving calculations and comparing number sentences. In shape we will thinking about the properties of 2D and 3D shapes, sorting shapes, lines of symmetry and making patterns.</p>
<p>Science</p> <p>In Term 1 and 2 we will be studying the use of everyday materials. We will be able to identify and compare everyday materials for particular uses. We will also notice how materials can be changed through manipulation. Throughout the term we will study where materials come from and their properties.</p>	<p>History</p> <p>The title of our history topic will be “Up in the Air” and we will be studying the history of flight, from the Wright brothers to the first moon landing. We will place the most significant events about the history of flight on a timeline and will use critical thinking tasks to consider whether space travel is necessary and why.</p>	<p>DT</p> <p>We will be investigating Mechanisms and making a moving monster.</p> <p>Art</p> <p>Aboriginal Art. We will talk about materials and techniques used by other artists. Understand that different forms of creative work are made by artists in all cultures and times.</p>

<p>Computing We are Astronauts – we will plan a sequence of instructions to move a sprite in ScratchJr.</p>	<p>Music Term 1 – Rhythm and pulse. Term 2 - Ocarina</p>	<p>PE Term 1 – Ball Skills Term 2 – Gymnastics</p>
<p>RE Term 1 - We will explore the question “What makes some places sacred?” Term 2 – We will explore the question “Why does Christmas matter to Christians?”</p>	<p>PSHE Term 1 – Being me in my world. We will be identifying hopes and fears for the year ahead. Understanding the rights and responsibilities of class members. Paying particular attention to listening to others. Term 2 – Celebrating differences. We will learn that it is good to be ourselves and that there are stereotypes about girls and boys. Understand the difference between right and wrong and the role that choice has to play in this.</p>	<p>Forthcoming Events Trip to Methodist church Harvest Festival Christmas Fair Christmas play</p>