



YEAR 2

Spring 1

January/February 2022

PE

PE will be continuing on a Tuesday and we have arranged a sports coach to come in and deliver infant multi skills activities. After half term our PE day will change, more information on this will follow.

Reading

Please continue to listen to your child read at home. This does not always need to be your school reading book and could be things like listening to them read the instructions for a Seesaw task, recipes or e-books online. Your child should read their school book at least 3 times a week. Book change day is on Monday and children will visit the library on Thursdays.

Home learning

Home learning will be issued via SeeSaw. You should all now have access to SeeSaw and should be using it to upload the home learning and interact with the activities. Well done to those that are already doing this. Activities can be completed either electronically on a device or by printing and writing (sometimes easier!).

Year 2 News

Happy New Year and welcome back to another term of wonderful learning in Year 2. We hope that you had a lovely Christmas and a restful holiday period. We are excited to welcome the children back into our classrooms and get busy with our fantastic new topic.

This term we are learning all about Castles. This is a great topic that lends itself to lots of learning both in school and at home. Perhaps you and your child have visited a castle before? We would love to see photos.

We will focus on the history of castles, how they were built, why, who lives in them and many more exciting things. We will end this topic with our exciting school trip to Windsor Castle on Thursday 3rd February.

If you have not yet sent back your permission slip, please do so ASAP. The deadline for this is Monday 17th January.





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	Maths	Literacy
Week One	Consolidation	New Years resolutions/ Target setting
Week Two	Multiplication	The Paper bag princess Familiarisation of story
Week Three	Multiplication	The Paper bag princess Innovate story
Week Four	Division	The Paper bag princess Innovate story
Week Five	Division	Recount of visit to castle
Week Six	Statistics	Information leaflets about castles

Term Topic—Castles

Science—We will be investigating the properties of materials and forces and also looking at the human life cycle.

Geography—We will be looking at locating castles on maps and identifying land features.

DT— We will be designing and making products based on our castle topic.

RE—We will be looking at the special relationship Jews have with God.

PSHE— We will be looking at gender differences and stereotypes.

ICT— Online safety and coding.

Art— Paul Klee, castle and sun picture.