

Literacy

In literacy we will be focusing on getting key stage 2 ready. We will be developing our

independence in writing and also beginning to join our handwriting to improve our presentation even more. We will be writing a **persuasive holiday leaflet** encouraging people to visit our town. We will be trying our hand to **poetry** to pay tributes to our beaches and castles. We will create **information texts** on how food is grown on our farms and creating a recount based on a trip along north and south bay.



Maths

In maths we will be focusing on fractions, measurement, geometry and time! Now,

this is a very important part of year 2 as telling the time is a big skill that our children can take into their adult life. If they could practise this at home using an analogue clock that would be excellent! We will be doing our best to improve both our fluency and problem solving skills in our last term being in year 2.



Science

We will work as scientists to learn all about **The uses of**

Everyday materials. We will learn all about different types of materials and how they are used in our area. We will learn about how materials can change shape by bending, squashing, twisting and stretching. Finally, we will be learning all about recycling and how it helps to protect our environment.



Computing

In computing we will be learning all about how to stay safe when using the internet. We will learn

how everything we do online leaves a digital footprint. We will look at how to 'be the judge' of what is a safe website or video link and what we can do if we don't feel safe. Finally, we will look at how to be kind online and ensure that we don't say cruel things to others that could upset them.

Humanities

are today.

In Geography we will be exploring our local area and its travel and transport. We will learn about trains, buses and other forms of transport and how they came to be what they

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What do we know about our wonderful town?



In PSHE we will think about

how we can look after each other and the world. We will consider how to manage change and

discuss how we feel about moving to a new school, a new class and a new year group

Art and DT

We will don our aprons and bring out our inner

Vincent Van Gogh to paint the Scarborough seaside. We will sketch the castle and learn how to shade.



PΕ

In PE we will be practising our athletics and net and wall skills. We will be

making the most of the sunshine and trying to get out when possible so please bring sun cream.

Music

we are fortunate this term to have singing and percussion sessions each week

with a music

specialist.

RE



In RE Miss Quinn will be helping us to learn about sacred books and how and why they are important.

Home learning – With the pandemic, we really need your support in helping your children to catch up with their learning. Please read below to see what we need from you.

Reading: Children will be expected to read their home reading books three times a week with a written comment from a parent in their reading record. They will need a school book bag and reading record. Book bags are available from the school office.



maths: Children will have a Big Maths Beat That activity to complete in class every week. This tests the speed and accuracy of their adding up so any practise of addition up to 10/20 at home will be beneficial!

spelling: We will be learning to read and write the 'tricky words' (phase 2-phase 5) and will send a list of them home for you to practise.