



Parkland Primary School Curriculum Newsletter

Term: Autumn 2

Maths

This term Year 2 are learning...

- To recall and use addition and subtraction facts to 20
- To add and subtract numbers using concrete objects, pictorial representations and mentally
- To show that addition can be done in any order but that subtraction cannot

Our times tables focus is to count in multiples of 2, 5 and 10. We are also continuing to learn how to count in multiples of 3.

Wider Curriculum Learning Journeys

In Science this term we will be learning about the properties of materials and why they are suitable for a specific purpose.

In Design Technology, we will be designing and making a card that uses levers and slides to make parts move.

In Geography we will be learning about the oceans and continents of the world. We will find out their names and where they are.

Reading

This term in reading we are continuing to learn how to retrieve from a text. We will also be starting to make inferences about a text so that we can better understand what the author is writing about. Our Class text this term is *The Night Pirates*. It is all about a little boy who goes on an adventure with pirates!

Autumn 2 Topic Land Ahoy!



PSHE and Wellbeing

Our PSHE topic this term is called Keeping Safe.

It is all about how to keep ourselves safe and who can help us if we feel unsafe.

English

In English this term we are learning about how to write a narrative.

The key knowledge and skills we will be learning are:

- recognising the beginning, middle and end of a story
- looking at the differences between statements, commands, exclamations and questions
- how to use adverbs to describe a verb and to start sentences
- how to use inverted commas to identify speech in a text



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Noticeboard

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Key Dates this Term

Monday 25th October: School Opens

Parents' Evening Dates

Wednesday 27th October 3:30pm - 5:30pm

**Thursday 28th October 1pm - 3pm,
3:30pm - 5:30pm**

Friday 17th December: School Closes

Reminders

Water Bottle

Please ensure your child has a **re-useable** water bottle with them in school to keep them healthy and hydrated.

PE Days

Please remember to send your child into school in suitable, warm PE kit on their Outdoor PE days below.

Children with long hair should have it tied back securely.

2RD and 2MS – Thursday

2PW – Friday

Indoor PE – 2RD Wednesday, 2MS Friday, 2PW Monday



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