

# It's going to be busy in Year 2 this half Term .....

## English



This half term, we will be reading and compare alternative versions of traditional stories, discussing opposing characters. We will then plan and write alternative traditional stories of our own. We will continue to work on spellings and comprehension skills as well as punctuation and grammar rules in more detail.

## Maths



We will be looking at money, recognising different amounts, finding totals and change. We will use our skills from last half term to solve problems involving money. We will move on to working with multiplication and division. The children will use arrays to see multiplication and division as repeat addition and subtraction before learning multiplication and division facts for 2, 5 and 10. The children will enjoy challenges on Times Table Rockstars and solve problems using all four operations.

## Science



We will start the half term with a mini topic on materials, looking at how materials are used and how they can be changed. We will then look at forces and movement through our topic of 'Terrific Tales'. We will compare how things move on different surfaces and we will ask questions, devise simple tests and make predictions.

## DT



In Design technology we will be looking at wind up mechanisms. We will then design and use our designs to make a simple wind-up toy.

## Computing



In Computing we will read and reply to emails and compose our own emails. We will discuss e-safety. We will use information gained from our emails to compile a simple database.

As well as all this there will be gymnastics, music, outdoor PE, RE, circle time, role play activities, show and tell, learning platform and Mymaths activities and lots more .....

Another busy term- Mrs Jones sand Mrs Sharpe

If you have any spare time, why don't you.....

- look at the times you do different activities at during the day
- try telling the time including o'clock, half past and quarter past
- visit the library and read about materials
- read some traditional stories
- write your own stories based on traditional tales
- practise your Maths targets and spellings

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