



Healey Foundation Primary School



Year 2 Curriculum Newsletter - Spring Term

English

Phonics will be linked with handwriting and will be taught daily. Children will be writing sentences using the sounds taught in phonics.

Handwriting—correct letter formation and pencil grip using continuous cursive writing

Children will read three times a week following the Little Wandle Scheme.

Weekly spellings to be learnt at home to be tested on a Monday.

Please try to read with your child regularly at home as this will help them with all aspects of their learning.

Maths

Addition — adding ones or tens to a two digit number; comparing calculations; related number facts (fact families) building up to adding two 2 digit numbers (including with exchanging)

Subtraction — subtracting ones and tens from a two digit number; comparing calculations; related number facts (fact families) building up to adding two 2 digit numbers (including with exchanging)

Using concrete equipment (tens and ones) and pictorial representations to solve calculations.

Reasoning—being able to explain how to solve a calculation and provide reasons why

History

Florence Nightingale-A study of the lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national and international achievements.

Geography: Geography skills and field work- recognising human and physical features of local area.

Science

Identifying and classifying animals according to what they eat (carnivores, herbivores and omnivores)

Simple food chains

Identify that most living things live in habitats to which they are suited and describe how different habitats provide for the basic needs of different kinds of animals.

RE

What is a Christian and what do they believe? Sacred objects and special times for Christians.

PHCSE

On line safety including sharing personal details

Digital Wellbeing-Using the internet in a safe and responsible way.

PE

Dance—Power!

Jungle Yoga!

PE is on a MondayWednesday—Full Kit required

Art/DT

Investigating maps as a stimulus for drawing

Learning, applying and developing ideas in art

Make a clay sculpture.

MUSIC Musical Me:

Learning a basic song and understanding how to use pitch.