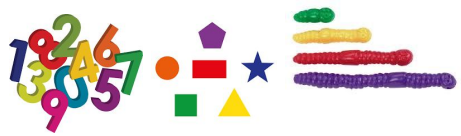









## Autumn 2 Overview - Year 2

This is Woodpecker Class's curriculum overview which gives you a brief explanation of what the pupils will be doing in school.

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| <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Topic</b></p> <p>Our topic this half term is 'Where is Bear?' which has a geography and PSHE focus. The pupils will adopt and look after a class bear. They will take them on a journey travelling through the school, local community and around the world. Pupils will be supported to understand and role play caring for the bear and making them feel part of the class.</p> <p>Week 1- Poland<br/>Week 2- India<br/>Week 3- Africa<br/>Week 4- Italy<br/>Week 5- China<br/>Week 6- Local Area<br/>Week 7 - Antarctic</p> | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Maths</b></p> <p>We will follow a weekly cycle covering all aspects of maths. The cycle will be as follows:</p> <p>Number<br/>Measurement<br/>Geometry</p>    | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>English</b></p> <p>This half term our school focus is Traditional Tales.</p> <p>Year 2 have chosen the tale of The Gingerbread Man.</p> <p>Each class will approach the story at the level the pupils are working at and cover a range of activities linked with the book.</p>  | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Cookery</b></p> <p>Our cookery theme this half term is 'Pizza'.</p> <p>Week 1 - Pizza Tasting<br/>Week 2 - Pitta Pizzas<br/>Week 3 - Making dough with cheese &amp; tomato topping<br/>Week 4 - Making dough with cheese &amp; pepper topping<br/>Week 5 - Making dough with cheese, sweetcorn or pineapple topping<br/>Week 6 - Polar Bear Peppermint Cakes<br/>Week 7 - Christmas Cookery</p>  |
| <p>In the final weeks we will also have Christmas activities and rehearsals for our year band performance.</p>    | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Where is Bear?</b></p>   | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Expressive Arts</b></p> <p>This half term the children will be participating in the home role play area and the 'Side by Side' whole school project</p>  | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>PSHE Skills</b></p> <p>Pupils will continue to work on their personalised learning program targets each week.</p> <p>Assemblies this half term will be linked to different celebrations e.g. Diwali &amp; Remembrance Day.</p>  |
| <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Computing</b></p> <p>This half term our ICT unit is Story Making. The pupils will use PowerPoint to produce a sequence of slides showing key images from The Gingerbread Man. They will add in simple narration in the form of: words, sounds or symbols to tell the story.</p>   | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Phonics &amp; Communication</b></p> <p>We will begin teaching pre-phonics and phonics in differentiated groups within the year band. Pre-Phonics pupils will be focusing on listening to, identifying and manipulating everyday sounds. Pupils working on phonics will be learning their letter sounds and how to blend sounds to help with reading unfamiliar words.</p> <p>Pupils will continue to work on individual communication methods in class, such as PECS.</p>  | <p style="text-align: center;"><b>PE</b></p> <p>In PE this half term the pupils will be working on gymnastics with Maisy, learning about balance, coordination and movement.</p>    |   |