

St Mary and St Peter's Catholic Primary School



Curriculum overview in Y2 for Summer Term 1

Religious Education

This half term we are focusing on what happened after the crucifixion. We will look at how Jesus appeared to his Apostles and how they felt at that time. We will also look at the coming of the Holy Spirit and its fruits. We will think about how we can be inspired by the Holy Spirit and how it impacts our daily lives.

<u>PSHE</u>

In PSHE this half term, we are focusing on human life cycles. We will be learning how humans grow from young to old and how our needs change. We will also be learning about the different parts of our bodies.

<u>PE</u>

This half term the children will be learning about fitness in the Tuesday lessons with Mrs Phair. On Wednesdays our focus will be **Invasion Games**. We will be learning how to work as a team to attack and defend a goal or an area. We will also be developing our throwing, passing and target skills as well as learning how to follow rules in a game.

English

This half term we are writing adventure narratives based on 'One Day On Our Blue Planet...In The Savannah' by Ella Bailey. We will be focusing on setting descriptions and using adverbs to add detail to our story. We will also be extending our sentences using 'when, if, that, and because'. Our grammar focus will be on the difference between past and present tense and using different sentence types to improve our writing.



<u>Maths</u>

Our maths focuses for this half term are **fractions and measurement**. We will be identifying and creating half, quarter and thirds of objects. We will also be learning drawn methods to find fractions of a number. We will also be exploring different ways to measure objects, including weight, length and capacity.

'Set Sail for Success'

In Geography this half term we will be studying biomes of the world and focusing on the Savannah biome. We will explore the weather and climate, plants and animals, human and physical features and comparing how savannahs are similar and different around the world.

In science we will be investigating Animals including humans. We will be looking at different life stages and life cycles and matching offspring to their adults. We will also be learning about how to keep our bodies healthy and what makes a balanced diet.

In our DT lessons we will be making finger puppets to help show our learning of the tropical savannah.

Our focus for Computing this half term is coding. We will learn how computers work with a series of instructions and practice creating our own code.

Geography

<u>Science</u>

<u>DT</u>

Computing