



Let's go to China!



Year 2 Spring Term

Welcome to our Summer Term Curriculum Flyer.

This is a brief overview of our learning this term.

Please use this information to support discussions and learning at home. If you have any questions or concerns, please see me at the end of the day or contact me via email. khaswell@reddings.herts.sch.uk

English

We will be reading and learning the story of The Willow Pattern, writing some creatives myths and compiling our own instructions explaining how to look after a panda. Next half term we will be writing poems and reports based on our learning about China.

The children will continue to have dedicated SPaG lessons and continue to build on their reading skills.

Science

We will be learning about habitats, with a focus on pandas and theirs, linking with the topic theme of China. The children will also be developing their skills of scientific enquiry, involving lots of practical activities.

Music

In music children will learn to sing a variety of songs and accompany them with instruments.

DT

The children will be designing a making

Chinese lanterns, and dragons.

Art:

We will be making some 3D models linked to our learning about China.

PE

The children will be developing their athletics skills and learning and developing outdoor games.

History

In history we will be learning about the exciting and vibrant country of China. We will be learning about the culture, traditions and changes to the country over time.

Maths

The units we will be covering this term are, multiplication and division, fractions, problem solving, addition and subtraction and symmetry . We will also be revising and deepening our knowledge of prior units. Being secure in 2,3,5,10 times table is expected at the end of year 2.

RE

We will learn about authority figures who influence their lives and find out about religious leaders and their work within local faith communities;

Computing

In computing the focus will be on embedding the skills they have been learning this year and using them in wider contexts. The children will also be learning about using technology safely

Geography

In Geography we will be learning about the country of China. The children will be learning about its physical and human features and landmarks and comparing them with other countries including the UK.

Home Learning

Weekly home learning and spellings are sent out on a Friday and are due back on a Wednesday. Children should read to an adult a minimum of 3 times a week and this should be recorded in their reading records.

They should regularly practise their times tables. (2, 3, 5, 10)

Home Learning Bingo.

This term Home Learning Bingo is all about our topic on China. The Children may complete the tasks in any order they wish and should all try to complete some of the tasks titled as 'Challenge' activities. At the end of the first half term the expectation is that all children will have completed at least 4 of the tasks. Should you require any further information or support with completing the tasks please do ask.

PE Kit and Clubs

PE kit should remain in school during each half term.

Please ensure children have suitable out door PE kit for the Summer Term.

An additional PE kit should be provided for clubs.

E-Safety

Please ensure that all children using any device that can be connected to the internet are supervised. Talk to your children about staying safe online and visit our school website for more information on staying safe online.

Glossary

SPaG— Spelling, punctuation and Grammar .

Physical feature—natural, eg rivers, mountains.

Human Feature—Man made, eg roads and houses.

Scientific enquiry- the ongoing process of discovery in science.

