

# 🌟 Year Two - Our Learning This Half Term 🌟

Welcome to the new half term! Here is a snapshot of what we will be learning.

## 📖 English

This half term we are starting to write lengthier pieces of text. We will be covering expanded noun phrases and conjunction words like and, but, so, and because. We will begin to draft pieces of work, edit them and perform them within the classroom.

## 🌍 Topic

We are looking at History this half term and what it was like in the Victorian era. In Geography we will also be looking at Leicester over time.

## 👨‍🍳 Creative Curriculum

In DT this half term we will be cooking a crumble. They will learn how to prepare fruit and make a crumble with this fruit.

During art this half term we will be looking at the artist Henri Rousseau. We will then be making a portrait in his style.

Pe- This half term our PE days are Tuesday and Wednesday. We are doing Gymnastics this half term.

## 🔢 Maths

Following on from place value, addition and subtraction, we will be continuing addition and subtraction and look at doing with two 2-digit numbers. We will then move on to shape and look at 2D and 3D shapes.

## 🔬 Science

Our young scientists will be exploring animals including humans. We will look at different types of animals, how to classify them and how they live.

## ❤️ Personal Development

In RE we are looking at why Christmas is important to Christians.

This half term we will also be getting ready for and practicing our Christmas production with Year One!

## 📚 How You Can Help at Home

- Read regularly
- Practise spellings and maths facts
- Talk about learning

## ★ Key Dates & Reminders

- 📅 13<sup>th</sup> November - Children in Need
- 📅 4<sup>th</sup> December – Rainbows Santa Fun Run
- 📅 11<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Jumper Day
- 📅 16<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Dinner

We look forward to an exciting half term of learning!

Miss Jones