

Dovecot Primary School
Year 2 Curriculum Map
Autumn Term 1



English

In Year 2, our first story will be 'A River by Marc Martin'. A young girl gazes out of her city window until her imagination transports her into a boat on a river and she embarks on a fantastical journey downstream. As her imagination takes flight, the river transforms, carrying her through vibrant jungles, serene countryside, and stormy seas. Each turn of the page reveals intricate, hand-painted illustrations, evoking a sense of wonder and discovery. The first writing outcome will be to write a circular narrative. Our second outcome will be a letter.

PSHE

Being Me in my World, Hopes and Fears for the Year, Rights and Responsibilities, Safe and fair learning environment, Valuing contributions

Maths

In Year 2, children will continue to develop their skills in Mathematics. We will be working on our knowledge of Place Value, counting to 100, tens and ones, number lines and comparing numbers.

We will then move onto developing our skills of Addition and Subtraction, looking at Number Bonds, related facts, adding and subtracting 1-digit and 2-digit numbers.

Science

Living Things and Their Habitats
Children will learn to distinguish between living, dead, and non-living things, explore how different habitats provide for basic needs, and understand simple food chain

Geography

Local Area Study—
Human and Physical Features

Children will learn to identify, observe, and describe the Physical Features and Human Features found around their school and surrounding environment.

RE

Is it possible to be kind to everyone all the time?

Music

Pulse, Rhythm and Pitch

Phonics

Children will be grouped according to where they are up to individually with their learning. We follow the Read Write Inc scheme for phonics.

Computing

In Year 2, we will be continuing to develop our skills on the computers, learning to log on, access Purplemash and save documents. We will then move onto being able to code.

PE

Our PE lesson is on a Thursday. This term we are going to continue to develop our skills of Gymnastics.

Art

This term we will be looking at the artist Charles McGee.

They will experiment with different line types and creating repeated patterns,

Spanish

Shapes