

Year 2

Weekly learning

Information about some of the things we will be learning in the week beginning 18th October 2021

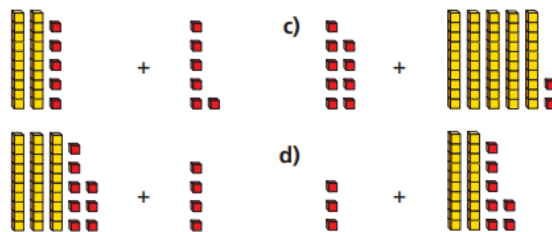


English

We will be using our ideas from last week to write a description of the alien 'Obb', focussing on his appearance and personality. We will then be designing our own aliens and then write a character description about them, making sure to include interesting adjectives and verbs in our writing.

Maths:

This week we will be adding 2-digit and a 1-digit numbers together where we cross the 'tens', e.g. $28 + 5$. We will then look at subtraction of a 1-digit number from a 2 digit number where we will be crossing tens, e.g. $21 - 4$. To help us with this, we will be using our knowledge of number bonds to ten, numberlines and dienes ('tens' and 'ones' counting equipment).



RE: We will learning about the white garment used at baptism and finishing of our week by celebrating everything we have learned and enjoyed in our topic 'Signs and Symbols'. We will be planning our celebration and thinking of activities that we can do to respond to our learning about 'Signs and Symbols'.

PE

This week we will be exploring our jumping and landing skills. We will be learning to jump from 2 feet to 2 feet forwards, backwards and side to side. We will practise keeping our feet shoulder width apart, bending our knees on take-off and on landing and keeping our heads up to help us.

Our PE days:

2S Friday and Wednesday

2J Friday and Tuesday

Please come to school in PE clothes instead of uniform on these days.



Music

To end our unit, we will be performing the song 'hands,feet,heart' using the glockenspiels, and will try and sing the words as we do this too. We will then evaluate our performances, discussing what we thought went well and what we could do to perform better next time.



Topic - History

After half term we will be learning about a great historical event - "The Great Fire of London". We will look at a painting of the Great Fire of London and discuss what we think of the picture. What questions do they have about the Great Fire of London? What would they like to find out? We will practice writing these questions using a question mark and will add them to our class display. If they want to, children can try and find out information about the Great Fire of London over the half term holidays ready for our new topic!

