

Pupils will actively seek through their learning, to discover their full potential and to appreciate an active and inquisitive life.

Dear Parents,

In the month of May, children will be learning new topics and concepts. Please check your Class Dojo, regularly as this will be our main form of communication. You are welcome to contact the year leader Ms. Rakeeba if you have any questions or concerns regarding Year 2.

The learning outcomes are mentioned below.

CURRICULUM

Our main aims over the coming weeks are:

English:

Children will be looking at the story The Pot of Gold- a folktale from Ireland written by Julia Donaldson. They will read aloud, retell and talk about events and characters in the story.

Reading and Grammar:

- Use phonics as the main method of tackling unfamiliar words.
- Read aloud with increased accuracy, fluency and expression.
- To identify and describe story settings and characters.
- To find answers to questions by reading a section of text.
- To identify and use adjectives to describe a character.
- To identify and make compound words.
- To identify and use question words in sentences.

Writing:

- Begin to reread own writing aloud to check for sense and accuracy.
- Write in clear sentences using capital letters, full stops and question marks.
- Learn the different common spellings of long vowel phonemes.
- To structure a story with beginning, middle and end.
- To write simple and compound sentences using and/but.

Math:

During these months our focus will be on the topics Multiplication and Division (3) and position and movement. Some of our primary focus for this month would be:

Whole numbers 3:

- Counting in constant steps.

Addition and subtraction 2:

- Adding tens to a 2-digit number.
- Adding pairs to a 2-digit number.
- Subtracting a single digit number from a 2-digit number.
- Finding the difference.



Addition and subtraction 3:

- Missing number problems (subtraction).
- Missing number problems (addition).

Multiplication and division 3:

- Doubling and halving.
- Doubles.
- Multiplication and division facts for the 3x table.
- Multiplication and division facts for the 4x table.
- Multiplication and division problems.

Science:

In science we will be looking at **Unit 6 - The Earth and beyond.**

- Changing Shadows
- Modelling Day and Night

PE:

- Refine and extend movement competence and confidence through responding and adapting to the demands of a range of contexts, apparatus and equipment, showing coordination and control.
- Understand and follow simple rules, or understand and use tactics or compositional ideas.
- Explore and discover ways of interacting in movement with different situations and contexts, including a range of apparatus and equipment.

Qatar History:

In Qatar History, children will continue Unit 3: Rights and Duties (Citizenship).

- Lesson 2: Protecting Public and Private Properties

Humanities:

In Humanities, we will be looking at the following topic.

- To discuss significant historical events, people and places- The Great London fire.

French:

- Week 36: Differentiate the sounds "cr,br,vr,tr,pr,fr" in the syllables.
- Week 37: Differentiate the sounds "pl,cl,fl,gl,vl " in the syllables.
- Week 39: Differentiate the sounds "s= z" in the syllables

ICT:

Unit 2.6 (We are zoologists)

This unit will enable the children to:

- Sort and classify a group of items by answering questions.
- Collect data using tick charts or tally charts.
- Use simple charting software to produce pictograms and other basic charts.
- Take, edit and enhance photographs.
- Record information on a digital map.

Arabic:

ما سيتم تعليمه للطلاب في شهر مايو في مادة اللغة العربية
التجريد: حرف الخاء – حرف الكاف – حرف الذال.
القراءة: أحب البحر- بذرة ريم – هدية حمد.
الإستماع: شكر النعمة.

Arabic AFL:

During this month we will learn the following:

Unit 5 p: 110-135 what do you ride? الوحدة الخامسة؟ ماذا تتركب؟

- Lesson 1 Listening (هيا بنا نركب)
- Lesson 2 Reading (كيف تذهب)
- Lesson 3 Speaking (تحدث)
- Lesson 4 Writing (كتابة)

Islamic:

ما سيتم تعليمه للطلاب في شهر مايو في مادة التربية الإسلامية
أم المؤمنين خديجة بنت خويلد.
النظافة في الإسلام.

Islamic AFL:

During this month we will learn the following:

- Unit E Chapter 5 (learning comes first).
- Unit E Chapter 6 (my Muslim Room).

How can you help?

Reading, reading, and more reading!

Please support your child's home reading by encouraging him/her to read a variety of print materials, from books to brochures, posters, lists, etc. Kindly focus on reading fluently with expression.

- Some tips to help your child in reading with expression.
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2dnJ74xtJTQ>

Online Learning Teams: Please login to Teams at 9:00 am every day for online lessons.

Uploading Tasks: Please upload the completed tasks on a daily basis onto ClassDojo portfolio.

Online Teachers Available Timing: Please note all teachers will be available on TEAMS between 9:00 am – 1:30 pm to answer all queries.

Assignments: Every week we will be assigning spelling test on literacy planet and mental Maths on Teams.

Projects and Quizzes: There will also be comprehension tests in English and ongoing quizzes and projects in Science, humanities and Qatar History during this month.

The Year 2 team would like to thank you for your continuous support and cooperation in making the virtual learning a huge success!

**Kind regards,
The Year 2 Team**