



## Year 2's Topic this Term is: **THE FUTURE**



During this term our focus topic is **science**, where we will be extending our Year 2 theme of 'Rights and Responsibilities', thinking about animals including humans, and the rights they have and need in order to survive.



**Our enquiry question is:** "What rights do animals have?"

**Maths:** we will focus on fractions, time, statistics and position and direction.



**English:** we will focus on reading and writing through story writing, poetry, letter writing, persuasive writing and explanation writing. These writing genres will be thread through our overarching questions of 'what rights do animals have?'

**Science:** we will be focusing on animals, including humans, their rights and what they need to survive.





**Art:** we will be looking at creating 'super sculptures' where we will explore a variety of artists and have a go at designing and making our own sculptures. We will also be creating fantastic artwork to go alongside our summer carnival 'Our Beautiful Planet'.

**D&T:** this term we will be exploring sewing and crafts, with an end result of creating our very own puppets.



**Music:** we will be learning the elements of music from Charanga introducing us to the structure of music, focus on the pulse, rhythm, pitch, tempo and much more! We will also study pop songs and classical music.

**PE:** we will be exploring striking and fielding as our first unit and then we will be getting out onto the field to enjoy a half term of athletics in preparation for sports day!



**RSHE:** this term will be about 'Relationships' where we will discuss and learn about friendships, keeping safe, families, conflict and trust. We will also delve into 'Changing Me' topic, where we will start to think about what it means to grow up.

## Reminders

**PE** – Tuesday and Friday afternoons -Children to arrive at school in their PE kit please.

**Spellings**- The spellings for each half term will come home and will be uploaded to the website. These will be practised in school but the expectation is that children practise their spellings at home before a quiz each Thursday. Thank you for your support regarding this homework.



**Reading** – Children are expected to read at home at least 5x per week. Reading diaries will be checked every Friday morning to monitor home reading. Children who haven't managed this will be invited to read on a Friday break time.

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