Class 2 Learning Overview Spring 2022

English	Maths	Theme	Other Subjects	What you can do to help your child this half-term
Fiction: - Exploring fables and using this to write our own. -Exploring stories written about the wild and write our own. **Non-Fiction:** -Writing a diary entry using conjunctions and the correct tense. -Using expanded noun phrases to write an information text about an animal. **-Poetry:** - Poems within the theme **Sentence:** - Punctuation – Full stops, questions marks, exclamation marks and inverted commas for speech. - Using conjunctions - Using expanded noun phrases. **Word:** Spelling rules	**Multiplication and division** -To solve problems involving multiplication and division, using arrays, repeated addition and multiplication facts. -Show that multiplication of two numbers can be done in any order but division cannot. -To calculate mathematical statements involving multiplication and division and write them using the correct signs. - To recall and use multiplication and division facts for the 2,5 and 10 multiplication tables. -Recognise odd and even numbers. -Count in multiples of 3, 4, 6 and 8. **Statistics** -Ask and answer questions about data by counting the objects in a category and sorting categories by quantity. -Interpret and construct pictograms, tally charts, block diagrams and simple tables. **Properties of shape** - To compare and sort common 2D and 3D shapes and everyday objects. -To identify and describe the properties of 3D shapes including the number of edges, vertices and faces. To identify and describe the properties of 2D shapes, including the number of sides and symmetry in a vertical line. -To create patterns. **Fractions** -Count in fractions - To write simple fractions $\frac{1}{2}$ of 6 = 3, and recognise the equivalence of two quarters and one half. - To recognise, find, name and write fractions 1/3, 1/4, 2/4 and $\frac{3}{4}$ of a a) quantity, b) set of objects, c) a shape, d) a length.	This term our theme in class is: **Animals** Within this theme we will be covering the following subjects: **Geography** – Comparing the UK with Kenya. Learning about the key Geographical features including the wildlife, landscape and culture. **Art and DT-** Create an undersea placemat. -Create our own nature sculptures.	**Science Core** **Animals including humans** -Look at how animals grow and learn about life-cycles. -Learn the basic needs of animals for survival. -To know the importance of exercise and hygiene. **Living things and their habitats** -Learn about a variety of habitats and the plants and animals that live there. -Make observations of a local habitat. -Look at global habitats. **ICT** -Using Purple Mash to create spreadsheets. -To continue to learn about the internet and how they can search effectively. **PE** -Gymnastics inspired by creatures found under the sea. -Multiskills circuit training. **RE** -Nature and God in different religions. -Beginnings and endings in different religions.	It would be very helpful if you can practice writing sentences during the comprehension homework. These should include basic punctuation and the skills of proof reading their own work. Any books you have at home or can borrow from the library related to our topic to reinforce general knowledge and applying their reading skills will be beneficial. Practice with counting in different steps, addition and subtraction are all helpful. Please read daily with your child and record it in your diary.

<u>Homework/Spellings</u> All homework and spellings are set throughout the school on a Friday and is due in the following Friday.	<u>PE</u> Our PE lessons will be on Wednesday and Friday this term.	As always, if anyone has any questions or queries regarding the above please do not hesitate to contact me. Signed: Mr Hobart