

Maths

'the more he looked, the more he saw'

In spring term, children will be continuing to practice using a range of strategies such as concrete, pictorial and abstract methods to support their understanding of addition and subtraction. Y2 children will be looking at multiplication and division learning their 2, 3, 5 and 10 multiplication tables.

All children will be looking at length, height, mass and capacity including temperature as part of measurement.

English

'there were tragic tales of tales of dragons discovered and captured . . . too sad.'

With use of our class story 'Window', children will be covering narrative (setting description), poetry, and instructional writing. Children will continue to develop their letter formation and practicing sentences orally before writing them down. Children will be collecting ideas, drafting and rewriting to check that the meaning is clear. Children will also start to develop their understanding of conjunctions to create compound sentences. This will enable children to extend their sentences to include more detail.

PE

Children will be developing balance and running through dance and gymnastics and football. They will master the basic skills in movement and balance whilst participating in team games.

DT

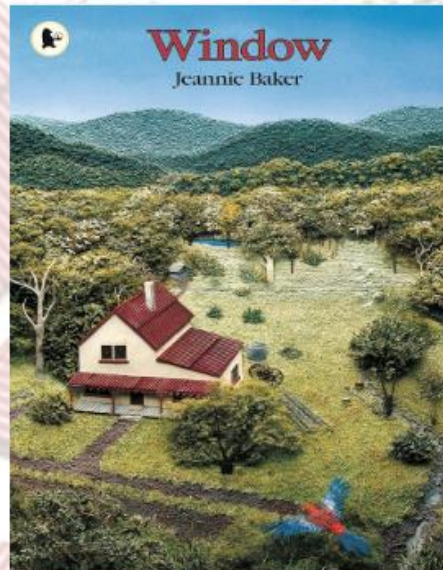
'George hammered in the last nail.'

For our DT project this term, we will be using the basic principles to prepare dishes which support a healthy and varied diet.

History

'He consulted the encyclopaedia of dragons'

In this term Base 2 will be looking at the history of Wrenbury Village. Children will be enquiring about the buildings in Wrenbury and what these buildings tell us about the past.



**Planning Overview
Spring 2024 – Wild Isles
Base 2, Year 1/2
Mr Thorburn**

RE

In RE, children will be learning about celebration and belonging. We will also be looking at why people mark Easter in different ways and what happened when Jesus went to Jerusalem.

Geography

'and there was a map of the place where dragons belonged'

Children will be building on their learning in autumn term by looking at where St Margaret's Church is on a map developing their directional and compass mapping. Children will be creating their own maps and sharing these maps with each other to test out their knowledge on places in the village of Wrenbury.

Art and Design

'George drew plans for a machine.'

This term in Base 2, children will be manipulating moulds and materials to create their own sculpture of a dinosaur. Children will be linking this learning to Mary Anning the palaeontologist and developing their understanding of fossils and how they are important to telling us about life in the past.

Computing

'The machine had a beginning, a middle and a tail end . . .'

In Base 2 during the spring term, children will be looking at handling data gathered through quizzes that they have created.

Music

'... and the dragons followed.'

In music, children will be exploring narrative through song. They will be using loud and soft, smooth and connected and short and detached to tell a story.

Science

'The dragon mends the propellers while the wombat bails with his hat'

In science, children will be exploring and comparing the differences between things that are living and dead, and things that were never alive. They will also be looking at habitats, including microhabitats and will finally explore simple food chains and the source of a food chain.