



Our curriculum provides our children with inspirational opportunities that are relevant and generate a lifelong love of learning. We teacher life skills and opportunities to enable our children to be successful now and in the future. It is culturally relevant, engaging and full of celebration and pride.

WHAT WE HAVE BEEN LEARNING THIS TERM

Children in Year 2 have had a great start to the Spring term. We would like to remind you that children need to bring book bags in everyday and have their reading journals signed—it is great to see some children have already completed their reading journals, so well done to parents for ensuring quality reading time is happening at home! The weather is very cold at the moment so please make sure your children have all they need to keep them warm and safe while they play.

Children in Year 2 are learning many new things within the curriculum as you can see below, but we also try very hard to make sure we do not forget what we have learnt last term.

OUR LEARNING THIS TERM

Maths: This term for maths we have been learning multiplication and division. Children are learning this using arrays and recalling their multiplication facts.

English: In English we have been reading Rosa Parks and learning a lot about significant people from the past that have made a better world for us today. Children have been learning to write diaries and non-chronological reports.

Science: For Science we have been learning about everyday materials and how they can be changed. We have been carrying out various tests to prove our hypothesis.

Art: For Art we have been studying sculptures made by Barbara Hepworth and we will be creating our own sculptures using clay.

History: In History we have been studying the suffragette movement and learning about Emmeline Pankhurst.

Computing: In computing we have been learning to code using J2Code on I pads.

Key facts we are learning this term:

- Emmeline Pankhurst- fought for women’s right to vote. She was born on 14th July 1858 and died on 14th June 1928.
- Emily Davidson- fought for women’s rights, she didn’t agree that women should be treated differently. She was born 11th October 1872 and she died 8th June 1913.
- Rosa Parks– was a black woman who, in 1955, refused to give up her seat on a bus because of the colour of her skin. She played a pivotal role in the Montgomery bus boycott and the American civil rights movement.

KEY TEACHERS IN THE YEAR GROUP

Mrs Begum 2B, Year Group Leader
Miss Khatun 2K
Mr Ojukwu 2O
Miss McCusker 2M

Mrs Scott, Assistant Head Teacher

If you would like to speak to any member of staff then feel free to ask to speak with them at the school gates or send an email via school email address.

PUPIL COMMENTS:

“I have loved learning about materials in Science—and doing the experiments.”

“I learnt so much about Rosa Parks in English.”

“I have enjoyed PE—learning how to play football.”

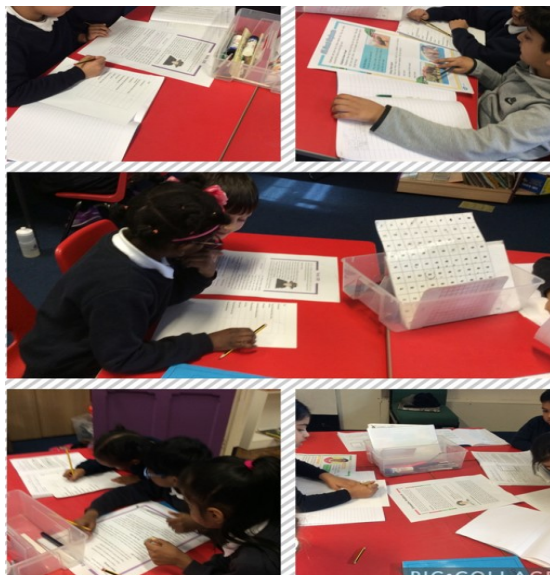
“I love working with my friends when learning how to use clay.”

LOOK AT SOME OF OUR WORK ALREADY:



We are practicing various techniques for sculpting clay with our hands—coiling, rolling, slab, punch and pull.

We are looking at different features of non-chronological texts with our partners.



HOW CAN PARENTS SUPPORT AT HOME?

To help your child at home please ensure that they are read to or have read a book everyday. This is vital for their learning and progress.

To do this children can use their login to access Bug Club—<https://www.activelearnprimary.co.uk/login?c=0>

Children can also practise their timetables on TTRockstars to improve their maths skills.

Children get regular homework, please support them to complete this.

To help children improve their handwriting and pace please regularly encourage your child to write using pen/pencil and paper.

Contact



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Should you wish to contact Mr Williams or Mr Taylor or please contact Mrs Williams via the school office and she will arrange an appointment.

Remote learning update

Children are no longer required to isolate if they have had contact with a positive Covid-19 case. Please check the school website for information about why your child may be required to isolate and complete remote learning.

Friday afternoons

Pupils will be leaving school on Friday at 2.30pm. Children are not required to complete blended learning, however the children have homework that they can complete during this time.

WEBSITE & MOBILE APP:

Do check the school website & our school mobile app regularly. We are continually updating it with information for parents and classes current work. We are working towards being paperless so it is important that you know where to receive updates.

www.centralpark.newham.sch.uk

