

Vocabulary

We are going to be introducing the following vocabulary: Transport, Journey, Wood, Paper, Metal, Waterproof, Absorbent, Plastic, Fabric, Old, Ancient, New, Modern, Past, Present, Human Geography, Physical Geography, Bouyant

Phonics

We will begin by recapping the Year 1 phonics and practise reading and spelling words with alternative graphemes and looking at which to use with different spelling rules.

Any children who were unsuccessful at the passing the Year 1 Phonics Screening, will be receiving intensive phonics interventions to support them, as they will be completing the screening again later on in the year.

Wonderful Wednesdays

These will continue to include: Art Sessions, Guitar Sessions, Public Speaking Sessions, Basketball and Sporting Games. Please remember to send your child to school in their PE kits on this day., making sure they have no jewellery on and earrings removed

Homework

All pupils will receive daily Mathematics homework (up to 3 questions) and weekly spellings that we have been learning in class.

The children will also receive either a grammar, reading or writing homework.

We also expect children to be reading at least 3 times a week to an adult with their appropriately designated reading book. Any words that your child is struggling to read can be jotted down in the reading journal so they can be practised in class.

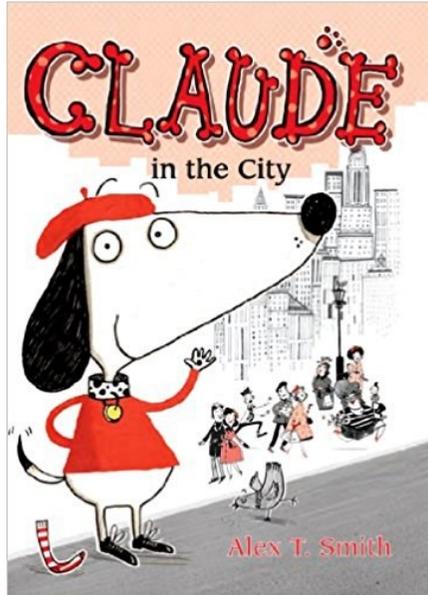
From A to B



Term 2—Year 2
Kingfishers—Miss Mackenzie
Nightingales—Mrs Bayliss

English

This term we will be reading and exploring the book 'Claude in the City'. These delightful stories will introduce the children to longer illustrated stories. The main character, Claude, is a small plump dog with a penchant for snazzy berets and a bent for problem solving.



Overall aims:

- To explore, interpret and respond to newspaper articles.
- To explore and write a guide book.
- To compose and perform own poetry,

Mathematics

This term we are focusing on **addition and subtraction**.

Children will explore a number of different methods they can apply to both addition and subtraction problems. These will include counting on, partitioning and the column method for addition. When numbers in the ones column total more than 10 we will rename them tens and move them to the tens column. For subtraction methods will include counting back, partitioning and the column method, where we will be exchanging a ten for a ten ones.



Topic

This term we are focussing on **Transport and travel**.

We will begin by journeying around the local area on various modes of transport.

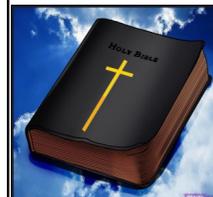
We will be thinking about how we travel to school, how people travel in different countries, and how to make maps. As part of history, we will be learning about transport in the past.



In art we will be creating futurist paintings to capture the speed and movement of transport, and creating a boat collage in the style of Turner and Monet.

Science

In Science we will be studying **Forces**. We will do this by making and testing our own sail boats and aeroplanes using different materials to see how this affects the way they move and float.



RE

This term we are learning about **Incarnation** and its meaning to Christians.