

Curriculum Newsletter

Year 2 Term 5 2021/22

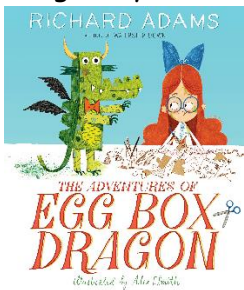
Welcome to term 5!

We hope you and your children have had a good break.

We are looking forward to doing some great learning this term so please login to DOJO every week to see the amazing work that the children will be doing. I love to see your pictures of your children too if you want to share any learning they do at home.

Readers and Writers

This term, we will study the book 'Egg Box Dragon' by Richard Adams.



We will focus on using the book to explore language and we will be writing both character and setting descriptions. Our end of unit outcome will be a narrative, the children will write a story based on one of the characters adventures. We will also be writing a set of instructions on how to make an Egg Box Dragon.

This term we will be concentrating on time. The children will be learning to tell the time to the hour and quarter past, half past and quarter to the hour.



**Number
Sense
Maths**

We will also be learning about 2D and 3D shapes. The children will be learning the mathematical names to use in order to describe shapes. They will also be learning the shape names and talking about their properties.

We will also be carrying on with our work on Numbersense. This work will help us to become really familiar with our number bonds and help us to do quick recall of number facts.

Scientists - states of matter

The children will be learning about solids, liquids and gases in science. They will understand what a molecule is and how they appear in each state of matter.

Athletes



For this term, children in Year 2 will be developing their athletics skills with Bristol Sport and their movement and balance. The children will continue to have PE every Tuesday and Thursday.

Please listen to your child read at home 5 times per week. This is the most important thing you can do to support learning at this age. Just 10-15 minutes per day makes a big difference! We will be checking yellow reading records weekly and changing your children's books.

They will also be set Times Tables for them to access online using 'Times Tables Rock Stars' their login details are inside their yellow reading records.

Yours Sincerely,
Ms Phillimore