

Eastlea Primary School – curriculum overview (Year 2)



| Subject | Autumn | Spring | Summer |
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| English – reading and writing focus | “A squash and a squeeze” , “Snack attack” and “Vlad and the great fire of London” – diary, poetry, instructions, newspaper and recount writing | Diamante poems – story writing, instructions, reports, labels and caption writing (Great fire of Newcastle) | “How to defend a castle” and castle poems – setting description, dragon catcher narrative writing |
| Maths | Place Value Addition and subtraction Money | Multiplication and division Shape Fractions | Measurement Time Mass, capacity and temperature |
| Science | Animals including humans | Use of everyday materials | Plants Living things and their habitats |
| History | Great fire of London/Newcastle | | 3 queens and castles |
| Geography | Would you rather live in a hot or cold place? | Why is our world wonderful? | What is it like to live by the coast? |
| Computing | E-safety | Computing | Coding |
| PE | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fundamentals • Active October workshops • Gymnastics • Fitness | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ball skills • Dance • Invasion games • Yoga | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Net and wall games • Athletics • Striking and fielding games • Team building • Sports week activities |
| RE | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Christians – Creation • What is it like to be a Jew in Britain today | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is it like to be a Muslim in Britain today? • Christians – Easter | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Christians – Jesus and the stories he told • World faiths and events |
| Personal Development | Safety first Think positive Right time thrive | Aiming high Diverse Britain Right time thrive | Physical wellbeing Healthy lifestyles Right time thrive |
| Art | Picasso (3-D portraits), Van Gogh (starry night) | Specialist led Jan Griffer linked to GFoL/Ted Harrison | Observational drawing linked to castles. Reverse printing |
| Design & Technology | Design and make a beach towel | Making Bread | Pop-up book |
| Music | Specialist led classroom music | | Specialist led classroom music |