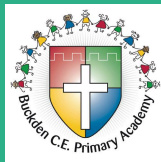




YEAR 2

SPRING

TERM TWO



SDG 10 Reduced Inequalities

[click here](#)
We will be learning about inequalities and ways these can be reduced in society.

Welcome to our class newsletter for this half term.
We are excited to share with you our learning journey.

In English...

We will be learning to write for different purposes and exploring a CLPE picture book. We will develop our application of conjunctions, using commas in lists and learn about different sentence types.

In Maths...

We will be learning about statistics, including tally charts, pictograms and block graphs. We will be also be focusing on measurement and shape.

In Science...

We will be learning about life cycles and what animals need to survive.

In History...

We will learning about The Titanic. We will be focusing on the similarities and differences between classes.

In Art...

We will be drawing people using pastels and pencils to create skin tones.

In PE...

We will be developing our gymnastic skills and practising multi-skills.

In Computing...

We will be learning about algorithms and digital devices. We will be creating and debugging a program.

In French...

We will be learning about how to say school subjects and stationery objects in French.

In Geography...

We will be learning about the seven continents and five oceans. We will also explore these places on digital and printed maps.

In DT...

We will be making frames by joining wood with glue and reinforcing it to make it stronger.

In Music...

We will be learning how to compose and perform using percussion instruments.

In PSICHE...

We will be learning about our bodies and feelings.

In Online Safety...

We will learn how to use the internet to communicate appropriately with others.

In RE...

We will be learning about Christianity and the importance of Easter to Christians.

Other News:

PE

PE days are Tuesdays and Thursdays. Please ensure your child has a change of clothes and shoes in case it rains on a PE day. These should now be kept in school and only taken home to be washed. Please bring a warm jumper as we will continue whatever the weather.

Homework

Please read at home with your child at least three times a week. Reading diaries will be checked on Mondays to monitor this. We encourage you to read your child's colour banded book three times. These will be changed on Mondays and Thursdays. Please read as much additional literature as possible. This could be magazines, chapter books, audiobooks, etc. These can all be logged in reading records.

Please read our class blogs- we share our highlights of the week and our learning journeys. Please complete the talk homework and practise the weekly spellings.

Maths homework: [Abacus](#) (click here) 3 x 20 min per week

Important

Please ensure your child brings a water bottle and warm, waterproof coat to school every day.

We encourage children to bring a pencil case to school, including the following:

- pencils
- ruler
- rubber
- sharpener
- coloured pencils



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