

Gresham Primary School

Year 2 Half Term on a Page: Spring Term 2024 (2)

Dear Parents/Carers,

This is what we will be learning in Year 2 during the second half of the spring term:

Maths - finishing multiplication and division (becoming confident with the x2, x5 and x10 tables and division facts).

Then, length and height:

- Measuring in centimetres and metres
- Comparing and ordering lengths and heights

Finishing with mass, capacity and temperature:

- Comparing mass, volume and capacity
- Measuring in grams and kilograms and millilitres and litres
- Understanding temperature

Building in work on SATs practice questions.

English - in **reading** activities, we will be reading **Flat Stanley by Mark Brown** and incorporating all the VIPERS skills in addition to:

- Listen to, discuss and express views about a wide range of poems at a level beyond that which can be read independently
- Discuss the significance of the title and events
- Link what we hear or read to our own experiences
- Participate in discussion about what is read, taking turns and listening to others
- Discuss the sequence of events in books and how items of information are related
- Discuss favourite words and phrases

In **writing** activities, we will be looking at '**Claude in the City**' by **Alex T. Smith** and learning to:

- Write for different purposes including: character descriptions, poetry, postcards, leaflets and newspaper reports
- Reread and evaluate writing to check it makes sense and make simple revisions
- Read writing aloud with appropriate intonation to make the meaning clear
- Use new and familiar punctuation correctly
- Use sentences in different forms
- Continue to use expanded noun phrases and a range of conjunctions within pieces of writing
- Use past and present tense correctly and consistently
- Continue to join letters in the cursive formation

Science - Animals including humans

Geography - Sensational Safari

Computing - Online Safety

RE - Islam

PE - dance and team games

Music - Recorders

Art - Landscapes and Cityscapes

Kind regards,

Mr Grace