

St Giles' C.E. Primary School Curriculum Newsletter:

Year Group: 2 Autumn Term 2024



'You must love one another as I have loved you.' John 13 v 34.

Working together with love we will provide a happy and nurturing environment where all will, 'learn to love and love to learn', making outstanding progress through an enriched and creative curriculum. Through our strong Christian ethos we will celebrate and embrace the richness of our community.

Learn to Love - Love to Learn 'You must love one another as I have loved you.' John 13 v 34

Homework:

- Homework is set on Education City and Google Classroom each Friday. Homework is expected to be completed by the following Friday.
- Children will receive spellings on a Thursday and have a spelling test on the following Thursday. These will be recorded in their spelling book and children are expected to practise daily.
- Children are expected to read their book for 15
 minutes each day with an adult. This should be their
 reading books from school but additionally children
 can read their library book or their own book from
 home.
- Your child has been given a reading diary and reading book and these are expected to be brought to school every day. Reading books will be changed if the diary has been signed by an adult.
- 'X' tables—Children are expected to recall multiplication and division facts for the 2, 5, 10 and 3 times table by the end of year 2. Therefore, children need to continually practice these at home and each week they will complete a times table test. Times Tables Rockstars is a great tool for them to practice in an engaging way.

Science:

- The human body
- Materials



<u>R.E:</u>

- Beginning to learn from Islam
- A world of festivals: Who celebrates what and why?

Computing:

- Coding & Spreadsheets
- Online Safety

purple mash

Geography:

- What are seasons?
- Weather
- Parts of the UK

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History:

• Did the Great Fire make London a better or worse place?

Art & DT:

- Painting
- Making a Ferris wheel



<u>Music</u>

 Hands, Feet, Heart & Christmas music

This will take place on a Thursday and Friday.

For P.E. sessions your child will require the following:

Trainers

P.E:

- Plain white t-shirt
- Black shorts or joggers
- Coat/Waterproof jacket

For your child's health and safety, jewellery will need to be removed for these sessions.

You could support your child to find information on these topics through the internet, as well as using books from the local library.

If you have any queries or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely,



Article 28 (right to education)

Article 29 (goals of education)

Article 3 (best interests of the child)