

Spring 2 - Year 2



History - Nurturing Nurses

This half term, we will continue to learn about how conflict help develop modern nursing. We will be looking at significant figures through time (such as Mary Seacole and Florence Nightingale) and exploring the impact they had. We will also be looking at the impact that local nurses such as Nellie Spindler have had on nursing in our area.

Reading

Reading is a priority at Hunslet Moor and we encourage children to read as regularly as possible.

We will be sending reading books home. Please try to listen to your child read as much as possible and encourage your child to read every evening for at least 10 minutes. Reading books will be change on a Tuesday.

Year 2 will be using reading records to check home reading. Please can you make sure these are filled out and returned to school daily.

If you have any outstanding school reading books at home please can these be returned to your child's class teacher as soon as possible so we more books available for other children. Thank you!

Maths

At the beginning of this half term we will be completing our topic of multiplication and division. Practicing your 2, 5 and 10 times table will be really beneficial for your child! We will then be looking at fractions including a half and a quarter as well exploring time. We will be learning to read analogue clocks to the nearest 5 minutes. We will also be practicing our numbers up to 100 and our arithmetic and reasoning skills to prepare for our practise SATs at the end of the term.

Homework

Please support your child by practising their spellings which will be sent out each week and login to Times Tables Rockstars.

PE

In Year 2 this half term, we will learning about gymnastics in our indoor people and throwing and catching in our outdoor sessions.

Your child should have a PE kit and this should be worn on their PE days.

2A—Indoor Monday / Outdoor Wednesday

2B—Indoor Wednesday / Outdoor Friday

Science

This half term, we will be looking at classifying animals in different groups and looking at what makes them different from other animals in the animals kingdom.

PSHE

PSHE is a core part of our school ethos. During Spring 2, we will be exploring the topic of Healthy Me.

Thank you for using your best efforts in ensuring your child is at school everyday. It is important you continue to send your child to school every day and arrive on time so that we are all ready to begin the days learning. We begin school at 8.45am and end school at 3.15pm.

Please ensure children arrives at school in the correct school uniform, with an appropriate coat, book bag and shoes. Ensure all of your child's clothing is labelled with their name in order to prevent any lost items of clothing.

If you have any questions, concerns or want to discuss any aspect of your child's learning, please book at appointment with the class teacher at the door or phone the school office and arrange a telephone conversation to speak with a member of the Year 2 team.

2A—Mrs Read

2B—Mr Hall

Mr Hall — KS1 Leader