

## English

**Key Text:** The Lighthouse Keepers Lunch

This term we will be writing for different purposes. We will be writing instructions and an information leaflet as well as a short story. Some of the things we will be focusing on are:

- Reading key words on sight without blending or segmenting
- Reading fluently with expression
- Asking and answering questions about what they have read
- Predicting what may happen next
- Spelling unfamiliar words using knowledge of letter patterns
- Spelling the Key Stage 1 common exception words
- Writing sentences using capital letters, full stops, question marks

Children in Year 2 will be sent home with a reading book every night. It would be helpful if you could help your child by reading with them regularly.



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# Year 2 Curriculum Autumn Term Cracking Coastlines

## Science

### Seasonal Changes

- Observe changes across the 4 seasons
- Name and describe weather associated with each season
- Observe and describe how the day length varies

### Senses

- Identifying, naming, drawing and labelling the basic parts of the human body and say which part of the body is associated with each sense

### Materials

Name and identify a variety of everyday materials

## Maths

During this first part of the term we will be revisiting key Year 1 objectives to consolidate learning before moving on to Year 2.

### Autumn 1

- Count forwards and backwards in ones to 100
- Read, order and write numbers to at least 20
- Say what is 1 more or less than a number up to 20
- Know pairs of numbers that make 20
- Add and subtract 2 numbers under 10
- Name and identify coins
- Name and describe 2D shapes

### Autumn 2

- Count in twos, threes, and fives from zero, and in tens from any number, forward and backward
- Recognise the place value of each digit in a two-digit number
- Identify, represent and estimate numbers using different representations
- compare and order numbers from 0 to 100; use <, > and = signs
- read and write numbers to at least 100 in numerals and in words

## Foundation Subjects

- In art and design, children will use a range of materials creatively to design and make beach collages.
- In geography the children will be identifying physical and human features in the world around them. They will also explore compass points and direction.
- History sessions will explore changes in living memory relating to life on the Isle of Wight.
- In music, the children will be using their voices expressively when singing songs.
- PSHE and circle time will focus on friendships and how conflicts with other children can be sorted out.

## Additional Information

### PE

Children should come to school in PE kit on Monday morning and bring their uniform in a bag to change into. PE kits can then be left in school and children will bring it home on Wednesday.

### Reading

Reading should be happening at home as often as possible and recorded in the yellow reading record. These need to be brought in daily to school.