# Art and Design

We will develop our painting skills by imitating the style of the famous illustrator Quentin Blake.

Later in the half term, we will investigate the artwork of Andy Goldsworthy and use his ideas to create our own outdoor sculptures.

# Science

We will learn about materials, experiment with their properties and see how they can be used in lots of different ways.

We will also make predictions, draw conclusions and evaluate how the experiments were

carried out.



There will be links with maths and geography learning too.

# Computing

We will begin to further develop our word processing skills and also learn how to save and retrieve our writing.

We will continue to learn about programming - de-bugging will be our main challenge this half-term.

# English

In writing, we will learn how to improve our instructional writing with adverbs and commands. We will also grow our brains when learning how to write character descriptions.

In reading, we will continue to develop our word reading and comprehension skills, thinking particularly about inference in stories.

We will also be learning about different sentence types and how to use different tenses in our writing.

# Year 2 and the Chocolate Factory!

# Maths

We will revisit place value to consolidate or deepen our understanding and problem solving.

We will continue to investigate the concepts of addition, subtraction and use them in context with money.

For the first time this year, we will investigate fractions, how they relate to the number system and solve problems to deepen our understanding of the concept.

# Circle Time

We will be discussing the differences between right and wrong and how this affects our day to day lives. We will ask ourselves how our choices affect other people.

#### **PSHE**

Health will be the focus of our learning this half term, including labelling the main parts of our body.

Further details will follow.

#### R.E.

Our learning will centre around stories from the life of Jesus and will discuss how authority affects our lives.



### P.E.

When dancing we will vary dynamics, levels, speed and direction whilst practicing, repeating and performing in a controlled way.

In gymnastics we will improve our co-ordination when performing sequences in pairs.

#### Music

Year 2 are very excited to have the opportunity to learn how to play the ukulele this half term. We will learn how to play in time, sing along to our playing and also change familiar songs with our own ideas.



Our Learning power alien Super TW will be helping us to make our teamwork even better!