

Spring term
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Our School

Year 2
6 week study

What's it all about?

In this topic your child will learn to ...
draw and follow maps of the local area.

The topic will start with:

A mystery map will be sent to school with
a route for the children to follow. The
children will draw and label any features
that they see on their maps.



Curriculum Focus:

Art -

- We will be using ideas from Gaudi to create a clay tile.

Geography -

- We will be following routes using maps.
- We will be learning how to draw our own maps.

Computing -

- We will be learning to read and produce our own algorithms.

Outcome:

At the end of the topic to show what we have
learnt, the children will be able to talk about how
maps and instructions are used to create routes.

In addition to the topic based learning outlined above, your child will also be learning to:

In English the children will write instructions and explanations.

In Maths the children will add and subtract to 100 and learn the 2 and 10 times tables.

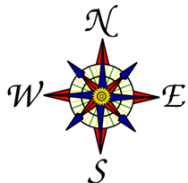
In Science the children will learn about plant life cycles.

In R.E. the children will think about special books.

In P.E. the children will develop use of dynamic and static balance and improve hockey skills.

In P.S.H.E. the children will learn about making the right choice.

In Music the children will use their voice to explore the musical elements.



Ways to support your child at home:

- ❖ Talk about the local area.
- ❖ Draw maps to show your route to school.
- ❖ Complete weekly Maths homework.
- ❖ Read 3 times a week with your child.
- ❖ Practise weekly spellings.

Important Dates:

Science walk - Tuesday 31st January 2 p.m. - help needed please

Topic start - Wednesday 18th January 1 p.m. - a local walk, help needed please

Topic Finale - Monday 13th February at 2.30 p.m. - 'Manor Mapping Adventure'

The World



This half term our focus continent is:

Europe

