Cramlington Village Primary School

Autumn Two in Year 2

English

We are looking at an alternative fairytale; Jim and the Beanstalk by Ryamond Briggs.

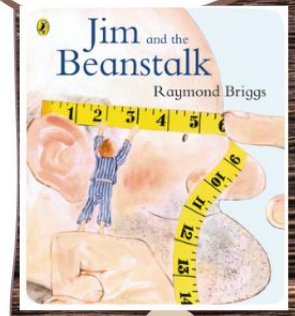
By Christmas, we will have written our own alternative fairytale, and instructions on how to grow a beanstalk.

We will be learning how to describe a variety of places using expanded noun phases and conjunctions.

Pupils will be focusing on their transcription skills so their handwriting is legible and sized correctly.

The pupils will also focus on sentence structure and how to correctly form a sentence.

We are reading...



Maths

We will be looking at:

- Adding and subtracting within 20.
- Fidnign the difference between two numbers.
- Adding and subtracting two-digit numbers.
- Developing understanding on 2D and 3D shapes.

It is extremely important that children know their number bonds to 10 and 20 by heart.

We will be developing our fluency, pace and stamina.



We will read with an adult, small groups and daily guided reading sessions.
We will continue to deepen our comprehension skills by using inferences to evidence our ideas.

Science

We are going to focus on physics by exploring everyday materials.

Our experiment this term will be looking at which material is best for a specific purpose In order to conduct our experiment, we must:

- identify a range of materials
- explore the properties of materials
- explore why objects are made with certain properties



Art

We will be finishing our art project where we were developing our understanding of colour by exploring the colour wheel and identifying which colours are warm and which are cold.

Pupils will finish their final piece before being able to showcase these to all our adults.





Geography

This term, we will explore our wonderful earth.

The pupils will recap the 7 continents and 5 oceans and identify why some places are hot and some places are cold.

One of our key vocaubulary words this term is Equator. We will anaylise where a country is, and predict whether it is hot or coldbased on it's location.



PE

Our units will be:

- dance
- Forest School

Our PE day is: Tuesday and Wednesday



Music

We will be recognising different sounds within songs.



RE

This term, we will be continuing to look at the Muslim faith and explore religious places.

We will focus on the term 'special' by looking at why Mosques and the Qur'an are special to Muslims.

Pupils will be able to idenitfy key features found within a Mosque and how to care for the Quran.



PSHE

We will consider and discuss:

- me and my relationships
- keeping safe



Homework

Please listen to your child read 3+ times per week. Reading records will be checked every Friday.

Spelling will be conducted within the classroom.

Please ensure your child does 12 minutes of Numbot each week.



DT

During DT week, we will be making a vegetable salad.
We will focus on how to prepare and cut food with an additional focus on health and safety and food hygiene.

