

Stow Heath Primary School

Year 2 Autumn Term 1st Half

Our Topic is - 'All About Me'

In Science we are studying how to keep healthy and look after ourselves. Children will be learning about the different food groups, exercise and personal hygiene.

In D&T we are designing and making healthy food.

In Geography we are learning about the human and physical features of our local environment.



Literacy

This half term the children will be reading and writing a variety of genres.

The children will be developing the skills needed to write 'exciting' sentences. For example using adjectives, conjunctions and the correct punctuation.

Children will continue to use and improve their skills in RWI.



Numeracy

During this half term the children will be focusing on the following topics –



- Finding pairs with a total of 10 and 20.
- Read, write 2-digit numbers and know what each digit represent.
- Learn to count in groups of 2s, 5s and 10s from any given number.
- Tell and write the time to the o'clock and half past.
- Recognise and describe the properties of 2D and 3D shapes.

Reminders

- **PE kit:** White T-shirt, black shorts and black pumps in a bag with all items named. PE is every Wednesday.
- Children are encouraged to bring a separate water bottle to be kept in the classroom that contains only water. As part of the food standards parents should not send flavoured water or squash.
- Any monies sent into school should be in an envelope or money bag, clearly labelled with your child's name.
- Please send in homework for Friday and help your children to learn their spellings and practice their 'Shooting Maths Stars' mental maths for a test every week.
- Reading books to be sent to school every day and home books will be changed every Wednesday.
- KS1 Library is open to Year 2 children every Tuesday at lunch time. Send back your library books to be changed on this day.

Key Dates for this half term

21st October – Inset Day

24th- 28th October – Half Term