



Year 2

# LIMA'S



## Useful Information

### Summer 1

#### History:



This term our topic focus is History. We will be looking at important events surrounding the history of flight. We will be;

- Learning about historical significant people and their achievements.
- Learning that changes may come about because of improvements in technology.
- Identify inventions that still influence our lives today.

#### English:



In English this term we will be exploring postcard and poetry writing.

#### Maths:



We will be covering the following topics in maths this half term:

- Measurement: Time
- Geometry: Position and direction
- Calculation: Fractions

#### Science:



Our science topic this half term is Plants.

The children will:

- Observe and describe how seeds and bulbs grow into mature plants.
- Find out and describe how plants need water, light and a suitable temperature to grow and stay healthy.

#### Computing:



**Computer Science:** Data handling

'International Space Station'

#### Art/DT:

DT - **Mechanisms:** Fairground Wheels

#### Music:

Musical application through instruments and performing musical compositions.

#### RHE:

Citizenship and Economic wellbeing

#### RE:

Authority, Christianity and Buddhism

## PE:



PE is on Tuesday and Thursday. Children should come to school in their P.E. kits.

Our focus for P.E. lessons this term will focus on Athletics.

## Spellings:



Children should learn their spellings each week using:  
Look, Say Cover, Write Check

Children will have a spelling test every **Monday**

Spellings for the Summer term are posted on Google Classroom and are on your child's Home Learning sheet given out every Tuesday.

### Reading:

Children should practise reading for at least 15 minutes every day. Books are changed on **Mondays**.

## Times Tables:



Children in KS1 will be expected to be able to count in steps of 2s, 5s and 10s. Each Monday we will have a times tables test to improve our fluency and recall. Question will be chosen from the 2x, 5x and 10x tables.

1 x 2 = 2
2 x 2 = 4
3 x 2 = 6
4 x 2 = 8
5 x 2 = 10
6 x 2 = 12
7 x 2 = 14
8 x 2 = 16
9 x 2 = 18
10 x 2 = 20
11 x 2 = 22
12 x 2 = 24

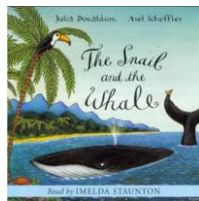
1 x 5 = 5
2 x 5 = 10
3 x 5 = 15
4 x 5 = 20
5 x 5 = 25
6 x 5 = 30
7 x 5 = 35
8 x 5 = 40
9 x 5 = 45
10 x 5 = 50
11 x 5 = 55
12 x 5 = 60

1 x 10 = 10
2 x 10 = 20
3 x 10 = 30
4 x 10 = 40
5 x 10 = 50
6 x 10 = 60
7 x 10 = 70
8 x 10 = 80
9 x 10 = 90
10 x 10 = 100
11 x 10 = 110
12 x 10 = 120

## Core Text:



Our core text this half term is *The Snail and the Whale* by Julia Donaldson



## Language of the Half Term:



Our language of the half term is Amharic

2.1% of families in our school community speak Amharic.

## Poem of the Half Term:



Cats Sleep Anywhere  
By Eleanor Farjeon

## Skills Builder:



This half term, we will be focusing on: **Aiming High** and **Staying Positive**.



## Key Dates:

- 13th April - Start of Summer Term 1
- 20th April - School Uniform Recycling
- 24th April - Tripoli (Y5) Class Assembly
- 24th April - April Birthday Bash
- 1st May - Washington (Y3) Class Assembly
- 4th May - Bank Holiday Monday - school closed
- 11th to 14th May - KS2 SATS Week
- 11th May - Athens (Y4) Class trip
- 18th May - Year 1 Class trip
- 19th May - Year 1 Class Trip
- 22nd May - Havana (Y1) Class Assembly
- 22nd May - May Birthday Bash
- 22nd May - End of term
- 1st June - Back to school



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