# Exbourne C of E (KS2) – Termly overview Autumn 2021 – Class 2

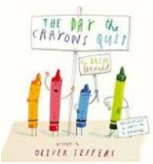
**HISTORY:** We will be studying the Roman Empire, examining the rise of the Empire, Roman influence on Britain and reasons for the Empires decline. We will also explore aspects of Roman life and beliefs.

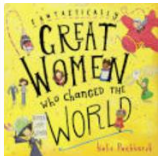
**Science:**
This Autumn term science unit will centre around the practical skills required in all science topics. These will include how to conduct fair tests, how to collect evidence and draw conclusions following investigations.

**Art:**
Art will explore patterns, reflections and repetitions with a focus on William Morris.

**Music:** Music provision will continue to be provided by Mrs Jolliffe. The class started looking at the music of Abba to coincide with their reunion.

**ENGLISH:** This Autumn term we will be learning about a range of genres including fiction, non-fiction and poetry. We will start with a picture book called 'The Day the Crayons Quit' looking at letters and personification. We will then look at biographies by studying historical figures, reading 'Fantastically Great Women'. Work on non-fiction texts will continue with 'Everest' before moving onto a poetry unit using the anthology 'Works'.




We will continue to work on embedding our statutory spelling knowledge and handwriting to enhance our writing skills. **Children are also expected to read as much as possible at home; we expect children to**

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I am very happy to start working with Class 2 at Exbourne Primary School. The children have been very welcoming and enthusiastic in class. Personal values will be central to all the learning undertaken in class and across the school.

I look forward to meeting you all. If you have any queries please contact me through the school admin e-mail address.
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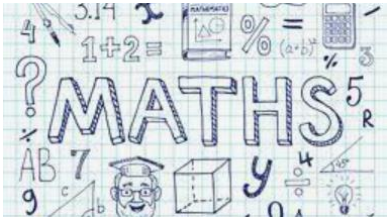
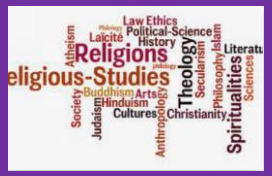
**MATHS:** Maths this term will focus on the bascis of maths to ensure that all pupils have a thorough understanding to build the rest of their knowledge. This will begin with number work around place value before developing understanding of subtraction, addition, multiplication and division. Reasoning, fluency and problem solving will underpin all maths lessons to prepare the children for their future learning.




**PSHE / RE:**

RE this term will study the Christian Creation story from Genesis, looking at what Christians draw from it. Our PSHE lessons will focus on relationships and valuing differences. In addition we will work on specific values central to DMAT starting with 'respect'.




**PE/ Outdoor learning:**
Wes Pugh, a PE specialist from Holsworthy will be coming into school on Thursdays to run lessons centred on Invasion Games such as football, rugby netball and hockey. The class will also have swimming lessons for the first half of the Autumn Term. In addition we will have short exercise sessions most days to increase fitness levels across the class.