



# Roby Park Half Term Curriculum Overview

Year 2 Summer 1- 2016

## English

This half term we will be learning about night time in particular:

- Finding information in Nonfiction Books about Night Time, Light and Dark, Nocturnal Animals.
- Creating own non chronological report, choosing what to write and organising ideas.
- Understanding and using technical vocabulary such as nocturnal, habitat, predator etc.
- Study the text 'The owl who was afraid of the dark'. Character and setting
- SATs preparation

## Physical Education

- Athletics (full kit with trainers on Monday please)

## French

- Counting to 10.
- Basic introductions (hello, my name is...)

## Music

- Continue to learn to play the recorder.
- Making night noises linked to Science topic of sound)

## Science, History, Geography, Art, D&T and ICT

### Science

- Life processes of humans and animals - food chains
- Adaptation and Classification - Nocturnal Animals in particular bats, foxes, owls, badgers and how are their bodies adapted for living at night.
- Habitats.
- Light and dark.

### Geography

- Nocturnal animals around the world.
- Seas and Oceans of the World

### Art & DT

- Exploring textures - woodland collage
- Animal sketches and light and dark art work

### Computing

- Debugging programs

## Mathematics

This half term on a weekly basis we will study:

- Money - making the same value using different combinations
- Arithmetic calculations (+/- 2 digits, x/ $\div$  2, 5, 3 and 10), Fractions of amounts
- Place value and partitioning tens and ones
- Statistics - charts, tables, lists, graphs and diagrams, sorting shapes
- Measures - telling the time to the nearest 5 minutes
- Problem solving and reasoning
- SATs preparation

## PSHCE and RE

- **PSHCE** - Relationships linked to animals and their young and food webs, changes
- **RE** - Christianity - Light and Dark

## Homework

- **English/Maths:** Homework is set to consolidate skills taught in class. Sent out on a Monday to be returned the following Friday
- **Reading Book:** To be practiced regularly and brought in daily along with planners