

Burton Pidsea Primary School Curriculum Overview: Summer 2 - Year 1 and 2

English

READING



This half term we are reading

The Princess and the Pea

They will be taught how to answer questions using the VIPERS methods: Vocabulary, Inference, Prediction, Explanation, Retrieve, Summarise.

WRITING



This half term children will be writing:

- Traditional Tale
- Instructional writing



SPEAKING & LISTENING

The children will be discussing the text and sharing their responses.

PHONICS & SPELLINGS



This half term, the children will be learning:

Year 1 – will continue phase 5 of the ELS scheme & complete their Phonics Screening Check

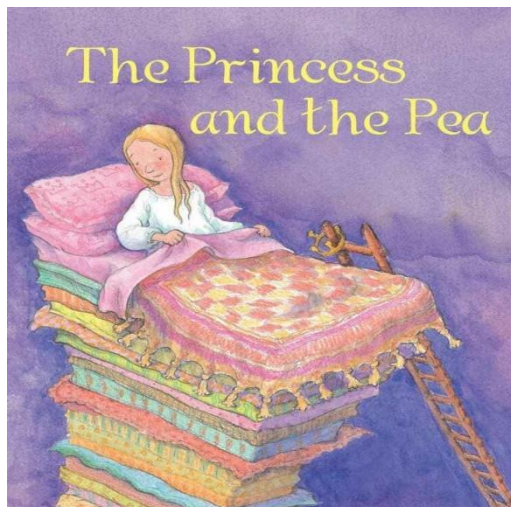
Year 2 – will continue to use Spelling Shed scheme to learn a new spelling rule each week

Maths



Year 1 – Place Value (within 100), Money and Time

Year 2 – Statistics, Position and Direction



RE

This half term we will look at 'What is a prophet?'
The children will investigate stories that show the characteristics of a prophet and what a prophet might mean to some people.

Jigsaw

Our focus in Jigsaw is 'Changing me'. We will be learning about life cycles, changes our bodies make and looking ahead to next year.

Computing – Programming

Children will be Exploring commands, instructions and errors through programming a Bee-Bot and learning how sequences control movement.

Music

In Music, we are looking at structures within the topic of myths and legends. We will be developing an understanding of structure by exploring and ordering rhythms.

PE

This half term we will be working on striking and fielding and sending and receiving.

Our PE days are **Monday and Friday**. Please ensure children are not wearing jewellery on these days, but are wearing their P.E. kit with suitable footwear.

Science – Plant Based Materials

In this topic, the children will consolidate knowledge of materials and plant growth through enquiry. We will learn about recycling and be able to choose a suitable material for a plant pot.

History – What is a monarch?

The children will understand the role of a monarch and how it has changed over time. They will identify the purpose, structure and evolution of castles too.

Design and Technology

We will focus on mechanisms; making a fairground wheel. The children will be designing and creating a functional fairground wheel, so that the wheel rotates and the structure stands freely.