

# Curriculum Summary

## Year 2 Summer 2019

Cross-curricular topic:  
Transport

Preparing children for life



## English

- Performance poetry.
- Instructions.
- Verbs, adverbs and conjunctions.
- Story planning and writing.
- Simple and compound sentences.
- Commas in lists.
- Reading for comprehension.
- Editing and improving work.
- Making brochures.

## Mathematics

- Counting in 2's, 3's, 5's and 10's.
- Four operations.
- 3 digit numbers.
- Review place value.
- Create and interpret bar charts.
- Properties of 3D shapes.
- Time.
- Measures.
- Solving word problems.

## Science

- Plants
- Investigations including fair testing.
- Scientists and inventors.

## Computing

- Make a Puppet Pals animation.
- Data handling and analysing data.
- Developing word processing skills.
- Exploring digital music making.

## Art and Design

- Papier Mache.
- Designing and making a new type of moving transport using junk modelling.
- Observational drawing of modes of transport.
- Exploring motion (fixed and moving axles).
- Use of water colours and pastels.

## French

- Fruit (likes/dislikes).
- Classroom objects.
- Musical instruments.
- Numbers.
- Stories, songs, rhymes and games.

## **Geography**

- Transport surveys – what types of transport are in our local area and why? Link to Mathematics.
- Inventions from around the world.

## **History**

- How and why transport has developed over the last 200 years.
- Where were different types of transport used and why?
- Detailed research on each type of transport.
- Famous transport inventors.
- Visit to Brooklands Museum.

## **Music**

- Learn songs based on Topic and time of year.
- Recorder songs using B, A and G with notation.
- Note values and their names.
- Explore rhythms using body percussion and instruments.

## **PE**

- Games – developing bat and ball skills, fielding games, athletics.
- Swimming – stroke techniques, water confidence and safety awareness.
- Athletics – Introduction to running, throwing and jumping events.

## **PSHE**

- Feeling Good, Feeling Safe.
- Resilience and motivation.
- Money – generosity.
- Transition to Year 3.

## **Religious Studies**

- Why did Jesus tell stories?
- Studying a selection of parables from the New Testament – why they were used and are still relevant today.

**PHILOSOPHY** lessons will take place approximately every 3 weeks. Philosophical themes and ideas will be considered and discussed.

These topics are merely what we would like to cover. Please note that as an Independent school, we enjoy the flexibility to explore any other interesting area of learning that may arise during the term, and therefore the list should be taken as a guide only.

## Further Useful Information

The school gate opens at 8:10am. Registration takes place between 8:50 and 8:55am. Collection time for Year 2 is 3.40pm.

### Trips and Events

Friday 26th April	Year 2 Transport WOW Day
Thursday 9th May	Grandparents Morning
Tuesday 14th May	Individual Pupil Photos
Friday 17th May	Open Classroom Event
Tuesday 21st May	Play Day – Playground games promotion
Tuesday 21st May	Teachers, Parents & Carers Quiz
Monday 17th June	Reading Celebration
Tuesday 18th June	Travelling Books in school every day till Tuesday 25th June
Friday 21st June	Year 2 Trip to Brooklands
Wednesday 26th June	Lower School Sports Day
Saturday 29th June	Summer Fayre
Wednesday 3rd July	Contingency Sports Day Date
Friday 5th July	Charity Afternoon
Tuesday 9th July	Moving Up Day