



## Shincliffe CE Primary School Home / School Links

During this half term the children in Year 2 will be looking at the following areas:

Curriculum Area	Content to be taught in school	Possible Activities to be completed at home
<b>English</b>	This term we will write stories with familiar settings, reports and instructions. Children will continue learning how to punctuate sentences with full stops, question marks and exclamation marks. They will be encouraged to use appropriate and adventurous language when writing. We will read a broad range of unseen texts and they will begin answering written questions to show their understanding. They will accurately read and spell high frequency words and words with given spelling patterns.	<b>Read, Read, Read!</b> Please continue to hear your child read at least five times per week. It helps them to develop ideas for their own writing as well as experiencing good sentence structure. Ask your child questions about what they have read and what they think might happen in the text. Support your child with their spelling homework.
<b>Maths</b>	This term we will cover the following areas: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>. <b>Number</b> – Comparing and ordering, place value, odds and even numbers, sequences.</li> <li>. <b>Addition</b> – Put the largest digit first when adding. Recognising that addition can be done in any order. Identifying numbers which make multiples of 10. Solve word problems.</li> <li>. <b>Subtraction</b> – Know that subtraction is from the biggest number. Solve word problems.</li> <li>. <b>Shape</b> – recognising, describing and sorting 2D and 3D shapes.</li> </ul>	Identify 2D and 3D shapes at home and in the environment. Please support your child with their maths homework.
<b>Science</b>	This term children will be learning about materials. They will name and classify different natural and manufactured materials. They will investigate the properties of different materials and consider why certain materials are suited to a job.	Ask your child to spot objects made from different/certain materials. What are the properties of those materials? Why are the objects made from those materials?
Computing	This term we will be remembering the importance of using technology safely and respectfully. We will develop keyboard skills and learn about algorithms.	Challenge children to teach you how to use publisher and to save a document.

RE	This term we will be learning about the Jewish faith. They will be introduced to the symbols of Judaism and how Jewish people express their beliefs.	Talk to your child about how everyone is different from each other – no one is the same! Talk about how religion is just one way in which some people can differ.
Geography	This term Year 2 children will learn about the human and physical features of the local area. They will learn to use maps and aerial photographs, and do simple field work.	Look at a map together and talk about the route from home to school, and the human and physical features passes along the way.
History		
PE	This term children will be playing team ball games. They will be developing throwing and catching skills, learn how to move into different positions, try to intercept the ball and show awareness of others around the court.	Practise throwing and catching with a variety of different balls.
Music	Children will listen to and appraise music. They will sing and perform together.	Ask children to sing the songs they have learnt.
Art	This term the children will use a variety of materials to create a collage of the local environment.	Help to provide appropriate materials for their work.
Proposed Educational Visit		