

# Burton Joyce Primary

# Spring 2 in KS1

# English

The children will be reading 'Lost and found' to explore the use of punctuation within different sentence structures. After this, they will learn about the structure of biographies before researching the life of aviation pioneer - Amelia Earhart to write their own.

### Science

This half term, we continue to explore living things and their habitats. Looking at the different types of habitats, including microhabitats and the food chains within the different habitats to support the survival of living things.



# Welcome Back

Welcome back to school after your February half term. We hope you had a nice break. Thank you for continuing to support your children with their homework, we always enjoy listening to them read work they are proud of and see the incredible progress they have made.

## History

The children will be learning about famous explorers. They will find out what makes them famous, where and what they discovered.

## Maths

In Year 2 children will be learning their 2, 5 and 10 timestable and relating these to the corresponding division facts.

In Year 1 children will be learning to measure length, height, mass and capacity.



## Computing

This half term the children will be interviewing each other and filming their interviews. They will learn how to edit the films they make.

#### DT

In DT the children will be chopping, peeling, and grating fruits and vegetables to make a healthy cereal bar snack.





#### PE

Children will explore and develop basic gymnastics actions on the floor and using low apparatus. They will select their own actions to create a short sequence to perform.

#### Music

Children will explore how beats are grouped and will devise their own body percussion. The children will move freely and creatively to two pieces from Shostakovich's Jazz Suites.





In Jigsaw this half term the children will be learning how to keep their bodies fit and healthy.

# Spellings

Spellings are sent out weekly, to rehearse the phonics they are learning in school. Please ensure your children practise them regularly to cement their learning and build their confidence.



#### RE

In RE, we will be continuing to learn about the Jewish faith and the significance of the Torah. We will then move onto Christianity and explore the significance of Easter and why it is important to Christians.

# Have a great half term!

# Dates to remember ...

SciTech competition deadline – 1<sup>st</sup> March.

World book day - Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March 2024.

Easter assembly at St Helens Church – 9:30am Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> March 2024.

Yorkshire Wildlife Park Trip - Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March 2024.

Easter Activity Day - Thursday 28th March 2024.