YEAR 2 NEWSLETTER

AUTUMN 2 TERM

I hope you have all had a great week off school picking pumpkins and enjoying the spooky Halloween weekend! Take a look at what we will be learning about this half term in the run up to Christmas. It's shaping up to be a busy one!

ENGLISH



Our first story will be a retelling of Jack and the Beanstalk with a twist. Children will practise writing in role through diary entries and letters as well as re-writing their own version of the tale.

HISTORY



We will be delving into the local history of Whitehaven Harbour this half term and more so the riches that it brung. The children will discover the story of the Jefferson brothers and how they came to their fortunes making and selling rum. The topic will also touch on the slave trade and how African slaves were mistreated on plantations during the time period.

MATHS

Children will continue to practise addition and subtraction using the new methods we have learned so far, including partitioning and the column method. We will then explore other calculations including multiplication and division through practical activities before applying them to problems.

DT



We will learn how to prepare and cut foods ourselves to make our own healthy wrap to take home. We will discover more about the different food groups and how to eat a balanced diet to keep our body healthy.



Please don't hesitate to get in touch via Seesaw messenger throughout the year if you have any questions or issues. However, the school office must also be contacted with regards to attendance, medical appointments and after school clubs.

Thanks