



Otter Class — Term 2

English

Year 1 will be practicing orally retelling a story, and using exciting adjectives to describe characters and settings. Year 2 will be using different descriptive techniques to describe characters and settings before rewriting the story.

Maths

This term, all of the children will be continuing to learn about addition and subtraction (at their level) before moving on to learning about shape.

Science

In Science this term, we will be exploring materials. We will be learning about the properties of different materials and using these to group and classify materials.

Geography

In Geography, we will be learning about hot and cold places. We will be learning about: the different continents, the equator, the hottest and coldest places in the world and we will be answering the question, 'Do we live in a hot or cold place?'

PSHE

Within our PSHE learning this term, we will be exploring the theme 'Valuing Difference'. We will also be exploring the core value of Responsibility in more detail.

Music/MFL

In Music this term, we will preparing and rehearsing for our nativity, 'A Wiggly Nativity'.

RE

Within RE this term we will be continuing to learn about 'Who is a Muslim and what do they believe?' We will be learning about mosques and other things that are important to Muslims.

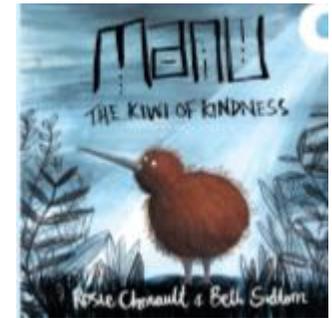
PE

In PE this term, we will be exploring gymnastics and motor skills.

Art/DT

In Art this term, we will be learning about textiles, shape and texture by learning different sewing skills and techniques to make our own Christmas decoration.

Core Text



This term, we will be reading 'Manu the Kiwi of Kindness by Rosie Chenault and Beth Siddorn.

In reading lessons, year 2 children will be: identifying and exploring key vocabulary, beginning to find evidence in the text to answer 'how' and 'why' questions and learning to navigate the text using paragraphs, subtitles and other structural features.