

Art and Design

This term **AT SCHOOL** the children will be:

- Designing and making puppets
- Learning about how different puppets are made and having the opportunity to make puppets. They will also be investigating what makes some puppets move.

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This term **AT SCHOOL** the children will be:

- Learning about different celebrations – eg birthdays, births, baptisms, christenings, weddings
- Learning about Sikhism and what does it mean to be a Sikh.

PE/Games

This term **AT SCHOOL** the children have PE on Wednesday and Friday. Please ensure that your child has the correct PE kit and plimsols in school each week.

HOMEWORK

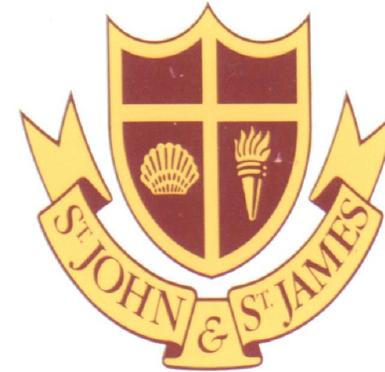
In Year Two the homework will be:

- Maths and literacy work given each Friday to be returned by Wednesday at the latest.
- Books will come home once a week in your child's book bag. Please sign the reading record book each day.

I shall be available straight after school most days. Please feel free to speak to me if you have any concerns.

CLASS VISITS

A further visit planned to enhance children's learning tbc



Summer Teaching Objectives

St Elizabeth Class – Year Two

Class Teacher: H Law

This booklet tells you what your child will be learning this term and contains some ideas for homework.

We hope you will find this booklet helpful as you continue to support and encourage your child at home with their learning.

English

This term **AT SCHOOL** the children will be concentrating on different forms of writing.

AT HOME you could encourage your child to write

- Stories based on a favourite story they may have heard.
- Letters to a friend or relative who lives a long way away.
- Information leaflets about facts on an area of interest.
- A recount about a visit to a place of interest.
- Non-chronological reports on various subjects

Encourage your child to read each day for 15 minutes.

Encourage your child to practice their handwriting – fully cursive/ joined up.

Mathematics

This term **AT SCHOOL** the children will be consolidating the Key Stage One curriculum

- counting, ordering, writing and reading numbers to 100
- adding and subtracting numbers mentally
- multiplication and division
- Telling the time – analogue and digital clocks
- recognizing coin values and solving simple addition and subtraction money problems
- measuring using centimeters and metres
- 2D and 3D shapes and their properties
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AT HOME you could:

- play simple maths games such as snakes and ladders and frustration to encourage number recognition and sequencing of numbers.
- Play simple money games using real coins. Encourage your child to recognise and use coins up to the value of £1.

Science

This term **AT SCHOOL** the children will be consolidating all work in Key Stage One.

Plants and animals in the local environment and variation

- Children will learn to recognise and make observations of plants and animals in the local environment.
- Children will learn that plants produce seeds and these grow into new plants.

Forces and Movement

- learning about forces and movement.
- Learning what forces are and how they can change the shape of everyday objects.
- Investigating how the amount of force on an object can move an object.
- Learning how to plan and do a fair test.

AT HOME you could:

- buy some simple children's science kits and encourage your child to follow instructions. Encourage your child to write about their findings.
- Visit the Science Museum

International Primary Curriculum (IPC)

The International Primary Curriculum (IPC) is a 21st century curriculum which extends children's knowledge, skills and understanding in subjects by developing personal attributes and supporting an international perspective in a way that responds to the changing world around us. IPC is an internationally-minded curriculum which is used in over 60 countries.

By using IPC we are able to nurture a love of learning and encourage the necessary key skills and personal qualities; such as team work, research and creativity, flexibility and thoughtfulness which will help children to become able and inspired learners. In addition to this, children will extend their knowledge and understanding of communities beyond that of our own country by exploring many aspects of other societies and ways of living.

- **This term's topic are: ' Night-time' and 'Holidays'**