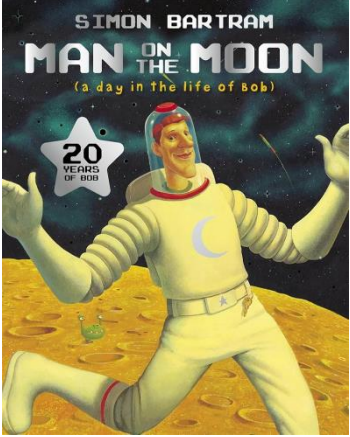




Hassocks Infant School
Weekly information for Parents and Carers
Weekly Overview

Year group: 2

Date: WC 25.11.24

Area of learning	What we will be learning	
<p>Communication, Language and Literacy</p>	<p>Our key text is:</p>  <p>Man on the Moon by Simon Bartram</p> <p>This half term we will be story mapping, 'innovating' (meaning we will change details to make it our own!) and writing our own version of the story.</p> <p>This week we will be answering the learning questions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Can I use apostrophes for contractions and possession? - Can I write the end of my story? - Can I edit my work? - Can I publish my story? <p><u>Vocabulary:</u> Apostrophe, contraction, possession, editing, publishing</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Phonics/Spelling</u></p> <p>This we are continuing the Little Wandle 'Bridge to Spelling' programme which builds on the children's phonics knowledge so that they can become more confident, independent spellers.</p> <p>This week we will be focusing on: Why do some words end in 'k' or 'ck'? Why do some words end in 'ch' or 'tch'?</p> 
<p>Mathematical Development</p>	<p><u>Maths</u></p> <p>In this unit, we will be learning mastery skills to support our addition and subtraction using concrete, pictorial and abstract methods.</p> <p>Can you add two numbers that bridge through 10? Can you subtract two numbers that bridge through 10?</p> <p><u>Vocabulary</u> Addend, equation, sum, minuend</p>	
<p>Computing</p> 	<p>The aims of this unit are: To use technology purposefully to create, organise, store, manipulate and retrieve digital content.</p> <p>We will use '2PaintAPicture' to look at the works of Piet Mondrian and use line and fill tools to make a piece of art inspired by this style. In our next lesson, we will create repeating patterns in the style of William Morris.</p> <p>During each lesson we will recap internet safety, to ensure we all know how to use Purple Mash safely.</p>	
<p>Jigsaw</p>	<p>Our unit this term will focus on the theme of 'Celebrating Difference'.</p>	



Learning Question: Is it okay to be friends with people who are different to us?

Physical Development

Jenny will lead our Tuesday PE sessions and class teachers will lead sessions on Wednesday. We will be learning about fitness, as well as exploring a variety of hand-eye coordination games. Please ensure that your child has appropriate PE kit in school.

Any Other Information

General reminders

Our PE days are **Tuesday and Wednesday**. Please ensure your child has appropriate PE kit in school (indoor and outdoor).

Reading books

Phonics books will be sent home at the end of the week. Children may bring home sharing books as often as they would like.

Spelling words of the week

Spelling words to practise in any way you choose!

father	class	grass	pass	plant
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There is no new Purple Mash homework this week.

Thank you for your continued support,
The Year 2 Team

Please note this is a basic overview of the planning for this week. It is impossible to cover in this outline all the learning that takes place during a week! We also believe in listening to your children and responding to the children's interests and ideas and therefore all our planning is **very** flexible. Please note some of the learning will take place across more than one week and during some weeks, the learning focus may not cover all curriculum areas.