



# Manor Primary Multi Academy Trust

## Year 2

### Termly learning newsletter Summer 2017

#### Whole School Aims

Manor Primary School aims to develop each child emotionally, physically, intellectually, spiritually and socially so that they are able to fulfil their true potential and are prepared for the next stage in their education leading towards adulthood. At Manor we aim to achieve the following long-term aims:

- To attain a welcoming, calm, nurturing and purposeful atmosphere.
- To provide an education free from discrimination
- To provide positive role models who instil fundamental British values and prepare children for life in modern Britain.
- To provide an innovative curriculum that are the building blocks for children to be active global citizens
- To provide a school environment this is safe, attractive, stimulating and enables children to be independent learners.
- To provide to every child the highest quality teaching that enables them to learn effectively and make exceptional progress
- To work in partnership with all stake holders to ensure all children at Manor Primary are provided with a world class education

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#### Key Information



#### Summer Term 2017

Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> April-Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May  
(Half Term: Monday 29<sup>th</sup> May-Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> June) Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June – Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> July 2017

#### Parents/carers evening:

Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> July 2017  
3:45-6:30pm

#### Times of the school day:

8.45 a.m. School doors open to children  
8.55 a.m. Registration  
3.15p.m. End of the school day for KS1  
3.20p.m. End of the school day for KS2

#### Visits and visitors:

To enhance our learning, this term we will be visiting the local market town Bridgnorth.

#### Reminders:

We ask that all children have an appropriate PE kit in school so that they can be active and enjoy the range of sporting activities that are offered. Reading books will be changed twice a week on **Tuesday and Friday**. We would appreciate all parents/carers to support their children by hearing them read on a regular basis. Please could you sign your child's reading record when they have read to you so they can be changed. Reading journal work will be given out fortnightly to support your child's reading.

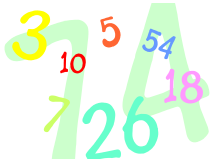
Homework will be given out on a **Wednesday** and will need to be handed in the following **Monday**.

# Our learning this term in year 2:



## English

To read and write a range of different texts that are imaginative and engaging. These will include: stories with familiar settings, information texts, instructions, poems and finding out about different authors. We will look at a range of different spelling and handwriting strategies to help us to become independent learners. This term we will focus on SPAG (spelling, punctuation and grammar) throughout our lessons.



## Maths

To read and write numbers to at least 100; investigating different methods of addition and subtraction, understanding the principles of multiplication and division, how to use money, looking at length, weight and capacity and how to apply these skills to real life problems.



## Science

To investigate plants, living things and their habitats.

## Geography

To find out about contrasting UK locality – Bridgnorth, a market town.

## History



To discover world exploration and invention: focusing on the important figures Christopher Columbus & Neil Armstrong and William Caxton.



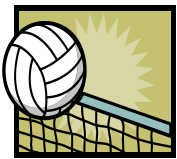
## RE

To investigate different rituals in our lives and others. Exploring a range of religions.

## PHSCE



To discover what it means to be part of the world family, looking at children from around the world.



## PE

To use a range of different skills in games, dance and gymnastics. The sports coaches will lead us in skills of athletics and scatterball.

## DT



To focus our talents on different structures by designing and making a desk tidy.



## Computing

To learn about how information is presented in a visual way.

## Art



To explore digital media and our diverse world of art.



## Music

To explore a range of musical instruments and compositions, whilst investigating sounds, beat and tempo.

At Manor Primary we aspire for each child to exceed their best.