

Values / SMSC

This half term we are going to be thinking again about fixed and growth mind-set and how we can adopt the latter.

We will continue to think about our values during whole school and class assemblies.

Key Events this Term

7th October: Fire safety week.

18th October: Wear red– show racism the red card!

28th October– 1st November: Half Term

4th November: School photographs - Individuals & siblings

6th November: Year 2 assembly performance at 2.45pm

12th December: Christmas jumper day

13th December: Christmas Nativity at 2pm for Key Stage 1



London Colney Primary and Nursery School

Year 2
Learning Adventure



Who was Rosa
Parks and why is
she so important?

Within this leaflet you will be able to find out about the learning adventure that your child will be going on this half term.

At London Colney, we strive to deliver a personalised, creative and enriched curriculum for your child, whereby they can develop and master a wide range of skills.

We endeavour to provide opportunities for your child to learn in a way that is engaging, purposeful and fun!

We hope your child experiences this on their learning journey this half term and if you have any questions, don't hesitate to ask.

English

Our class focus text will be, 'Amazing Africa' by Atinuke. This gorgeous text has been chosen as it will take children on an extraordinary journey through the rich and diverse continent of Africa. The writing opportunities almost jump from the page as the reader is taken on an adventure through each unique country. Readers will travel through cities, forests, beaches, savannas and they will meet some incredible animals.



Learning Adventure

Our learning adventure this half term will be on the subject history.

We will explore the significance of Rosa Parks and how her life and beliefs changed the world we live in. We will be exploring the concept of race and racism in the context of this historical period.

Computing

We will be using laptops to access the software 'purple mash'. Our focus will be on 'coding'.



Maths

This half term we will be looking at:

- Read, write, represent, partition, compare and order numbers to 100
- Explore patterns including, odds and evens, tens and ones.
- Apply number bonds to add and subtract
- Represent and explain addition and subtraction of two 2-digit numbers.
- Add three 1-digit numbers
- Introduction to bar models as a representation
- Create, label and sketch bar models.



Science

Within Science, Children will consider the properties and uses of everyday materials to meet a given criteria. Children will investigate how the shapes of some materials can change by doing something to them.



Religious Education

Our theme is sharing and the religion is Christianity. We will be investigating the question 'What did Jesus Teach?'



Physical Education

We will continue to have two weekly PE lessons this half term. Monday and Wednesday afternoons.

