

In **English** we will be focusing our writing around the texts 'Tidy' by Emily Gravett and Oliver & Patch by Claire Freedman. The children will be applying the skills they are taught in their English sessions including writing a variety of sentences including questions and exclamatory sentences.



In **Maths** the children will be working on shape and fractions of these. They will explore addition and subtraction through measurement and money. In Year 1 the children will be securing their knowledge of number through partitioning. Year 2 children will also be interpreting and constructing simple tally charts, block diagrams and tables.



In **Geography** the children will be learning the key features about the capital cities of the United Kingdom.

Year 1 & 2 Spring 2 'No place like home!'

In **R.E.** the children will be looking at the concept of 'Welcoming' focusing on the story on Palm Sunday'.

In **Computing** the children will be using 'Purple Mash' to investigate programming. They will also be writing their own simple programmes for the bee-bots.



In **Art and D.T.** the children will be focusing on design looking at the work of a famous designer Orla Kiely to inspire their own ideas for drawing, painting and sculpture developing their skills in techniques in using colour, pattern, texture, line, shape, form and space. The children will be designing and constructing their own models of a home using these skills.



In **P.D.L.** the children will continue with their work on relationships, discussing feelings and emotions.

In **P.E.** the children will be taking part in dance with a 'space' theme. The children will also be responding to music in their gymnastics sessions. Please remember your P.E. kits and outdoor shoes!

How you can help?
Reading –Please keep reading at home – please could you support your child by reading as much as possible to practice the skills they are being taught in school. There are Keywords to practice also along with number fact cards. Year 2 do not forget to practice your times tables!