



Year 2

During the Autumn term, up to Christmas, the children will be learning the following skills:

Maths	Literacy
<p>We will be filling in any gaps in knowledge and skills from missed time in Year 1 as well as looking at:</p> <p><u>Money</u></p> <p>We will be teaching your child how to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Recognise and use symbols for pounds (£) and pence (p)• Combine amounts to make a particular value• Find different combinations of coins that equal the same amounts of money• Solve simple problems in a practical context involving addition and subtraction of money of the same unit, including giving change <p><u>We will be teaching your child how to:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Solve problems with addition and subtraction• Use a variety of of mental and written methods• Recall and use addition and subtraction facts to 20 fluently• Add and subtract two-digit numbers• Add three one-digit numbers• Recognise that addition of two numbers can be done in any order (commutative) and subtraction of one number from another cannot• Inverse adding and subtraction	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Portal story writing• The Nativity• Letter writing• Weekly guided reading sessions <p>Each week we have a lesson where we focus on a specific aspect of spelling, punctuation and grammar. We will focus on spelling patterns and rules, how to use full stops, exclamation marks and questions marks correctly and also how to add suffixes to words. The children will also have opportunities to develop their spoken language through Drama and performance poetry.</p>

Newdigate's Values and Bee Rules

Our value this term is '**Peace**'. We will be learning about [Mother Teresa](#) as part of 'Love,' and [Mahatma Gandhi](#) and [Muhammad Ali](#) when we look at the value of 'Peace.' Please try to find the time to discuss these values with your child. You may also wish to use the terminology of our **bee rules** at home. Many parents have commented on how helpful they are.

