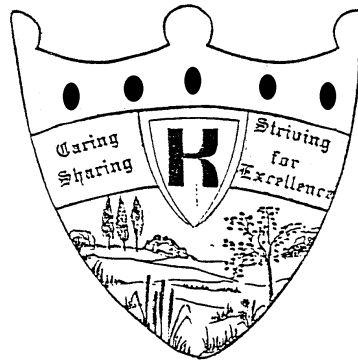


***What are we doing in K.S.2?***



***Autumn Term  
2010  
Curriculum  
coverage***

***How you can help your child***

Dear Parent(s) / Guardian (s)

**Re: Autumn Term 2010 Curriculum Coverage**

This new booklet outlines the curriculum coverage for your child this term, complete with suggestions as to how you may support the educational provision at Kingsmoor School.

If you have any queries, please consult the class teacher or:

Mrs. Sue Tierney – Foundation Stage Co-ordinator

Miss Paula Mitchell – Key Stage 1 Co-ordinator (Year 1 / 2)

Mrs. Debra Brewster – Key Stage 2 Co-ordinator (Year 3 / 4 )

Thank you for your continual support.

*Debra Brewster*

K.S. 2 Co-ordinator/  
Deputy Headteacher

*John Meaney*

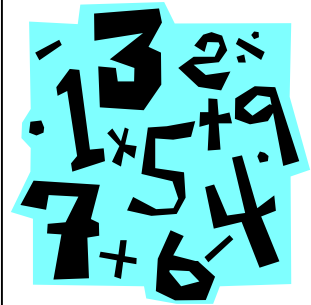
Headteacher

## Autumn Term 2010 Curriculum Coverage

### Core Subjects

#### Numeracy

- Place value, multiplication and division facts.
- Mental arithmetic daily—use and apply numbers to 1000.
- Develop strategies for mental arithmetic problem solving.
- Handling data—organising and interpreting tables/graphs.
- Time—read the time to 5 minutes on 12 hour digital clock e.g. 9.40.
- Fractions—recognise  $\frac{1}{3}$ ,  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  $\frac{1}{5}$  and  $\frac{1}{10}$  of shapes and numbers.
- Solving money problems—recognise all coins and understand £ / p.
- 2D and 3D shape work—classification and simple symmetry.



#### R.E

- The life and times of Jesus.



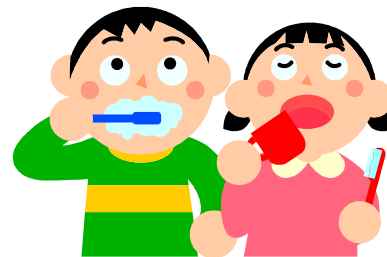
#### I.C.T

- Changing font size, colour and style.
- Manipulating sound.



#### Science

- Healthy diet and teeth: caring for teeth and general health.
- Moving and growing: muscles and skeleton.



#### Literacy

- Text Studies:** Stories with familiar settings, books with information on topics of interest.
- Poetry:** Poems based on observation and the senses, rhyming and non-rhyming.
- Plays:** Presentation and layout compared with prose work.
- Grammar:** Punctuation including speech marks and commas, use of verbs, verb tenses, impact of using alternative verbs.
- Spelling:** Words with prefixes, spelling by analogy, words containing long vowel phonemes—adding “ing”.



## Autumn Term 2010 Curriculum Coverage

### Foundation Subjects

#### Geography

- Weather—how the weather affects different regions—desert and polar regions.
- Weather conditions in different parts of the world including the use of an atlas.

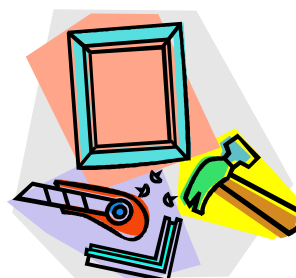


#### P.S.H.E

- Feelings, loss, separation and relationships, recognition of good qualities in people.

#### D.T

- Designing and making picture frames.



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#### French

##### Year 3

- Introduction to basic French vocabulary through conversation.
- Numbers and counting in French

##### Year 4

- Conversational dialogue.
- Engaging with more common everyday vocabulary.

#### Learning Platform

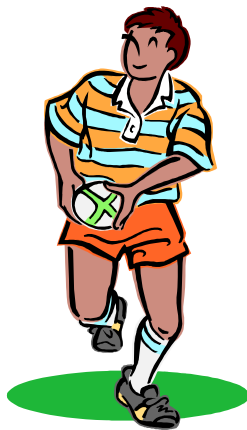
- To support all areas of the curriculum.
- To allow your child to have fun learning through I.C.T.
- All subject areas will be covered and allow children to access safe Internet Websites. (Adult supervision recommended)



Hope this gives you an idea of what your child will be studying this term.

### Music

- Exploring rhythmic patterns.
- Exploration of ostinato.



### P.E

- Gym—movement.
- Games e.g. unihoc skills and tag rugby skills.
- Dance—machines, mechanical movements.

### Art

- Investigating pattern in textiles.  
Printing and stencilling.



### History

- Romans—exploration of lifestyle, culture and beliefs.
- Trip to support learning. St. Albans Cathedral Education Centre for a Roman Event (Curriculum Enrichment opportunity).

## What you can do to support your child



### Numeracy

- Look at the Numeracy topics listed on the inside of this brochure to identify areas in which your child needs support.
- Support in checking completed homework.
- Practise times tables with your child.
- Support children to remember and be responsible for Maths games.

### Literacy

- Listen to your child read at least twice a week and ask questions about what they have read.
- Support in checking completed homework.
- Practise spellings and identify any letter patterns to help your child.
- Support children to remember and be responsible for library books.

### Other Curriculum Areas

#### **Geography**

- Support your child by finding out about weather around the world.

#### **History**

- Use library books or the internet to explore and discover interesting facts about the Romans.

#### **Science**

- Support your child by exploring the issues concerned with healthy eating and healthy teeth.

**You could help your child by providing the following:**

- Facts and information about the Romans.
- Information about healthy eating and looking after teeth.
- Facts and information about weather around the world.
- Support your child to understand that people have different feelings.
- Old shirts for art work.

<p><b>PLEASE REMEMBER</b></p>
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- Your child will need an indoor and outdoor P.E. kit each week.
- Label all clothing and belongings.
- Drinks bottles.
- Library Books and Maths Games on set days.