

# Castles Overview

Class 2 Autumn 1 2019

## English

- **Writing**

This term we will be writing stories, letters, instructions and character descriptions.

On-going spelling, punctuation and grammar skills

Whole-school focus on presentation skills, including cursive handwriting

- **Reading**

We will be working on our inference and comprehension skills in order to show an understanding of the text/story.

## Topic

- Our topic this term is 'Castles'. We will be learning about the features of a castle, researching castles nearby, learning about the roles within a castle and much more.

## Mathematics

In maths this term we will be looking at:

- Place Value
- Addition and Subtraction

## Art/DT/Computing

- **Computing**

We will be exploring Purple Mash and learning about internet safety.

- **D&T**

We will design and make a castle. We will also be baking bread.

## Science

Our topic this term is 'Seasonal Changes'. We will be learning about the changes that happen from Autumn to Winter. We will also carry out investigations related to our topic.

## PE

- I'm Riding on my Bike and Pirate Adventure (Co-ordination and Static Balance)

## PSHE & RE

**PSHE** - Being me in my world

**RE** - Who is a Christian and what do they believe in?

## Homework

- **Reading:** To be practised every day for at least 20 minutes.
- **Topic:** See takeaway menu.
- **Spellings:** Spellings sent out on a Friday to practice. Spelling test is carried out the following Friday.
- **Maths:** Sent out every Tuesday and to be handed in the following Monday,