



Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope you have all had a restful Easter break- I wish you all a very warm welcome back to the Summer term at St Francis Xavier Catholic Primary School and the final term of the year for your children on their Year 2 journey. This year, the children have truly shone out and are learning so many new and exciting things. We are so proud of each and every one of them, and are truly grateful that you, our families, give, as the first educators of the children.

Please see the Y2 summer term curriculum map overleaf for an insight into what your child will be learning over this final term of the year.

At the end of this Summer term, Year 2 will be having a '**Fabulous Finish day**' on which they will be able to celebrate their learning from across their topic '**Explorers- Amelia Earhart and Neil Armstrong**'. The children will be able to come into school that day in '**themed dress**' and they will have the opportunity to bring in and showcase a project with the rest of the school and staff for the day.

Their project/showcase must be themed on '**Explorers- Amelia Earhart and Neil Armstrong**'. The children can represent their project in any way they choose e.g. they may use skills they have learnt in Art/DT, Computing, Research/English.

**\*\*\* Year 2 Fabulous Finish date- Thursday 11th July 2024 \*\*\***

The children will also be going on a school trip to Dudley Art Gallery on **Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2024**, as part of their summer learning journey.

If at any point you have any questions or queries regarding your child's learning journey, please come and speak to the class teacher or one of the SLT.

Class teachers will be sharing key updates with you on Dojo throughout the Summer term, so keep an eye out!

We are truly excited for this final term of the year and celebrating learning with your children.

Thank you for your support,

God Bless,

**Principal**

### Art/DT

**Craft and design:** Map it out

**Mechanisms:** Fairground Wheel

### PE:

Rackets, Bats, Balls

Jumping

Team Building

Games for understanding

### English:

Our English curriculum this term is underpinned by a range of high quality texts including those linked to the learning in science and History.

Writing opps include:

-Retell

-Informal letter

-Recount

-Formal letter

-Explanation

-Description

-List Poem-**Phonics** (Floppy phonics)

-Adult led guided reading sessions

### Science:

-Plants

**(Marie Clark Taylor)**

-Living things and their

habitats (**Scientist study:** David Attenborough)

### PSHE:

Three in One

Who is my Neighbour?

The Communities We Live In

Who Will I Be?

Needs and Wants

Reflexions- Friendships and

Mental Health

Online Safety- Conduct

Rail/Sun/Water Safety

Refugee Week

Vocations Week

### History

Explorers- Amelia Earhart and Neil  
Armstrong- Why do people fly?

### Geography

**All around the world-** What are the similarities and differences of different areas of the world?

**Topic- 'Explorers- Amelia Earhart and Neil  
Armstrong'**

**Year 2**

**Summer Term 2024**

### Maths

Fractions

Time

Statistics

Position & Direction

### Computing:

Making Music

Presenting ideas

### Music:

Friendship song

Reflect, rewind, replay

### RE

Easter

Pentecost

Our Church

The Mass

### Catholic Social Teaching:

Dignity of Work and the Rights of  
Workers

Rights and Responsibilities