

## YEAR 2 - SUMMER 2

**Reading Focus:** This half term we will be reading a selection of African Tales and 'The Tear Thief' by Carol Ann Duffy . Our recommended reads will be linked to our Science and Geography topics these titles can be found on the knowledge organisers.

*Seeking to nurture..*

*SelF-belief CourAge ResIience AmbiTion Harmony*

### **Learning to Learn!**

We will continue to develop our abilities to:

*Enquire  
Think  
Imagine  
Create  
Explore  
Collaborate  
Reflect*

### **In English...**

In our writing compositions we will identify a purpose and audience for writing; plan and write poems, short stories and non-fiction text. In Grammar, we will learn about expanded noun phrases, direct speech and tense (past and present). In our spelling we will focus on the suffixes —ful, -less and —tion.

### **In Maths...**

In maths we will focus on our mental and arithmetic skills. We will also follow the White Rose Maths curriculum which will revisit and embed prior learning as well introducing new concepts of position and direction as well as making and using statistics.

### **In RE...**

We will discover what happened at Ascension and Pentecost.

### **In Science**

We will continue investigating how seeds and bulbs grow into different plants.

### **In Geography...**

We will be finding out how Kenya is different from the UK.

### **In Music...**

We will be exploring rock music.

### **In Computing...**

We will be focusing on presenting a story in different ways.

### **In PE...**

We will be developing our athletics skills.

### **In PSHE...**

We will learn about recognising our feelings.

*"Stand firm... be courageous" 1 Cor 16:13*