

Literacy:

We will continue to develop our writing skills thinking about punctuation, descriptive vocabulary and the use of conjunctions. We will read the story of "George's Marvellous Medicine" and use it to support our writing of instructional texts. Linked to the story, we will plan and write our own extended stories using the theme of a potion with magical properties.

Maths: We will consolidate our understanding of place value, working with 2/3 digit numbers as appropriate. We will use place value to work out addition and subtraction calculations. We will continue to count in 2s, 5s, 10s, 3s and 4s and relate this to the times tables. We will continue to work on key skills such as doubles, halves and quarters. We will explore the use of scales to measure weight and capacity. We will learn to tell the time to the quarter hour.

Science/PHSE

We will learn about health and growth and talk about how to keep ourselves fit and healthy. We will sort foods into groups and talk about how to eat a healthy, balanced diet. We will rank drinks from most to least healthy. We will talk about why our bodies need regular exercise and the effects of exercise on the body and mind. We will talk about the differences between babies, toddlers and children and how their needs change as they grow. We will learn that we take medicines when we are ill and distinguish between medicines and foods. We will discuss how to keep safe with medicines. We will discuss the risks of alcohol and cigarettes.

Games

This half term we will continue to work on team games. We will develop throwing/catching skills participating in competitive team games. We will also practise our striking and fielding skills in team games such as mini rounders. We will prepare for Sports Day working on various athletic skills. We will try to beat our personal best.

Year 2 Topic Plan Summer B Keeping Healthy



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We will evaluate a range of cereals and discuss the ingredients and packaging. The children will design and make their own healthy cereal choosing their own ingredients. They will create packaging for their cereals. They will evaluate their finished products.

Music

We will use the Charanga resource to investigate the structure of various pieces of music linked to healthy lifestyles.

We will continue to learn the songs for "The Big Sing."

ICT: We will learn how to take a digital image with an iPad thinking about composition and framing. Inspired by our healthy eating topic, we will take fruit and vegetable portraits adding appropriate facial features! A background will be added and the children will write captions to accompany their composition.

RE: The children will learn about the significance of the Torah in the Jewish religion and will visit the synagogue

