

# Little London Community Primary School Spring 1 2024 Year 2

## **Writing and Reading**

Writing: Children will take part in food tasting. This will enable them to generate describing words. Children will create their own losing tale stories based on the story 'The Runaway Chapati.' Children will also learn the key features of instructional texts. This will help them to write their own instructions on how to create a Fruit Salad.

Reading: Children will use the stories 'The Runaway Dinner' and 'Mr Wolf's Pancakes' as a basis to learn and apply the super six reading skills: wonder, retrieve, infer, visualise, monitor and connect.

### Maths

In maths this half term, pupils will complete the topic on money and making different amounts. They will then move on to multiplication, focusing on the 2, 5, and 10 times tables. They will learn to divide and understand that it is the inverse of multiply. They will also learn about measures, focusing on mass, height, length, temperature and volume.

# Computing

Pupils will be making music digitally. They will explore, edit and combine sounds using the program 2Sequence. They will think about how music is used to depict feelings and emotions. They will compose pieces of music and then edit them to produce a refined final piece of music.

#### Music

Children will explore moving and playing to a steady beat and sequence of sounds. They will also learn how to change tempo.

## **PHSE**

Children explore the question 'What jobs do people do?' They will identify what jobs people do in society and what skills are required to succeed in that job role.

# **Food Glorious Food**



#### RI

Children explore the question 'What did Jesus teach and how did he live?' Pupils will learn about Jesus and the importance of what he taught to others, learning different stories.

# <u>PE</u>

Both classes will learn dance and sending and receiving this half term. Their ball skills will be enhanced, as will their dynamic movements and use of speed.

## Science

Children will learn about the different ways to maintain a healthy lifestyle. They will learn about what foods we need to eat to gain the right nutrition and keep a balanced diet. They will also learn how good hygiene, sleep and lots of exercise all contribute to keeping them healthy.

# **Art and Design Technology**

Children will carry out food tasting and discuss the taste and texture of different foods using adjectives. Children will design, make and evaluate their own fruit salads and pancake faces. This will link with their work in Writing.

# **Excellence and Enjoyment Factors**

Children will visit the restaurant Wagamama to learn about food hygiene and safety. They will also have the opportunity to make their own healthy smoothies and noodle dishes by measuring.