English:

'The Owl Who Was Afraid of the Dark' by Jill Tomlinson is a heart-warming book about a young barn owl who is scared of the dark. In the story, Plop meets different people who each tell him something wonderful about the dark. He learns that the dark is exciting, kind and fun. By the end, Plop overcomes his fear and realizes that dark isn't scary at all — it's beautiful and full of adventure

PSHE: Celebrating
Difference – We will
investigate and discuss
stereotypes, diversity
and showing respects
in this topic.

Science:

Choosing Materials Y2 will learn about the properties of materials. They will investigate which properties make certain materials appropriate for different uses, e.g, to make a rain coat or to put into a mould.

RE: What does it mean to be free? We will be discussing freedom and its role in religion.

Guided Reading:

'The Great Fire of London' – Children will be revisiting the Great Fire of London and consolidating their knowledge with this non-fiction text.



Geography:

Children will recap knowledge of the continents. They will locate the equators, identify features of hot and cold places and compare the two.

Maths:

In the autumn term in Maths, Year 2 will continue the addition and subtraction units, before moving on to shape. Children also have 'Mastering Number' sessions.

Music: Ho, Ho, Ho – A Christmas song

Children will be listening and appraising to other songs before building on their knowledge and understanding of music through vocal warm-ups and improvisation and using instruments. Followed by performing the song.

Computing:

Autumn 2





<u>DT</u>

Y2 will lean how to prepare vegetables and make vegetarian pizzas. They will research, design, make and evaluate their pizzas against a brief.

PE: (MONDAY/TUESDAY)

Fundamentals Dance

Phonics RWI:

understanding.

Children will continue to be assessed each term and grouped according to their phonic knowledge.
We are focussing on building fluency and reading with intonation and

