

Year 2

Autumn Term 1 – September to October 2026

Teachers:

2DS – Ms Dorota and Ms Daria

2JC – Mr Jack and Ms Miška

2MM – Ms Martina and Ms Barbora

2SM – Mr Stefen and Ms Emma



English

Read Write Inc. teaches English sounds, letter shapes, and handwriting.

Set 1 letters: m a s d t i n p g o c k u b f e l h r j v y w z x. Special Friends (2 letters for 1 sound): sh th ch qu ng nk ck. This helps children blend sounds into words to read and write with confidence.



Maths

Students will review prior knowledge and expand counting skills up to 100. We will continue developing addition and subtraction strategies, as well as identifying 2D shapes and exploring their properties through engaging, hands-on classroom activities.



Science

This term, students will explore living things in their habitats, expanding their vocabulary about global animals and plants. Children will also discover what animals need to survive and learn all about animal offspring through engaging hands-on science activities.



Topic

This term, our topic unit is Animals Around the World. Children will explore various animals and their different habitats. We will learn about preserving and protecting these natural habitats, understanding why it is so important to care for our living world for the future.



Slovak

In year 2, students actively develop their fine motor skills by completing preparatory writing exercises based on given patterns. They also improve their oral expression by telling short stories. Students learn to distinguish syllables within words by listening.



PE

Students start by exploring spatial awareness, balance, and coordination. Next, they learn warm-ups, cool-downs, body safety, and rhythm. Finally, they focus on core movement mechanics like hopping, running, catching, and throwing.



Art

Students will be introduced to the Visual Elements of Art through playful, hands-on activities, exploring colour, line, shape, texture and pattern. They will experiment with materials, develop confidence in making creative choices and begin to express their ideas through art.



Music

Students will learn about beat and rhythm, exploring how musicians stay together and maintain a steady pulse. We will develop rhythmic awareness through movement, music games, animal-themed songs, and hands-on exploration of percussion instruments.



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