



Class: Otters / Yr1/2
Autumn term 2025

Broughton Bitesize

What your children are learning this term.

Computing

We'll learn how to stay safe when using the internet, including keeping personal information private. It's an important topic that helps us use technology responsibly and confidently.

UN article 16: Protection of privacy

PE

In PE next term, we'll be starting a dance unit. We will learn to move to music, explore different ways of expressing ourselves through movement, and work together to create simple routines.

UN article 24: Health

RE

We'll explore why harvest is an important time for many people, how it is celebrated in different communities, and the importance of saying thank you for the food we have.

UN article 13: Sharing thoughts freely

English

Next term, we'll be diving into *The Three Little Pigs* by Susanna Davidson. This familiar tale will help us settle into routines and remind us how we write in Otters Class. We'll be focusing on our handwriting and practicing writing simple sentences to build confidence and get back into the swing of things. It's a great way to start the term with fun, creativity, and strong foundations!

UN article 28: Right to education

Science

Our topic will be '*Materials and Their Properties*'. We'll be exploring different types of materials, such as wood, metal, plastic, and fabric, and investigating their properties like flexibility, strength, and waterproofing. Through hands-on experiments and observations, we'll learn why certain materials are chosen for specific purposes.

UN article 28: Right to education

Maths

We'll be focusing on *Place Value and Number*. We'll be building a strong understanding of numbers - how they are made, how to count, compare, and order them, and what each digit means. This will give us a solid foundation for all our future maths learning and help boost our confidence with numbers right from the start. Year 2 will also be counting to and from 100 and revisiting their number bonds to 20.

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History

Our History topic next term will be the Great Fire of London. We'll be learning about how the fire started, why it spread so quickly, and what life was like in 1666. Through stories, timelines, and role play, we'll explore this important event and how it changed London forever.

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Music

'Story telling' This new unit helps the children learn how events, actions and feelings within stories can be represented by pitch, dynamics and tempo.

UN article 29: Aims of education

Art

We'll be learning all about how to use colour and shapes to create bold and eye-catching artwork. As part of this, we'll be studying the artist Auguste Herbin, whose vibrant and abstract pieces will inspire our own creative work.

UN article 29: Aims of education

PSHE (Scarf)

'Being My Best'. We'll learn about making healthy choices, building confidence, and setting goals to help us be the best we can be.

UN article 3: Best interests of the child.

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