2FM Autumn Curriculum 2017

**Literacy:**

Children will develop their skills in grammar, spelling and punctuation through various activities and games. We will be writing stories and poems. We will understand the key features of story writing and look at stories with a familiar setting as well as some fairy tales. We will also develop our literacy skills through our termly topic work. Creating and writing information texts and leaflets to support our learning.

**Numeracy**

Number focus on developing mental and written strategies for addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.

Our work will also include:

Simple fractions (shape and number)

Measurement –time length

Geometry – 2d and 3d shapes polygons

Statistics –collecting and interpreting data

2 – step Problem solving

**RE**

Our unit of work this half term will be ‘Chosen People’. We will look at Abraham and Moses and why they were chosen by God.

**Science**

Everyday Materials will be our focus this term. We will find identify and compare the suitability of a variety of everyday materials. We will also find out how the shape of objects made from different materials can be changed by squashing, bending, squeezing and stretching

**History/Geography**

We will look at the cause and effect of the Great Plague and the outcomes of The Gunpowder plot.

Our first unit will be Our School History. To celebrate the new school building and the amalgamation of the two schools, as well as St Winifred’s 125th anniversary. We will be researching and finding out about school life 125 years ago when St Winifred’s first opened.

**Art and Design**

Self-portraits

Quilt designs

Christmas art

Making houses

**PSHE**

We will be looking at the Rights and Respecting articles.

We will link the articles throughout the Curriculum.

**PE**

Games

Gymnastics

Develop basic skills, sending and receiving action and ideas

Repeat simple skills

Create & perform short linked sequences