



# Archibald First School Year 2 Spring Term 1

## Literacy

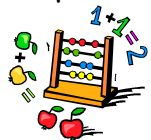
During the first half term of 2012, the children will be focusing on traditional tales. Their work will include writing dialogue between characters, creating character profiles and describing settings. They will also be drawing comparisons between the stories of Cinderella, Little Red Riding Hood and Jack and the Beanstalk. Year 2 will also be looking at stories by the same author - The Albergs. The non-fiction work is based on information texts related to materials. The children will be investigating how information can be presented in a variety of ways as well as using the many features of a non-fiction text, such as the contents page. We shall be writing explanations and composing non chronological reports all closely linked with our topic of materials and recycling.



Phonics will continue to be taught daily and will build upon the work covered during the Autumn term.

## Numeracy

Number work involves solving problems involving addition, subtraction, multiplication and division, including finding the value of an unknown number. The children will be asked to add and subtract two and three digit numbers, in the context of measures and money using an empty number line. For their work on multiplication and division it is vital that the children are able to count on and back in steps of 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10 and 11. The children will be taught to identify reflective symmetry in patterns and 2D shapes and to draw lines of symmetry in shapes.



<http://www.yellow-woods.co.uk/>

<http://www.recyclezone.org.uk/>

<http://www.encams.org/funzone/index.asp?nav=top>

<http://www.epa.gov/recyclecity/>

<http://www.recyclingconsortium.org.uk/primary/index.htm>