# Chase Lane Primary School and Nursery

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Year 1 – Learning Overview Spring Term Topic: The Great Fire of London



# **ENGLISH**

- Focus on handwriting (Kinetic Letters) – letter formation and pencil hold
- -Discuss word meaning and link new meaning to those already known.
- -Apply phonic knowledge and skills to decode words and blend sounds in unfamiliar words
- -Accurately read texts that match their developing phonic knowledge.
- -Re-read texts to build up fluency and confidence
- -Check that a text makes sense as they read and to self-correct
- -Listen and discuss a wide range of fiction, non-fiction and poetry
- -Link what they have read to their own experiences
- -Retell familiar stories
- -Join in with discussions about a text, taking turns and listening to what others say
- -Discuss the significance of titles and events.
- -Begin to make simple inferences and predict what might happen on the basis of what has been read so far.
- -Recite simple poems and nursery rhymes by heart
- -Compose a sentence orally before writing it
- -Begin to sequence sentences to form short narratives
- -Begin to discuss what they have written
- -Begin to use adjectives to describe words
- -Begin to learn when a capital letter and full stop is needed
- -Begin to spell the days of the week
- Begin to use question marks

# MATHS

- -Recognise and group 2D shapes
- -Recognise 3D shapes
- -Make and complete shape patterns
- -Compare height and length
- -Measure height and length using objects, body parts and a ruler
- -Count to 40
- -Count in tens and ones
- -Compare numbers and determine how much more/less
- -Make number patterns
- -Make and add equal groups
- -Group and share equally
- -Identify and make halves and quarters
- -Begin to solve word problems



#### SCIENCE

# **Physics – Seasonal Changes**

-Observe changes across the four seasons observe and describe weather associated with the seasons and how day length varies

# **Chemistry – Everyday Materials**

- Distinguish between an object and the material from which it is made.
- Identify and name a variety of everyday materials, including wood, plastic, glass, metal, water, and rock.
- Describe the simple physical properties of a variety of everyday materials.
- Compare and group together a variety of everyday materials on the basis of their simple physical properties

#### **GEOGRAPHY**

- -Use basic geographical vocabulary to identify and refer to key physical and human features including beach, coast, hill, sea, river, city, town, village, house, office, port, and shop
- -Name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of the United Kingdom
- -Identify seasonal and daily weather patterns in the UK
- -Use world maps, atlases and globes to identify the United Kingdom and its countries.

# HISTORY

#### The Great Fire of London

- -Recall what happened during the Great Fire Of London
- -Sequence events in chronological order from the day the fire started until the day it went out
- Identify that the fire started in Pudding Lane and spread because of the wind and wooden houses
- -Part of St Pauls Cathedral was destroyed and had to be rebuilt
- -Samuel Pepys was a very important person
- -Think about the differences between then and now
- -Understand that some things have changed over time but others are similar
- -Begin to understand that during 1666 life was different for different people

# **DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY**

- -Draw a model house from 1666 (Great Fire of London)
- -Use a range of materials to construct a house from 1666
- Use finishing techniques, including those from art and design

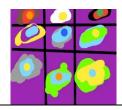




# COMPUTING

# **Creativity & Media**

Select and use appropriate painting tools to create images on a digital device.



# **MUSIC**



Understand how this use of computing differs from using paint and paper.

Describe what different freehand tools do.

Use the shape tool and the line tools.

Create pictures in the style of artists.

# **Computer Networks**

Find and use pictures on the web.



Know what to do if they encounter pictures that cause concern.

Group images on the basis of a binary (yes/no)

question.

Organise images into more than two groups according to clear rules.

Sort (order) images according to some criteria.

## Online Safety

Identify a range of alternative activities to screen use.

Alternative Activities to Screen Use

We take care of our minds and bodies.

Recognising everyday & musical sounds through their different 'Pitch & Timbre'.

Recognising & responding to changing pitch using different stimuli.

Experimenting with tuned percussion instruments (chime bars / bells).

Further development of listening skills and working collaboratively through musical activities.

Recognising which percussion instruments play long & short sounds using metal & wooden instruments.

Recognising thin (solo) & thick (group) textures.

Revisit & extend previous learning on different voice types (speaking / rapping / chanting / singing).

Incorporate songs and musical activities to the wider year 1 curriculum where possible: (eg. London's Burning – musical round).

Continue to build individual self-confidence and self-esteem through musical performance.

Embed previous learning about pulse, sequences & simple time signatures through the activities used in this unit.

# **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

# What do my senses tell me about the world of religion and belief?

- -Retell the Jewish creation story and relate it to observing Shabbat.
- -Recognise the importance of Shabbat to Jewish people
- Shabbat is celebrated as a weekly tradition for Jewish families.
- Give an example of how Jews use the day of rest from the story of the creation to guide their daily lives.
- -Recognise The symbolism of the key artefacts used during Shabbat:
  - Candles are lit before Shabbat to create peace in the home.
  - Challah Bread a special plaited bread to show how Jews love Shabbat.
  - Kiddush Cup a special goblet that holds

# PHYSICAL EDUCATION

- -To change direction during travelling moves. To link travelling moves that change direction and level
- -Develop gestures and ways of travelling. Understand beats in the music
- -Move in time to the music. Develop gesture and ways of travelling. Understand beats in the music.
- -To link together dance moves with gestures and changing direction in time to music
- -Run on the balls of the feet, concentrating on coordination, not speed. Co-ordinate the upper and lower body together. Move with greater precision and control.
- -Use timing to aim, stop and guide an object. Aim a variety of balls and equipment accurately

the wine that is blessed for Shabbat.  What does the cross mean to Christians?  -Give a clear, simple account of the Easter Story.  -Recognise that the Easter Story contains Christian beliefs about salvation.	-To travel in different directions (side to side, up and down) with control and fluency -To practise ABC (agility, balance and co-ordination) at circuit stations
-Recognise that the Easter Story is a source of hope for Christians.	
<u>PSHE</u>	
Dreams and Goals -Set simple goals	
-Set a goal and work out how to achieve it	
-Understand how to work well with a partner	
-Tackle new challenges and understand that they might stretch learning	
-Identify obstacles which make it more difficult to achieve a new challenge and can work out how to overcome them	
-Be able to identify feelings when succeeding in a new challenge	
Healthy Me - Understand the difference between being healthy and unhealthy, and know some ways to keep healthy	
- Know how to make healthy lifestyle choices	
- Know how to keep clean and healthy, and understand how germs cause disease/illness	
- Understand that all household products including medicines can be harmful if not used properly	
-Understand that medicines can help if you feel poorly and I know they need to be used safely	
-Know how to keep safe when crossing the road, and about people who can help us to stay safe	

-Tell you why I think my body is amazing and can identify some ways to keep it safe and healthy