

Half Termly Curriculum Plan Spring 1 2024

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	Prior knowledge	Key Vocabulary	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Assessment
Science	Year 1 Identifying materials Simple material properties Simple comparison of properties	man-made Natural original material physical suitable use/useful characteristics opaque properties reflective non-reflective transparent translucent rigid flexible strong weak	L.I. – I can identify and describe what an object if made of. • Children are to identify and compare the properties of materials and their uses.	L.I. – I can describe and compare the properties of materials • The children will describe the properties of an item and suggest why that property is suitable.	shapes of objects can be changed by twisting, bending, squashing or stretching. • Children are to test	purposes.	L.I. – I can investigate materials that are waterproof (Charles Macintosh) • Children are to receive a letter from a 'superhero', asking them to design a new waterproof suit. Learn about the scientist. Plan an experiment to test different materials for their waterproof properties.	carry out their planned experiments, and evaluate what material was the	Hexagon hot task. Assessment of children's learning. Children to be give visual prompts of the lessons covered. Children to evidence their learning in a mind map style.
Computing	Year 1 -We are Collectors	-Digital Camera -Image -Photo -Photograph -Pixel -Close-up -Zoom in -Landscape -Portrait	We are Photographers L.I. – To use a digital device to take a photograph I can recognise what devices can be used to take photographs I can talk about how to take a photograph I can explain what I did to capture a digital photo	We are Photographers L.I. – To make choices when taking a photograph I can explain the process of taking a good photograph I can take photos in both landscape and portrait format I can explain why a photo looks better in portrait or landscape format	 photograph I can identify what is wrong with a photograph I can discuss how to take a good photograph I can improve a 	We are Photographers L.I. – To decide how photographs can be improved I can explore the effect that light has on a photo I can experiment with different light sources I can explain why a picture may be unclear	I can recognise that images can be changed I can use a tool to achieve a desired effect I can explain my	that photos can be changed	Children to pick their best photograph and be able to explain: 1. The format they have chosen and why; portrait or landscape 2. What features make their photo a good photo. ie. Subject, lighting and clarity.
Art and Technology	Year 1: . primary colours . mixing primary	Colour wheel Primary colours Secondary colours	L.I. – I can learn about the work of Roy Lichtenstein	L.I – I can explore and describe work by Lichtenstein	L.I. – I can mix a range of secondary and tertiary colours.		L.I. – I can use the work of Lichtenstein to make links to my		Children are to complete a comic book cover in the

	colours to create	Tertiary Colours					own work.	colours for my	style of Roy
	secondary colours	Ben-day dots Pop Art		Children to use their sketch books to explore Lichtenstein's work and style of art.	Children are to develop their understanding of the colour wheel, including how to mix secondary and tertiary colours.	out different methods	Children are to create their own comic book Art (linked to Literacy) using Lichtenstein's style e.g. pop art, 4 main colours, Ben-Day dots.	artwork. • Children are to hold an art exhibition across the year gp, sharing each other's work and discussing why they have used certain colours, techniques, styles.	Lichtenstein. Assess their understanding of the style of art through their use of colour and technique. 4 key colours Ben-Day dots Lines Onomatopoeias Inspired by comics (Linked to Literacy- cover for their comic books)
Religious Education	Year 1: How do we bring community together? What does the cross mean to Christians? Why is light important to Christians? (Y2)	-Christianity -Christening -Baptism -Belonging -Faith -Font -Prayers -Symbols	how it feels to belong • Children with then identify a group they belong to like a swimming team. They	key vocabulary.	L.I I can create a symbol which represents belonging • Children to complete a scavenger hunt for Christian symbols and their meanings and design their own.	then complete	L.I I can compose an artwork to express how Christians belong to a faith family • Recap on ways we belong, the meaning of symbols and the role of the church to complete artwork	L.I I can reflect on what I have learned about Christianity • Descriptive text that includes key vocabulary from the unit to show understanding	Children to complete an end of unit outcome that will include key vocabulary taught throughout the unit as well as their personal reflection of belonging as well as how this feels for Christians.
Music	EYFS: Learning to recognise / respond to simple patterns of musical notation. Year 1: Learning to write patterns of simple notation into Rhythm Grids.	-PulseRhythmNotation (Fly / Spider / Moth)Time SignatureUntuned PercussionClavesRehearsePerform.	rhythm patterns of well know children's song. Learning about Pulse / Rhythm & how they		Recognise that the lyrics of songs form the written rhythmical patterns. Learning to write down rhythmical patterns of well-known songs / Rhymes using simple musical notation.	lyrics of songs form the written rhythmical patterns. Improving writing	Build on & extend previous learning on musically writing down rhythm patterns & matching with lyrics using simple notation. patterns with Recognising that the lyrics of songs form the written rhythmical patterns. Improving write down rhythmical patterns of well-known songs / Rhymes in simple musical notation & start to add lyrics.	recap of this half terms work. Using Claves, everyone to rehearse & perform an African circle group game	During this unit of work, children will complete various 4 bar Rhythm Grids of varying difficulty using simple musical notation & matching to given / rehearsed lyrics.
PSHE	Year 1: Setting goals and identifying achievements Learning styles Identifying and overcoming obstacles	-Realistic -Proud -Success -Celebrate -Achievement -Strengths -Persevere -Challenge -Partner	think about how to achieve it Children to set a goal of what they'd like to achieve in the	L.I I can persevere when I find tasks difficult • Children to work in partners and choose something that they find more challenging. Their	who it is easy or more difficult for mew to work with • Children will agree a list of what makes a helpful or unhelpful	cooperatively in a group to create an end product Children will feed back what makes for	worked cooperatively in my group to create an end product • Children will reflect	share success with other people Children will make their own "dream birds" that includes	Children will show an ability to assess their own strengths and weaknesses throughout the unit.

		-Teamwork -Goal	break this down into three steps on a ladder	partner will help them to problem solve and mind map how they could overcome the challenge.	choose someone in the class to work with and explain why.	challenge with a small group (photo evidence).	last week's team challenge and choose their favourite image to describe different aspects of team work.	great and one thing they would like to improve) and place these in an outside area in reflection.	
Foreign Languages	Vocabulary: Numbers to 10 Colours Say your name, age where you live Phonics; Silent final consonants Mouth shaping for unfamiliar sounds Skills:Listen with care Repeat what you hear Turn taking in conversation	Woodland animals for repetition and recognition Je voudrais = gift Je préfére + animal	Listen to a story about a birthday party Practice the name of woodland animals	Recall some names for animals – say which you prefer L'anniversaire d'Henri – listen and join in the retelling of the story.	Remember numbers and say how old I am in French	Understand the name of birthday gifts and say which you'd like	Say which month your birthday is in	Listen to a sequence of instructions and respond to colours.	Self, [peer and teacher assessment – readiness for listening and repeating
PE		Travel Movements Methods Beat Dance Partner	To explore different levels and speeds of movement	Explore ideas by experimenting with actions, dynamics, directions and levels	Explore patterns of movement with a partner	To work to music, creating movements that show rhythm and control	Link contrasting movements together to make a short dance sequence	Perform a complete dance with clarity and flow, showing changes in levels and speed	