Spring Term 2024

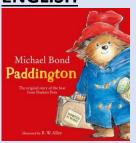
WHAT MAKES BRITAIN GREAT?

Spring 1

Spring 2

Year 1 Miss Baldwin

ENGLISH



- Reading: whole class, group and individual
- Phonics: Read Write Inc.
- **Writing:** fiction and non-fiction(letters, lists, fact file, story writing, invitations, news)
- 'The Queen's Hat' and 'The Queen's Handbag' by Steve Anthony
- Writing letters to King Charles III
- Paddington Bear stories
- Traditional Tales
- The Tiger Who Came To Tea
- Poems and rhymes
- Letter formation/handwriting

SCIENCE



Number Open Brain Lungs Liver Liver Small Large Intestine Skin

Everyday Materials

- Describe the simple properties of a variety of everyday materials
- Compare and group together a variety of everyday materials on the basis of their simple physical properties

Seasonal Changes (ongoing throughout the year)

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

Animals including humans

- Basic parts of the human body.
- Which part of the body is associated with each sense.

GEOGRAPHY

Human and Physical geography

- identify seasonal and daily weather patterns in the United Kingdom
- use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to: key human features, including: city, town, village, factory, farm, house, office and shop.

MATHS



Number: Place Value (within 20)

Number: Addition and subtraction (within 20)

Number: Place Value (within 50)

Measurement: Length and height

Measurement: Weight and volume

Time (ongoing learning throughout the year)

HISTORY



Why will Queen Elizabeth be remembered?

Exploring the life of Queen Elizabeth II to develop curiosity about changes within living memory and an understanding of the ways we can find out about these changes.

- What is a Monarch?
- The Queen's family
- The Queen's Homes
- The Coronation
- The Queen's Duties
- King Charles III and the new Monarch.

COMPUTING

Moving a Robot

 Writing short algorithms and programs for floor robots, and predicting program outcomes

Grouping Data





Geographical skills and fieldwork

- use world maps, atlases and globes to identify the United Kingdom and its countries, as well as the countries, continents and oceans
- use simple compass directions (North, South, East and West) and locational and directional language [for example, near and far; left and right], to describe the location of features and routes on a map use aerial photographs and plan perspectives to recognise landmarks and basic human and physical features in London and across the UK.
- Devise a simple map; and use and construct basic symbols in a key.



• Exploring object labels, then using them to sort and group objects by properties

PSHE



Dreams and Goals

- Setting goals
- Identifying successes and achievements
- Learning styles
- Working well and celebrating achievement with a partner
- Tackling new challenges
- Identifying and overcoming obstacles
- Feelings of success

Healthy Me

- Keeping myself healthy
- Heathier lifestyle choices
- Keeping clean
- Being safe
- Medicine safety/safety within household items
- Road safety
- Linking health and happiness

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Christianity - Jesus as a friend

Was it always easy for Jesus to show friendship
Theme-incarnation

Christianity – Palm Sunday

- Why was Jesus welcomed like a King or a celebrity by the crowds on Palm Sunday?
- Theme- Salvation
- + significant times in the Christian calendar: Shrove Tuesday, Lent, Mothering Sunday, Easter

ART	Collage Focus artists/artworks: Megan Coyle: City Landscapes London Henri Matisse: The Snail Explore the differences and similarities within the work of artists in different times and cultures. Identify shapes in buildings, thinking about how they can be represented in a collage. Evaluate their work and identify what they might change in their current work.	Design and Technology	 Design and make a savoury sandwich Safely using tools, designing products, exploring techniques and talking about what and how something has been made. Sorting foods into the 5 groups, preparing simple dishes. Use principles of a healthy and varied diet to prepare dishes, including how fruit and vegetables are part of the Eatwell plate.
MUSIC	 Musical vocabulary- Theme: under the sea To understand that pitch means how high or low a note sound To know that 'timbre' means the quality of sound e.g. that different instruments would sound different playing a note of the same pitch To know that music has layers called 'texture' 	MFL Hola!	Mini beasts
PE	DanceBall skills		

Please remember:

- Children must wear their PE kits on Tuesdays and Thursdays.
- Please listen to your children read as much as possible and sign their learning journal so that we can change their books.
- Children need a labelled water bottle in the classroom to access as and when they need a drink.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or need any support.