

Theme Intent:

Our curiosity and creativity will be nurtured through this topic and will drive this unit of work. Through this we will be developing relationships – new and old, learning about one another and learning to be a team who are empathetic and considerate. Learning to cooperate and trust one another the children will be given the challenge of coming together to perform a circus inspired production for the wider school family. We will also explore being part of a class group; sharing in learning and play. Our value for the term is generosity/co-operation – we will willingly give our time and talents to bring others joy and help others.

Year 1, Term 1: Roll up, Roll up, Welcome to the Circus!

READING:

Guided Reading: 'The Biscuit Bear' -

Explore Reading.

Make inferences based on what is being said and done.

Predict what might happen
Participate in book talk – taking turns
at listening and contributing.
Individual readers – stage appropriate.

ELS Phase 3 phonics and begin phase

5 – respond speedily with the correct sound to graphemes for all 40+ phonemes. Read accurately by blending sounds in unfamiliar words containing GPCs that have been taught. Read common exception words,

noting unusual links between spelling

WRITING:

Narrative: Stories with predictable/repetitive

phrases

Core Text: Biscuit Bear by Mini Grey Final outcome: Sentences to form a short narrative to retell the story

Poetry: Free Verse

Core Text: At the Zoo by William Makepeace

Thackeray

Final Outcome: Free verse based on original

structure

Non-Fiction: Information Texts

Core Text: Explore Circuses by Liz Gogerly Final Outcome: Fact sheet about circuses

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What does it mean to be part of a faith community

Make sense of belief: Can I say simply what Jesus and one

other religious leader taught about

loving other people?

P.E.:

Move More- Elliott -Multi Skills (Tuesday)

Real PE 1 (Thursday)

Personal cog

Can I develop my ability to focus and stay on task?

Coordination

Can I develop and apply footwork with control and fluency?

Static balance

Can I develop and apply one leg balance with stability and control?

MATHS:

Number and Place Value

Geometry: properties of shapes 2D

Addition and Subtraction facts

SCIENCE:

Seasonal Changes (on going

and sounds where they occur.

throughout the year and as

Geography objectives)

Can I observe and know about the changes in the seasons?
Can I name the seasons and know about the type of weather in each season?

Working Scientifically

Can I observe closely, using simple equipment?
Can I perform simple tests?
Can I gather and record data to help in answering questions?

TOPIC:

GEOGRAPHY

Locational knowledge
Can I recall and identify the 4 countries in the
UK?

Can I recall and identify the 3 main seas that surround the UK?

Can I identify and understand the main characteristics of the 4 countries in the UK?

P.E.:

Move More- Elliott -Multi Skills (Tuesday)

Real Gym 1 ???

Real PE 1 Personal Cog (Thursday)

Personal

Can I develop my ability to focus and stay on task?

<u>Coordination</u>

Can I develop and apply footwork with control and fluency?

Static balance

Can I develop and apply one leg balance with stability and control?

ART:

Exploring colour and shape – The

Big Top! Primary and secondary colours, developing control and accuracy when using and selecting tools, experimenting with line, shape, form and space.

Can I make primary and secondary colours?

Being inspired by Romero Britto - Clown faces

Can I show how people feel in drawings?
Can I use pencils to create lines of different thickness in drawings?
Can I show how people feel in paintings?
Can I show moods through artwork?
Can I ask questions about a piece of art?
Can I describe what I can see and give an opinion about the work of an artist?

DT:

Designing and creating during 'Choice and Challenge' – learning within continuous provision.

MUSIC:

<u>Performing</u>. Can I learn to follow instructions to know when to sing and play? <u>Listening</u>. Can I listen to and respond to the beat,

steady but fast and slow and identify pitch (low

COMPUTING:

Computing systems and networkstechnology around us.

Can I identify technology around us?
Can I identify a computer and it's main

P.S.H.E:

SCARF – Me and My Relationships Why we have classroom rules How are you listening? Thinking about feelings



Theme Intent:

Our sense of identity and the opportunity to ask and answer big questions will drive this unit of work. The children will be called upon to investigate the past, in the hope that they can learn for the future. The importance of advancement and innovation will be observed and enquiry skills will be fostered. **Curiosity** will enable children to push forward in finding out about history, and moments of stillness will allow children to be reflective. Our value for the term is love/trust we all matter and we can be relied upon to carry out tasks properly and support one another.

Year 1, Term 2: The Great Fire of London

DT: Tudor House building

Can I make a simple plan before making? Can I use my own ideas to make something? Can I choose appropriate resources and tools?

Forest School

WRITING:

Non-Fiction: Information texts

Core Text: Vlad and the Great Fire of London

by Kate Cunningham

Final outcome: Write a non-fiction book

about the Great Fire of London

Non-Fiction: Letter Writing

Core Text: The Jolly Postman at Christmas by

Janet and Allan Ahlberg

Final outcome: A letter to inform Santa about

how they have shown the school values

MATHS:

Number and place value: up to 100 Addition and subtraction: Facts of 7

Read accurately by blending sounds

in unfamiliar words containing GPCs

noting unusual links between spelling

Read common exception words,

and sounds where they occur.

to 11

READING:

ELS: Phase 5 teaching

that have been taught.

Geometry: Properties of shapes

MUSIC:

R.E.:

<u>Performing-</u> Can I sing and chant and learn songs for the Nativity?

What do Christians believe God is like?

Understand the impact: Can I give at

least two examples of a way in which

Christians show their belief in God as

loving and forgiving (e.g. by saying sorry,

by seeing God as welcoming them back;

<u>Composing-</u> Can I see how each song is

by forgiving others)

put together looking at song structure and the beginning and end?

<u>Listening-</u> Can I listen to the songs of the nativity and improve our performance as we go along?

SCIENCE:

Seasonal change- moving from Autumn to Winter Everyday Materials

Can I distinguish between an object and the material it is made from?

Can I name the material that an object is made from?

Can I explain difference between wood, plastic, glass, metal, water and rock?

Can I describe the properties of everyday materials? Can I group objects based on the materials they are made from?

Working Scientifically

Can I suggest the next step, or sequence of steps, in a plan?

Can I group things according to a criteria I have been asked to consider. E.g. hard/soft, shiny/dull. Can I tell if my test has been successful and can say what I have learnt?

TOPIC:

HISTORY

History: The Great Fire of London: Retell events from beyond living memory which are significant.

Can I use words and phrases like old, new and a long time ago?

Can I name many of the changes that have happened since I was born?

End Point

Can I spot old and new things in a picture?
Can I use photos, pictures and objects to ask and answer questions about the past?

PE:

Real Gym 1 Cognitive cog

Move More: Callum Real PF 2

COMPUTING:

Creating Media- Digital painting

Can I describe what different freehand tools do?
Can I use the shape tool and the line tools?

Can I make careful choices when painting a digital picture?
Can I explain why I chose the tools I used?

Can I use a computer on my own to paint a picture?
Can I compare painting a picture on a computer and on paper?

P.S.H.E:

Scarf- Valuing difference Same or different? Unkind, tease or bully? Harold's school rules It's not fair! Who are our special people? Our special people balloons



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Our sense of identity and a need for empathy will drive this unit of work. Through this we will be developing our understanding of how we communicate with others through emotions and caring.

A sense of purpose will
motivate children to rise to a
variety of challenges; they will
use their skills of
investigation, design,
creativity and evaluation to
unlock different learning

opportunities. Our value for

this term is forgiveness/humility; it will be important for children to

learn from every situation they may be part of and develop their ability to take advice.

Year 1, Term 4: Celebrate Cheltenham

READING: WRITING:

A walk in London to support writing and reading

Individual readers at stage appropriate level.

SPAG: Capital letters for place names, understanding of and creation of captions within non-fiction writing.

Introduce connectives and complex sentences. Introduce plurals using s and es.

Name the days of the week and months of the year.

Phonics- Phase 5 teaching- ELS

SCIENCE:

Seasonal change- Winter to Spring Animals including humans:

DT: N/A

Can I name a variety of common animals including fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammal?
Can I classify and know animals by what they eat (carnivore, herbivore and omnivore)?
Can I sort animals into categories (including fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals)?

Can I recognise the difference between a questions and a statement?
Can I use different stems to shape my questions?
Can I use a hand lens to see things more clearly?
Can I use binoculars to see things in the distance?

TOPIC:

Non-Fiction: Recount

Poetry: Riddles

HISTORY: Gustav Holst (Music) Edward Wilson (Explorer –animal) Leon Taylor (Olympic diver) Eddie the Eagle Statue treasure hunt.

Core Text: A Walk in London by Salvatore Rubbino

Final outcome: Recount of a visit to Hatherley Park

Explore these people to present to class.

Final outcome: Riddle based on Easter

Fact files and diaries on the above.

I can talk about someone famous who was born or lived near our town.

Who else do we know who is famous and comes from Cheltenham?

Can I use photos, pictures and objects to ask and answer questions about the past?

Can I find out things about the past by talking to an older person?

Can I talk about someone famous who was born or lived near our town?

Geog:

Can I recognise where I live and can tell someone my address?

MATHS:

Addition and Subtraction:

Facts of 17-20 Fractions

Geometry: Position and

PE: Real PE Scheme

Real Gym 2 Physical cog

direction

R.E.:

Who is Jewish and how do they live?

Celebrating Shabbat, Chanukah, and Sukkot

Make sense of belief: Can I re-tell simply some stories used in Jewish celebrations? (e.g.

Chanukah)

ART:

Collage: Animals

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Move More- Callum: Throwing and catching games

Make and create animals using collage materials using the skills of tearing, cutting, coiling and

rolling materials for the desired effect.

Drawing: Show people's moods, emotions and feelings through drawing and painting. Can I cut, coil and roll materials?

MUSIC:

<u>Performing</u>: Can I sing and chant together with others rhythmically, marking rests accurately?

<u>Composing</u>: Can I compose word patterns in groups and melodies in pairs using mi-re-do (E-D-C)?

<u>Listening</u>: Can I listen to rhythms being clapped and listen out for the specific rhythm not to echo back? Can I listen to the songs which we are learning? Grouping data
Can I label objects?
Can I identify that objects

Data and Information:

COMPUTING:

Can I identify that objects can be counted?
Can I describe objects in different ways?

P.S.H.E:

Scarf- Rights and Respect
Harold has a bad day
Around and about the school
Taking care of something
Harold's money
How should we look after our
money?



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Year 1, Term 3: Alien Invasion

READING:

Beegu as writing and reading text.

Individual readers at stage appropriate level.

SPAG: Sentence structure – accurate placement of capital letters and full stops. Introduction to plurals – placing s and es.

Alphabetical ordering.

Sentence types.

Questions marks and exclamation marks.

Phonics

Phase 5 teaching- ELS

SCIENCE:

Seasonal change- Winter to Spring The human body:

Can I name the parts of the human body that I can see?

Can I link the correct part of the human body to each sense?

TOPIC: Geog.

WRITING:

Can I use basic geographical vocabulary to identify some of the UK's physical features. E.g. beach, coast, forest, hill, mountain, ocean, valley?

Narrative: Contemporary fiction, descriptive writing

Final outcome: Descriptive sentences to describe

Final outcome: Write simple instructions on how to

play games including a 'what you need' list

Core Text: Beegu by Alexis Deacon

Non-Fiction: Instruction Writing

Core Text: Beegu by Alexis Deacon

characters and settings

Can I use basic geographical vocabulary to identify some of the UK's human features. E.g. city, town, village, factory, farm, house, office, port, harbour and shop?

MATHS:

Addition and Subtraction: Facts of 11- 16 Measurement: Length

R.E.:

Who is Jewish and how do they live? Explore objects, customs and prayers that are important to Jewish people. Make sense of belief: Can I re-tell simply some stories used in Jewish

celebrations? (e.g. Chanukah)

DT: Spaceship toy

Design: Can I describe how something works? Can I explain to someone else how I want to make my product?

Can I make a simple plan before making?

Make: Can I use my own ideas to make something?
Can I choose appropriate resources and tools?

Tachnical knowladge Can I make a

MUSIC:

<u>Performing</u>: Can I use my voice to chant and sing, following instructions about when to sing the Space song?

Can I copy and repeat simple patterns and use actions?

<u>Composing</u>: Can I watch the Stargazing video and use instruments to portray a starry scene by choosing sounds using percussion and voices?

Listening: Can I listen to Brian Eno's ascent and

PE:

COMPUTING:

do?

Real PE 3 Cognitive cog Real Dance 1 Cognitive cog

Programming A- Moving a robot

commands to make a sequence?

Can I plan a simple programme?

Can I find more than one solution to a

Can I act out a given word?

make a sequence?

Can I explain what a given command will

Can I combine forwards and backwards

Can I combine four direction commands to

ART:

Collage: Make design decisions and create aliens using collage materials

Can I cut or tear different materials?
Can I cut, coil and roll materials?

P.S.H.E:

Scarf- Keeping safe

Super sleep
Who can help?
Good or bad touches?
Sharing pictures
What could Harold do?
Harold loses Geoffrey

Which term do we want this to go in?



Theme Intent: Our sense of empathy and a need for wisdom will drive this unit of work. Through this we will be developing our **skills of asking** and answering big questions linked to fairness, respect and responsibility – being part of a wider community and what necessities this. We will value our ancestors in terms of the legacies they leave, that are passed on from generation to generation. We will be nurturing creativity in response to challenges posed – working together to share ideas and reach successful outcomes – acknowledging the importance of listening to and learning from one another. Our value for the term is *responsibility/friendship* and we will be understanding our *relationships* with one another in class and across the school.

Year 1, Term 5: Into the Woods- Part 1, Traditional Tales

CLPE: The Last Wolf - linking to alternative Traditional

SPAG: Sentence structure – accurate placement of

Revise question marks and exclamation marks.

capital letters and full stops/ spaces in between words.

Individual readers – stage appropriate.

Comprehension skills - VIPERS

Using the suffixes ing and ed.

Phase 5 phonics teaching- ELS

Using adjectives to describe nouns.

Using the prefix un.

WRITING: Hook text: Each peach, pear, plum -FINAL OUTCOME: Creation of an I spy poetry book to entertain. Rhyming couplets. Traditional tales – exploring labels and captions. Focusing on word play - rhyming sets of words. The Three Billy Goats Gruff -

FINAL OUTCOME: An informal letter to entertain. Story mapping, freeze framing, letter writing to the troll, boxing up key details, innovating and substituting details, story writing.

Orally rehearsing sentences before writing them. Sequencing sentences to form short narratives. Read writing aloud audibly and clearly.

TOPIC:

Plant life:

Can I name a variety of common wild and garden plants? Can I name the petals, stem, leaves and root of a plant? Can I name the roots, trunk branches and leaves of a tree?

WORKING SCIENTIFICALLY:

SCIENCE:

work?

him get better!

Can I cut food safely?

Can I use a hand lens to see things more clearly? Can I use binoculars to see things in the distance? Can I suggest the next step, or sequence of steps, in a plan?

DT: Bridge building investigation: Studying the structure of

bridges, exploring bridges using construction kits and paper,

Healthy eating - making cous cous salad for the troll to help

Can I say what I liked about my work and other people's

creating bridges out of recycled materials,

Can I identify where my evaluations have led to

making amendments when required.

improvements in my products?

Can I make my model stronger?

<u>Performing</u>: Can I sing and play classroom instruments and sing songs about weather, controlling our dynamics and with weather sound effects?

Composing: Can I use my voice, movement and instruments to explore different ways that music can be used to describe the weather?

Listening: Can I listen to Beethoven's depiction of a storm in The Pastoral Symphony and discuss the use of timbre, dynamics and duration to portray the weather? **MATHS:** Addition and subtraction Measurement: Time Multiplication and division

Who do Christians say made the world?

R.E

Understand the impact: Can I give at least one example of what Christians do to say 'thank you' to God for Creation?

History Can I spot new and old things in a picture.

Phonics

READING:

Can I identify main difference between new and old objects? Can I give examples of things that were different when my grandparents were children.

PE:

Athletics

Real PE 5- Physical cog

Can I use a computer to write?

Can I add and remove text on a computer? Can I identify that the look of text can be changed on a computer? Can I make careful choices when changing

Creating media- digital

COMPUTING:

writing

text?

P.S.H.E:

Scarf-Being my best I can eat a rainbow Eat well Harold's wash and brush up Catch it! Bin it! Kill it! Harold learns to ride his bike Pass on the praise! Inside my wonderful body!

MUSIC:



Theme Intent: Our sense of purpose and curiosity will drive this unit of work. Through this we will be developing our ability to take a challenge linked to developing our awareness of the school environment and the wider world. We will be developing relationships within the school community, in the hope that stakeholders will be persuaded to come alongside us in making environmental changes that will ultimately help protect our wildlife – preserving the future. Moments of stillness will be critical, as children consider their personal accountability in ensuring our world is protected. Our value for the term is respect/honest; reflecting on how we interact and how we can be good role models for the people around us.

Year 1, Term 6: Into the Woods- Part 2, Endangered Species

WRITING:

Poetry focus – The hedgehog – Free verse

Hook text: Hodgeheg - Present-day story. Writing to the chair of governors explaining the issue of endangered species - MID POINT OUTCOMES: Formal letter writing to inform and creation of poster promoting care for endangered species to inform. Visit from the Wildlife trust - writing questions that we would like to put to them. Recounting key facts learnt.

Orally rehearsing sentences before writing them.

SCIENCE:

Plant life: Can I use the key words deciduous and evergreen when studying tree life? Can I identify and describe the

structure of flowering plants-including trees?

Can I work scientifically by observing closely, using simple equipment such as a magnifying glass?

Can I work scientifically by identifying and classifying depending on features noted.?

READING:

CLPE: The Last Wolf – linking to alternative Traditional tales. Individual readers – stage appropriate. Comprehension skills - VIPERS

SPAG: Sentence structure – accurate placement of capital letters and full stops/ spaces in between words. Practicing the skills of checking and editing. Revision of how to form capital letters and the sequencing of the alphabet.

Rewriting 2 simple sentences to create a complex sentence. Using question marks accurately.

Can I 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

Can I devise a map of my school and use and construct a

Can I use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study

its grounds and the key human and physical features of its

Phonics Screening Check- this term

MATHS:

Multiplication and division

Measurement: Money

Measurement: Mass and capacity

Problem solving

R.E.:

How should we care for the world and the for others, and why does it matter?

Make connections: Can I give good reasons why everyone (religious and non-religious) should care for others and look after the natural world?

Phonics- ELS Alternative sounds.

features and routes on a map?

the geography of my school,

surrounding environment?

basic symbol key?

PE:

Move More- Callum: Athletics

Real PE 6- Health and fitness cog

ART:

Printing

Can I create a landscape using printing equipment- print hedgehogs within the landscape. Printing with fingers and using fine liners to turn prints into hedgehogs. Can I create a repeating pattern

in print? Can I use IT to create a picture? Inspired by

the greats: Georgia O'Keefe; Paint ing in the style of...

DT: N/A

MUSIC:

TOPIC:

Geog

Performing: Can I sing a song that includes a time change from march to a jig? Can I play untuned percussion instruments, and use movement, to mark the beat and recognise a change in metre?

Composing: Can I explore ways to compose and improvise a variation for the greeting section of the game, choosing sounds to represent it?

Listening: Can I listen to a jig and move in time to the music?

COMPUTING:

instructions?

Programming B- Programming animations

Can I choose a command for a given purpose?

Can I show that a series of commands can be joined together?

Can I identify the effect of changing a value?

Can I explain that each sprite has its own

P.S.H.E:

Scarf- Growing and changing (RSE Links) Healthy me

Then and now

Taking care of a baby

Who can help?

Surprises and secrets Keeping privates private

