Teaching and Learning at St Philip's C of E Primary School

Class: Miss Donnelly Year 2 Half Term: Summer 2 2023

Your child will be learning about the following this half term:

Literacy

Non-Fiction – pupils will write a letter to our headteacher to ask if we can plant more trees around school.

Pupils will learn to:

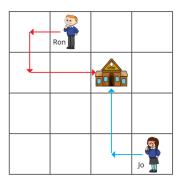
- use capital letters, full stops and question marks.
- use present and past tenses correctly and consistently including the progressive form.
- use subordination (using when, if, that, or because).
- make simple additions, revisions and proof-reading corrections to their own writing.

Numeracy

Position & Direction

Pupils will learn to:

 use math vocab to describe position, direction & movement inc movement in a straight line and distinguishing rotation as a turn & in terms of right angles for ¼, ½, & ¾ turns (clock/anti-clockwise).



Science

Living Things and their Habitats

Pupils will learn to:

- explore and compare the differences between things that are living, dead, and things that have never been alive.
- identify that most living things live in habitats to which they are suited eg on the seashore, in woodland, in the ocean, in the rainforest.
- describe how different habitats provide for the basic needs of different kinds of animals and plants.
- identify and name a variety of plants and animals in their habitats, including micro- habitats.
- Describe how animals obtain their food from plants and other animals, using the idea of a simple food chain, and identify and name different sources of food.



History

How have holidays changed over time?

Pupils will learn:

- about changes within living memory.
- to understand historical concepts such as continuity and change, similarity and difference.
- to ask historically valid questions.
- to identify similarities and differences between ways of life in different periods.
- to ask and answer questions.
- to understand some of the ways in which we find out about the past.
- to identify different ways in which the past is represented.



Design Technology

Structures - Baby Bear's Chair

Pupils will learn to:

- consider what kind of chair Baby Bear would like.
- develop a design criteria which uses all their knowledge of building strong and stable structures.
- make their chairs.



Music

Seasons

Pupils will learn to:



- develop an understanding of pitch through movement, songs and listening games.
- become familiar with pitch shapes and perform them in a variety of musical arrangements.

ICT/Computing

Pictograms



Pupils will learn to:

- use technology purposefully to create, organise, store, manipulate and retrieve digital content.
- use technology safely and respectfully, keeping personal information private; identify where to go for help and support when they have concerns about content or contact on the internet or other online technologies.

R.E

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

Pupils will:

 talk about the benefits and responsibilities of friendship and the ways in which people care for others.

explore stories from the Bible about friendship and care for others and how these show ideas of good and bad, right and wrong, e.g. Jesus' special friends (Luke 5:1–11), four friends take the paralysed man to Jesus (Luke 5:17–26), 'The good Samaritan' (Luke 10:25–37).

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Multi-skills

Pupils will learn to:

 master basic movements including running, jumping, throwing and catching, as well as developing balance, agility and co-ordination, and begin to apply these in a range of activities.