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Year 2 Curriculum Information Spring Term 3 2022



ENGLISH

- Our overall topic this term will be Pirates. We will research information about life on a pirate ship and will write some facts and a poem based on these facts.
- We will read and share lots of pirate stories and will write our own pirate stories.
- In Grammar we will identify statements which give facts or information, we will use verbs and adverbs correctly, we will use tense correctly and will continue to use capital letters, full stops, exclamation marks, question marks and commas in a list.
- In Spelling, we will continue to spell tricky words correctly and will review all of the spelling rules we have learned so far this year. We will look at how root words change when suffixes are added and will learn some rules for this. We will learn some more homophones and some more tricky spelling rules and patterns.



SCIENCE

- We will investigate how a pirate could keep fit and healthy, through exercise and a healthy diet.
- We will investigate which material would make a good pirate glove puppet.
- We will name and describe plants and animals which might live under the sea.



MATHS

- We will continue our work on multiplication and will start to learn how to divide into equal groups. We will use this to solve problems.
- We will learn to read and write time and to solve problems involving time.
- We will learn to use tally charts, bar charts and other tools to analyse data and statistics.
- We will use fractions to solve problems.
- We will look at the properties of 2D and 3D shapes



GEOGRAPHY

- We will use compass directions to help a pirate find his treasure.



PE

- We will learn some Fitness Skills and some Dance.

Music

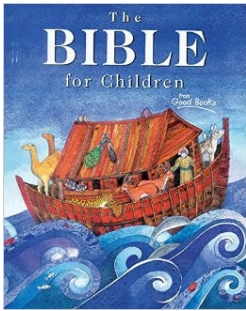
- We will continue to learn to play the recorder.
- We will use our voices to sing.
- We will listen with concentration and understanding to a range of high quality live and recorded music. We will focus on Ravel's Bolero.



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RE



What is the Good News that Jesus brings?
We will think about the following questions—

- What do stories tell us about Jesus?
- How much does it matter that we are thankful?

We will focus on vocabulary and understanding.

PSHRE

We will learn about **Belonging to a Community**

- We will learn about people in our community and roles and responsibilities in the community.

We will also learn about **Media Literacy and Digital Resilience**

- We will learn about the role of the internet in everyday life and that not everything we find online will be true.



History

- We will place famous pirates onto our class timeline.
- We will ask and answer simple questions about the past, using the correct vocabulary to show the passing of time.

Computing

We will continue to learn basic coding skills, and different sorts of input. We will learn that we can make things happen on screen by our actions and click events



LESSON
Red Riding Hood

Learn to write code that uses the keyboard as an input device, using key press events to make Red Riding Hood move in different directions and stop.

Lesson plan Example app Lesson video



ART AND DESIGN

- Our Art focus will be Line and Shape and we will carry out observation drawings to make a class gallery.
- In DT, we will learn basic sewing stitches to help us join fabrics and add detail when making a glove puppet.