

Spring term Plan – Class 2

English

- Read a variety of fiction non-fiction books as a class and in guided reading.
- Investigate stories from the same author.
- Become more confident when spelling unknown words.
- Explore different types of writing such as instructions, recounts as well as fantasy stories.
- Use terminology such as verb, adjective etc.
- Experiment with a wider range of punctuation

Art & Design

- Using a range of images as inspiration - linked to Geography.
- Exploring natural art - making shapes and patterns.
- Spring Art linked to Kandinsky's circles.
- Using different materials to create an image.

Computing

- Develop already learnt computer skills
- Understand internet safety and how to research carefully
- Solve simple algorithms

Mathematics

- Build on understanding of multiplication and division facts
- Develop addition and subtraction skills
- Understand and comprehend a range of simple fractions
- Estimate and measure lengths using standard and non-standard measures
- Understand common mathematical vocabulary such as symmetrical and place value
- Begin to tell time to the nearest 5 minutes

Design & Technology

- Junk monsters - looking at reusing materials and objects for different purposes. (bird feeders)
- Designing Easter themed crafts.

Geography

- Wherever next?
Location and journeys.
Focus: hot and cold places, continent, oceans.
North/South/East/West

Science

- Uses of everyday materials
- Electricity - being safe
- Seasons - Winter and Spring.

History

- Fantastic Firsts!
Exploring the special events and inventions that have changed our world.

Including a visit to the Science Centre in Newcastle.

Modern Languages

- Children will continue to learn basic greetings, numbers and colours; through songs and simple stories.
- Children to begin to have simple conversations.

Music

- Looking at different types of percussion instrument and playing as part of a group
- Singing a variety of different songs with actions

Physical Education

- Basic skills - catching, throwing, hand eye coordination., listening and working in a small group.
- Respond to a range of different styles of music.

Religious (Durham) Education

- Salvation - focusing on the Easter story and the importance of it to Christians and the Christian Calendar.