



Autumn 2

Class Name: Elephants

Curriculum Overview

English

Use phonic knowledge to write new words. Write simple sentences using a range of punctuation effectively. Sequence sentences and events.

The children will engage in reading and writing through

- Stories with repeating patterns based on Mrs Armitage on Wheels by Quentin Black and Harvey Slumfenburger's Christmas Present by John Burningham,
- Humorous Poems - based Oi Frog! And Oi Dog! by Kes Gray.
- Writing for a purpose through topic work .
- Spelling – cvc words, spellings using known phonemes, high frequency words and common exception words
- Daily reading focus – Read Write Inc.
- Daily handwriting/letter formation

Maths

- Know and use part part whole models
- Addition and subtraction within 10 including money.
- Addition problems
- Subtraction problems
- Use and understand + - and =
- Know addition and subtraction number bonds to 10
- Compare lengths
- Compare heights
- Measure lengths using non standard units
- Measure lengths with a ruler
- Addition and subtraction problems involving length

Science

Everyday materials

- Describe how the weather changes across the seasons.
- To identify signs of autumn.
- To identify and name some common animals.
- To describe and compare the structure of a variety of animals.
- To identify, name and sort animals that are herbivores, carnivores and omnivores.
- To name and label the parts of the human body.
- To name the 5 senses and to perform simple tests to find out more about them.
- To sort animals according to a criteria.

Computing - Making Music

- To say how music can make us feel
- To identify that there are patterns in music
- To describe how music can be used in different ways.
- To show how music is made from a series of notes.
- To create music for a purpose
- To review and refine our computer work.

We will be using the song maker on Music Lab

Geography

Mapwork - France/UK Countries and Capitals

- Locate UK on a map
- Know the 4 countries of the UK and their capitals
- Begin to know the names of continents and oceans
- Locate France and its capital city on a map
- Make comparisons between the UK and France understanding similarities and differences in languages, food, weather etc

DT - Design and Sew A Christmas Decoration

- Follow instructions to design and make a decoration
- Talk about and describe your design
- Select equipment to make the decoration
- Discuss and evaluate design ideas

Music - Machines and Number

- To recognise and develop a sense of a steady beat using voices and body percussion.
- Identify and perform changes in tempo.
- Listen and respond to changes in the tempo of the music.
- To know the difference between beat and rhythm.
- To perform simple rhythms using movement and percussion.
- Perform an ostinato as an accompaniment.

		PE Cricket <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Y1/2 Forest School• Y1/2 Cricket (external coach)
RE - Who is a muslim and how do they live? <u>(cont'd from last half term)</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Simple introduction of the 5 pillars - Understand that there are 5 promises that a Muslim makes.• Where do Muslims pray?• How do they pray?• Inside a mosque• What do they celebrate?	RHE / PSHE <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Healthy friendships - what makes a good friend?• What if my friends are making me feel sad?• When friendships go wrong - how do we spot this and what can we do?• Who can help us with a problem?• How can I stay safe online?• Being kind to our friends online.• Learn the 5 PANTS rules following the NSPCC program.	Teacher's Notes Homework - Reading, spelling, maths activities and topic related activities.