



Year 2

Spring Term 1

What is growing around us?

September 2024

Music:

In this unit of work, children will listen, sing, play, compose and perform music whilst celebrating a wide range of musical styles. The carefully selected songs in the unit allow us to think about how music can help us make and keep friends.

English: Fact file writing

Children will have the opportunity to create their very own fact-file about their chosen animal. In this unit, children will explore writing using the four different sentences types whilst using expanded noun phrases and a variety of conjunctions.

R.E: Islam

This term in RE, we will be looking at whether praying at regular intervals everyday helps a Muslim in his/her everyday life?

Maths:

Multiplication and Division
Children will be exposed to multiplication and division through arrays.

Length and height

Children will be learning about length and height. They will revisit the idea of measuring length with nonstandard units such as cubes before moving on to measure length in centimetres and metre

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PSHE: Dreams and Goals

Children will look at *Goals to Success, My Learning Strengths, Learning with Others, A Group Challenge and celebrating Our Achievements*. By fitting together the six puzzle pieces of learning about their dreams and goals they will be able to create their own *Garden of Dreams and Goals* targets.

Physical Education: Creative Cog

Children will learn how to recognise similarities and difference in performance and explain why someone is working or performing well.

Computing: Coding

Children will explore algorithms. We create and debug programs whilst using logical reasoning to predict the behaviour of simple programs. Children will learn how to use technology purposefully to create, store and retrieve documents.

Science: Animals Including Humans - Growth

This term, children will compare and describe the life cycle of humans, birds, frogs and butterflies. Throughout the unit, we will learn the life cycle of birth, growth, reproduction and death. Children will learn how humans grow by looking at how babies grow into adults.

Art: Pointillism

Children will be introduced to the artist *George Seurat* and pointillism. In this unit, we will look at the similarities and differences between techniques used by *Seurat* and artists we have already explored (*Vincent Van Gogh* and *Giuseppe Arcimboldo*). Children will create their own art using *George Seurat's* pointillism for