



Curriculum Overview - Primary 1/2- Term 3 2023/24 - Mr Gill

Literacy

Listening and Talking

- We are strengthening the ability to hear, produce and write rhyming words.
- We are continuing to count how many syllables there are in words.
- During Drawing Club, we are learning new vocabulary and writing about characters and how they feel and react.

Reading

- Through Drawing Club, we have a focused text each week where we are able to extend our vocabulary and discuss the issues raised.
- P1 - we are learning to read single sounds and build CVC words using the sounds: s,a,t,i,p,n,c,k,e,h, r, m, d, g, o, u, l, f, b & sound digraphs.
- P2 - we are practising reading CCVC words, common words and simple sentences fluently.

Writing

- We have the opportunity to write or mark make in a range of play, imaginative and real contexts.
- Through Drawing Club, we have the opportunity to enjoy a range of texts and write in response to stories.
- P1 - we are developing our fine motor and scissor skills.
- P1 - we are refining our dynamic pencil grip.
- P2 - we are revising digraphs and how to spell CCVC and common words in sentences.
- P2 - we are learning how to form letters correctly and use our phonic knowledge to spell words in our writing.
- Later this term we will be working on traditional tales as part of 'Talk for Writing'

Curriculum links:

LIT 0-01a/0-04a/0-11a/0-12a/0-13a/0-14a/0-20a/0-21a/0-21b

LIT 1-04a/1-21a/1-23a/1-24a/ENG 1-12a

Numeracy and Mathematics

Number & Number Processes

- P1 - We are learning to read, sequence and count forwards and backwards within 20 and beyond.
- P1 - We are practising counting within 20.
- P1 - We are learning to count using finger patterns, counters and arrays.
- P2 - We are learning to read, sequence and count forwards and backwards within 100, crossing the tens.
- P2 - We are practising recall of number bonds to 20
- P2 - We are learning to add by counting on from the biggest number and subtract from the larger amount
- P2 - We are investigating odd and even numbers
- We are learning about how to make amounts with money and coins.

Shape, Position & Movement

- We are learning positional language (in front, behind, over, under) and using it accurately
- P2- We are investigating tiling and patterns

Curriculum links:

MNU 0-01a/0-02a/0-03a/0-16a

MTH 0-17a / 1-17a

RME

Values and Issues

- As we play and learn, we will be thinking what is fair and unfair and the importance of caring, sharing and cooperating with others.

Beliefs, Practices and Traditions

- We are becoming aware of the importance of celebrations, festivals and customs in Christian people's lives as well as the associated stories, images, music and poems.

Curriculum links:

RME 0-01a/0-03a/0-06a; 1-01a/1-03a/1-06a

## Health & Wellbeing

### **Mental, Emotional, Social and Physical Wellbeing**

We will be exploring the Zones of Regulation this term and becoming familiar with language that can describe how we are feeling. **HWB 0-11a / HWB 1-11a**

### **Planning for Choices and Changes**

We have the right to play and we are developing our understanding of why we need rules. **HWB 0-23a / HWB 1-23a**

### **Physical Education, Physical activity & Sport**

- PE will be on Tuesday afternoons with Mr Gill and Thursday afternoons with Mr Kirkness.
- We are developing our movement skills, techniques and fitness through energetic play. We are solving problems and making decisions
- We are working on all aspects of physical fitness and improving communication
- We have daily opportunities to participate in different kinds of energetic play, both indoors and outdoors.

**HWB 0-05a/0-21a/0-22a/0-23a/0-25a/0-33a/0-47a/ 1-05a/1-21a/1-22a/1-23a/1-33a/1-25a/1-47a**

### **Food & Health**

- We are practising handwashing and tooth brushing routines.

**HWB 0-15a / 1-15a- / 0-16a / 1-16a**

## Science

Through creative play, we will explore science stories and explore how science affects us in the world. SCN 0-20a

Through observing living things, we will say how they depend on each other. We are learning about the parts of plants and what they need to grow. SCN 0-01a 0-03a

## Expressive Arts

Music -with Mrs Pottinger at 9am on Monday- We are enjoying singing and playing along to music of different styles and cultures as well as expressing ideas, thoughts and feelings through musical activities. EXA 0-16a/O-18a

Art –with Mrs Burr at 11am on Friday- We are making a collage about Winter EXA 0-02a

## Technologies

- Within the indoor and outdoor environment, we have the opportunity to design, construct and create pictures, models and concepts.
- We use Education City to improve our ICT skills and enhance our learning.
- We can research using technology and extend our learning & knowledge.

TCH 0-09a/0-10a TCH 1-09a/1-10a 0-01a/0-02a/0-03a & 1-01a/1-02a/1-03a