

DAVIES LANE CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

Autumn

Year: 1

Term: Autumn

Topic: The UK and Homes

Trips and Visitors:

Visitor- Geffrey Museum

Discover Stratford- The tiger who came to tea

Literacy:

Genres:

- Chain of Events Tale
- Instructions
- Poetry
- Recount

Spelling: Linked to appropriate phonics phase (2-5)

Grammar: Conjunctions, adjectives, starting sentences in a range of different ways.

Punctuation: Speech marks, capital letters, full stops, question marks, commas, exclamation marks.

Class Novel: Eric Carle: The Very Hungry Caterpillar, The Mixed-up Chameleon. David McKee: Two Can Toucan, Not Now Bernard.

Novel Study: Funny Bones by Alan Alberg, The Robot and the Bluebird by David Lucas, The Dark by Daniel Handler, How to find Gold by Viviane Schwarz

Numeracy:

Number recognition, number formation

Place value - Ordering numbers to 100, recognising number sequences (counting in 1s, 2s and 5s).

Addition and subtraction - counting on/taking away using objects, adding and subtracting using a numberline.

Time - Ordering months of the year, days of the week and times of the day.

Length - using non-standard units of measurement to measure objects and distances.

Shape and Space - Learning and recognising the features of 2D shapes, reading co-ordinates and using directional language.

Word problems - Solving money problems in real life contexts.

Creative Curriculum:

Science: Exploring the features of common plants and trees. Conducting experiments to investigate how plants grow and making observations of seasonal changes and their impacts on the environment.

History: We are going to be comparing old and new homes and homes from around the world.

Geography: We will use atlases, maps and globes to identify countries in the UK and their key features.

RE: Our focus is Christianity- we will be looking at the significance of Baptism and the birth of Jesus.

PSHE: We will look at the importance of being healthy: healthy diet, exercise, being happy and confident.

Computing: We will be creating simple codes and familiarising ourselves with word documents. We will promote using the internet safely.

Art/DT: We will be learning to use different materials for effect to create different models and pieces of art, including flags of the British Isles, national dishes and hats based of national flowers. In DT we will be designing and constructing a 'grand design' home as well as other building structures using junk modelling.

Music: We will be learning to sing in time and in unison; identifying the beat and rhythm.

PE: We will be exploring different apparatus, copying, repeating and creating simple dance and gymnastic routines.

Important Dates:

12/09/2019 - Roald Dahl day

11/09/2019 - Social Evening 6pm -7:30pm

20/9/2019 - Jeans for Genes day

20/09/2019 - Phonics coffee morning 9-10am

26/09/2019 - Year 1 Parents Meetings

10/10/2019 - Geffrye Museum visitor

17/10/2019 - Parents evening

PE dates:

Maple: Monday and Thursday

Hazel: Monday and Friday

Magnolia: Monday and Friday

Aspen: Monday and Wednesday

(Please bring in a white t-shirt, black shorts and black plimsolls.)

Homework and Reading Books:

Homework, reading books and reading records are due in every Thursday and are returned back on the Friday.

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