

Year: 1

Term: Autumn 2

Topic: Coast to coast

Hand in date: 15/12/16

Context: This term we will be learning about the United Kingdom and Ireland. We will start the term by looking at our community and branch out to the wider parts of the British Isles. Areas we will cover are the national foods, flags, flowers as well as the human and natural geography.

What I need to do:

As part of your homework you will need to show what you have learnt during our Coast to Coast topic.

Week 1: Can you draw the National flags within the British Isles?

Week 2: Can you match the Capital cities to the correct National flag?

Week 3: Can you list fruits and vegetables that are grown in the British Isles?

*What is your favourite fruit and vegetable?

Week 4: Can you choose how to record your information? Eg. Drawings/photographs/scrapbook/Factfile/poster.

Literacy and Numeracy Activities:

Week 1: Literacy: Can you write some similes to describe a character? E.g. She was **as** beautiful **as** a butterfly.

Numeracy: Draw the tens and the units. 13 30 14 40 15 50 16 60. Which is the biggest number? Which is the smallest number?

Week 2: Literacy: Write some words to describe the setting of 'The Gruffalo'. Try to put some of your ideas into sentences.

Numeracy: How many ways can you make this number? **12** E.g. $14-2 = 12$, $10 + 2 = 12$

Week 3: Literacy: Think of all the actions you did today. Try to write them down. Eg. Today I ran quickly in the playground.

Numeracy: Count in 5's and write the numbers in a list. How far can you get?

Week 4 Literacy: Can you write a step poem? Ext: Perform your poem to a family member. E.g. *Green leaves,
Green, crunchy leaves,
Green, crunchy, sharp leaves.*

Numeracy: Can you write the times that you: wake up, have breakfast, eat lunch, finish school and go to bed? E.g. I wake up at 7 o'clock.

Skills I will use:

I will be observing, sketching, labelling, reading, researching, note taking, collecting, describing and creating.

Questions to think about:

How many countries are there in the British Isles?

What colours can you see in the different flags?

Can you match the Capital city to the correct country?

How an adult can help me: Help me think of a way to display the information. Ask me questions about what I have learnt this term. Help me find information safely on the internet.

Resources I will need:

Books, paper, camera, materials and the internet.

Useful Websites:

<http://primaryfacts.com/1488/united-kingdom-facts-and-interesting-information/>

Google images: British Isles

