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Year 2 Summer Term 2 Curriculum Map 2022

Curriculum Area	Topics
English	<u>Humorous Poems</u> Pupils will be reading and exploring a humorous poem called 'Desk Diddler'. Through the poem, they will investigate the structure and key grammatical features of a humorous poem such as precise verbs, similes, conjunctions and repetition. Pupils will then use the structure from shared writing to write their own humorous poem.
Maths	In Maths we will be looking at the areas of Mass, Capacity and Temperature . Within these topics, pupils work on skills such as choosing and using standard units to measure mass and ordering volumes. Pupils will continue to work on their personal key instant recall facts which will help to improve their mental calculations. It is important that they learn and practise this target at home each week as part of their Maths homework. Pupils will continue to be assessed on their target every other Thursday in class. Please support your child with this routine by ensuring their KIRF book is ready available in their reading bags.
Science	<u>Living things and their habitats</u> In this unit of work pupils will learn about the differences between things that are living and things that are not and the variety of ways living things can be grouped. They will understand how most living things live in habitats to which they are suited but how environmental changes can threaten these habitats.
History	<u>What were seaside holidays like in the past?</u> Pupils will explore seaside holidays in the past and present. They will begin by considering the features of a seaside holiday and will discuss activities that people might do at the seaside. They will use photographs to find clues as to what seaside holidays were like in the past and will learn when and how seaside holidays become popular. Pupils will then particularly focus on seaside holidays in the Victorian and Edwardian periods and will think about the similarities and differences between holidays now and then.
Design Technology	<u>Textiles- Pouches</u> In this unit of work, pupils will be working on textile skills. They will use a template to plan, make and evaluate their own memory pouch. They will use felt and a running stitch to create their memory pouch shape, before adding different decorations to their design.
Music	<u>Reflect, rewind and replay</u> This topic consolidates learning that has occurred during the year. Each lesson will focus on revisiting songs and musical activities and exploring the history of music and the language of music.
P.E.	<u>Athletics</u> Pupils will work on developing and mastering their athletic skills. Throughout the unit they will focus on the areas of running, jumping and throwing. They will develop their sprinting skills and long distance running, investigate jumping for height, distance and length and will also work on overarm throwing by engaging in different competitive physical activities.
R.E.	<u>How and why do we celebrate special and sacred times?</u> In this unit of work pupils will learn in depth from Judaism and the spiritual ways of life connected to Pesach (Passover). Through art, drama and music the significance of this celebration to believers is explored focusing on story, symbol and particular celebrations.
P.S.H.E	<u>Changing Me</u> Pupils will look at different life cycles in nature, including that of humans. They will reflect on the changes that occur between baby, toddler, child, teenager, adult and old-age. Within this unit, they will also discuss how independence, freedoms and responsibilities can increase with age. As part of the school's safeguarding duty, pupils are re-taught the correct words for private parts of the body and pupils are reminded that nobody has the right to hurt these parts of the body.
Computing	<u>Presenting Ideas</u> Pupils will find out how digital content can be represented in many forms. They will then use a variety of software to manipulate and present digital content and information.