

English

Key Areas

Fiction and non-fiction writing.
Descriptive language.
Diagrams, symbols and labels.
Questions and statements.
Basic punctuation and sentence writing.
Key words – reading and spelling.
Phonics/daily reading.

Book Suggestions

The Wind and the sun, BBC Bitesize.

Activity Ideas

Holiday recount/Weekend recount.
Likes and dislikes – Our favourite things.
Instructions – cooking, general hygiene.
Label weather diagrams/charts.
Language connected to music.
Create questionnaires on weather and materials.
Materials – factual account – suitability for purpose
Recipes
Descriptive reflection on art work
Retelling traditional and familiar stories
Weather Reports – written and spoken

Computing

E-Safety
Basic keyboard skills.
Operating equipment, simple program use & following instructions, Using digital camera and video editing. Weather reports
Retrieving information.
Label and poster making.
English and maths support. Talking Stories.

PSHE and SMSC

SMSC

Halloween and Christmas
Christianity and Judaism – Places of worship, customs, foods and symbols.

PHSE

Rules and class/school routines
Getting to know each other – Our favourite things
Understand what cyber bullying is and its effects.
Emergency plans and services.
Caring for the environment/looking after property.
Personal hygiene

Geography/History

Geography Skills

To know where we live and identify on a U.K map and a world map.
Observe, measure, record and present information.
To recognise and study the characteristics and history of the local area.

Geography Activities

World and local climates. Charts and diagrams.
Seasons and seasonal changes. Seasons wheels/class display.
Global Warming and its effects.
Map and weather symbols. Make and display.
Visit local area and amenities – Post Office, library, fire station and police station. Local shops and park. Mapping and making brochures.
Make large weather symbols to hang in classroom.
Map making – U.K, school and local area. World Flags.

History Skills

Question the reliability of a range of sources.
Begin to think critically about how the past is constructed from a range of sources. Local area.
Compare the impact of historical influences on present day sources.

History Activities

Look at old maps of local area and compare to present day.
Weather reporting and predictions through time e.g. clues from nature.
Red sky at night shepherds delight!
British customs – talking about the weather!

Year 3- Autumn Weather



Opener: Big Art – Weather Symbols
Middle: Pizza Express Pizza making – Science Link
End – Winter Wonderland

Science

Materials & Seasonal changes.

Identifying and naming materials. Description charts.
Feely boards. Rough and smooth people. Creating from a variety of materials – clay bowls, hats.
Suitability for purpose – waterproof experiments. Spinners.
Clothing for different weather conditions.
Changing states – food stuffs. Reversible and irreversible changes.
Cooking – weekly.
Personal hygiene and exercise – charts and instructions.
Caring for the environment – effects of Global Warming
Fish Care
Planting and plant care – Boot Sale items.
Changes across the seasons – charts and display.
Rain gauges, wind socks and measures, using thermometers,
Wind, water and Solar power – describe and experiments.

Maths

Key Areas

Data Handling – Pictograms and Bar charts. Venn diagrams.
Data collection
Numbers and the number system – Place Value and ordering
Shape, space and measure
Counting on and back
Money
Time

Activities

Number formation and recognition - Class displays in variety of materials
Addition and subtraction using variety of apparatus
Money – Coin recognition, making amounts and giving change – Enterprise Boot Sale.
Telling the time
Creating weather charts – data collection from science weather related activities – rain and wind gauges, temperature
Measuring rainfall and weights and measures for cooking
Seasons and seasonal changes – season wheels/collage
Weather symbols and Christmas symbols – symmetry and tessellation & repeating patterns

Music

Skills

To sing and perform individually and in unison.
To create sound effects using instruments and everyday objects.

Activities

Learn and recite poems, rhymes and raps. Group recording.
Making weather sounds using instruments and voices.
Halloween & Christmas sound effects and songs.

Art/DT

Skills

Using a variety of materials to create 2D and 3D art.
Creating templates and using different joining techniques.
Creative design.
Improving and learning techniques when painting and drawing.
Using Clay and fabric to create from designs.
Evaluating their own and others work.

Activities

Feely boards and people
Weaving
Clay sculptures
Sketching – How to draw program
Cards and decorations
T shirt design and printing/ Hat making.