Weldon C of E Primary School

'Train up a child in the way they should go, and when they are old they will not depart from it.'

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Curriculum News – Year 1

Term: Autumn 2



English

Key Text: The Nutcracker

Purpose for writing:

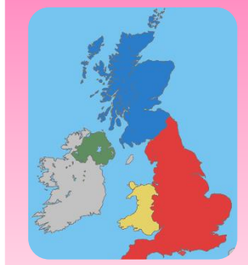
Children will learn to write from memory simple sentences that have been dictated by the teacher

Phonics : *Consolidation of phase 3 and 4.*

Phase 4 CVCC words and tricky words

Grammar: *Children will learn that words can be combined to make sentences.*

Word Reading / Comprehension: *Children will focus on checking that the text makes sense to them as they are reading. They will use previous knowledge of vocabulary to discuss unfamiliar words.*



Geography

Focus: UK countries

This concept involves understanding the geographical location of places and their physical and human features

Identify characteristics of the 4 countries that make up the UK

Vocabulary*: England, Wales, Scotland, Ireland, city, village, flags*



Design and Technology

Focus: Moving Pictures

. **Materials** – sliders & levers (moving toy picture) *(with natural and man-made materials)*

Children will learn about different techniques to create a moving picture.

Vocabulary *: sliders, leavers, moving parts, split pin, natural, man-made*



PE

Dance- Children will begin to copy, repeat and perform some basic dance actions. Children will dance individually, with a partner and in a group.

Our PE days are on Monday and Tuesday- Children can keep a spare pair of trainers in school for our daily mile



Maths

Key Facts: *Count objects to 10, represent numbers to 10. Count forwards and backwards to 10.Know one more and one less to 10.*

Addition and Subtraction: *Children will continue to build on their knowledge of adding and subtracting 1s. Children will learn to use the part whole model for adding two numbers together.*

Non negotiables

Count to and across 100, forwards and backwards, from any given number

Count forwards and backwards in steps of 10 , 2 and 5

Know number bonds to 10

(Please see our Calculation Progression document on our website for Addition and Subtraction strategies.)



Science

Materials: *Children will become familiar with a range of materials, their properties, uses and how they can be changed. They will distinguish between objects and the materials they are made from.*

Vocabulary :Object, material, wood, plastic, glass, metal, water, rock, brick, paper, fabric, elastic, foil, card/cardboard, rubber, wool, clay,

Working Scientifically:

Ask simple questions, Observe closely, using simple equipment, Perform simple tests, Identify and classify and Use observations and ideas to suggest answers to questions

This learning prepares the children for the Year 2 unit that has a focus on how plants change over time



RE

Focus: Incarnation- Why does Christmas matter to Christians?

This unit helps children understand the Nativity story and explore why the birth of Jesus is central to the Christian worldview.



PSHE

Focus: Health and well being

Children will learn about different feelings and emotions. They will learn about empathy and sharing.



Music

Singing/Performing:

Preparation for School Nativity Performance

Jolly Music Book 1 – beginners – recap EYFS learning