

Class 2

Proposed Summer Term Topic Web

Growing



Science

The children will learn about life processes and living things. We will be growing a variety of plants, observing the lifecycle of butterflies and hatching chicks in an incubator, whilst investigating conditions for growth. The children will visit Tesco's "From Farm to Fork," learning where their food comes from. We will be looking at healthy diets and lifestyles, making fresh fruit salad, healthy snacks and bread, looking how yeast grows.

Mathematics

Following the scheme of work from Abacus the children will study the following summer programmes. Number work will be carried out looking at place value of larger numbers, addition, subtraction, multiplication using repeated addition and some simple sharing. We will also be focusing on times tables facts and would ask parents to help support the children learning their 2, 5 and 10 times tables (3 times for Y2). In the shape and space aspect of the curriculum we will be looking at Weight, Capacity, Time and Fractions. There will be a focus on instant recall of number bond to 10 and 20, doubles and halves.

English

Through all our topics this term the children will experience writing recounts, labelled diagrams, captioned pictures, adverts, letters, instructions, explanations, diaries, menus and narrative stories. We will be looking at Jack and the Beanstalk and other stories involving growing. We will continue our



phonics focus with daily lessons in smaller groups together with grammar, spelling and punctuation. Weekly handwriting lessons will continue to focus upon secure letter formation through to quick and fluent joining of letters.

There will be continued group and individual reading sessions, so as to use questioning to assess comprehension as well as decoding techniques.



Geography

We will be looking at where our food comes from making the children aware that food is imported and seasonal changes. The children will be taught about local growing areas such as the Vale of Evesham.



History

Looking at how food has been influenced by invaders such as the Vikings and Romans, the Franco Normans, The British Empire and food during the Second World War.

Art and Design



We will be looking at the work of famous artists that were inspired by nature such as Claude Monet, Vincent Van Gogh and Andy Goldsworthy. Children will be creating scarecrows as part of design and technology and looking at the natural world around them to produce art work.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

The children will carry out activities that will promote trust and teamwork, respect and manners. We will also discuss any issues children need to share to help solve them.

Religious Education

Following the Warwickshire Agreed Syllabus we will look at Buddhism-Meeting People, Growing and changing, Living Well, Pentecost and Corpus Christi.

Physical Education

We will be continuing with our Physical Fridays looking at developing the children's skills, co-ordination and balance using a range of apparatus and sports. Children will take part in a range of summer team games such as cricket and rounders. With sports day this term we will also focus on athletic skills.



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Design and Technology

The children will design and make their own miniature garden in a tray. We will also make scarecrows.



Computing

The children will use netbooks to support their phonics, simple word processing, using the ipads for research, basic coding and exploring Wedo Lego.



If you have any questions, please come in and speak to Mrs. Corrigan, Mrs. Perkins and Mrs. Mc.Kenzie.