

Year Two Curriculum Overview Spring 2 Term



Reading opportunities: Non-fiction books relating to the topics.

History

Intent

Cornish Heroes
To learn about Rowena Cade and her journey when creating the Minack Theatre.

Sequence of lessons

- 1) Who is Rowena Cade?
- 2) What is the Minack Theatre?
- 3) Why Cornwall?
- 4) Fact file on Rowena Cade and the Minack Theatre.

Composite outcome

To gain knowledge of a Cornish person who has impacted Cornwall

Impact

Understanding Cornish history.

Religious Education

Intent

Christianity – Easter story and Resurrection

Sequence of lessons

- 1) How important is it to Christians that Jesus came back to life after his crucifixion?
- 2) Reflect on Winter to Spring
- 3) Share Easter story
- 4) Why did Jesus come back to life? What does that mean to Christians?
- 5) Explore how Easter symbolises 'New Life'.

Composite outcome

Understand why Easter is celebrated.

Impact

Gain knowledge of Christian faith.

Science

Intent

Plants
Ready, Steady, Grow!

Sequence of lessons

- 1) How do seeds spread?
- 2) Hydroponics in the classroom
- 3) How to grow cress?
- 4) How has the bean grown?
- 5) Eating cress

Composite outcome

Children will understand the main changes a seed and bulb go through to become a plant.

Impact

To have an understanding of the basic needs of plants.

Computing

Intent

Data - Pictograms

Sequence of lessons

- 1) Organising data effectively using tally charts
- 2) What is a pictogram?
- 3) How do you group by attribute?
- 4) Describing people by attributes and collecting data.
- 5) How to present the data (using pictograms)

Composite outcome

Using a computer programme to present data in different ways.

Impact

Develop skills in data handling on a computer.

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PSHE

Intent

Healthy Me

Sequence of lessons

- 1) Know what I need to keep my body healthy.
- 2) I know what makes me feel relaxed or stressed.
- 3) I understand how medicines work and why we must use them safely.
- 4) What food does my body need to stay healthy?
- 5) Creating a healthy plate

Composite outcome

Creating a healthy plate to share with friends.

Impact

To understand how to keep our body and mind healthy.

Music

Intent

Charanga - Zootime

Sequence of lessons

- 1) Listen and appraise-Sing the song.
- 2) Sing the song and play instrumental parts within the
- 3) Song. Glockenspiel and recorder.
- 4) Sing the song and improvise using voices and/or instruments within the song.
- 5) Sing the song and perform
- 6) composition(s) within the song.
- 7) Perform the composition.

Composite outcome

Sing, compose, play instruments.

Impact

Become more confident in singing and music ability.

Art

Intent

Cartoons

Sequence of lessons

- 1) Explore the work of different cartoonists.
- 2) Copy some cartoonists work.
- 3) Look at specific features of faces.
- 4) Design own cartoon character and a story behind it.

Composite outcome

Improve on drawing and sketching skills.

Impact

Understand how cartoons are produced.