



St Andrew's CE Primary Academy

Term: Summer 1 Class: Squirrels Teachers: Mr Evans

Writing

The children shall read The Baobab Tree and write a version of their own. They shall practise describing settings and characters. We shall then learn about biographies and write a biography of a famous person. Finally, the children will create poems based around what we have learnt about Ghana and West Africa.

Reading:

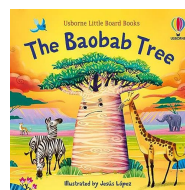
The class read daily during their phonics lessons. They also read once a week with an adult in school. In addition to this, we maximise every opportunity for shared reading in lessons and share and discuss whole class texts.

Mathematics

Our main focus is learning about money. They recognise the value of different denominations of coins and notes as well as solving simple problems involving addition and subtraction, including giving change. They recognise the symbols for pounds (£) and pence (p) and combine amounts to make a particular value. They also gain a simple fractions understanding around halves and quarters.

Computing:

The unit focuses on algorithms and debugging. The children learn the importance of checking algorithms and programs as they go along until their program behaves in the way they have planned.



Geography

The children shall learn about and identify the location of Ghana. We shall use this as a study to compare to the UK. The children shall identify the physical and human geography of Ghana and learn about how it is different from the UK.

Art:

The children learn about using wool and fabric to weave their artwork this term. They shall explore plaiting, threading and weaving. Finally they shall combine these skills to create a woven artwork.

PSHCE:

In our new topic of 'Relationships', the children consider the themes of friends and families. They learn how to build strong relationships, develop trust and grow an appreciation of their support network.

Music:

The song for this half term is called 'Friendship Song'. The children will play musical games, learn how to warm up their voices, sing and play glockenspiels.

PE:

On Mondays, the children shall develop their net & wall games with Mr Troman and, on Wednesdays, they shall develop their sending & receiving skills with Mr Evans.

RE:

During this term, the children will be learning about the religion of Islam. The unit of study is called 'Who is Muslim and how do they live?' The children will learn about many aspects of the religion..

Science:

Our new topic is 'Materials'. The children identify and name materials, describe simple physical properties and compare and group these together.

MFL:

The children will continue to practise their growing vocabulary and add to this by learning how to talk about where they live.

Christian Ethos:

'Love' is the core value that we are learning about this term. The children have daily worships in which we share Bible stories and sing praises.

Extra Curricular Learning:

The children are invited to take part in a variety of clubs. The children will have a Forest School session every Thursday afternoon.

Science
Working Scientifically -
Planning
Recording
Concluding
Animals Including Humans
Everyday Materials
Seasonal Changes
Plants
Living Things & Their Habitats

History
Changes within Living Memory
Events Beyond Living Memory
The Lives of Significant Individuals
Significant Historical Events

Geography
Geographical Inquiry
Geographical Skills & Fieldwork
Location Knowledge
Place Knowledge
Human & Physical

Religious Education
Learning from Religion
Learning about Religion
Christianity
Islam
Judaism
Hinduism
Non-Religious Beliefs

Computing
e-Safety
Searching
Coding
Digital Literacy
Creating

Art & Design
Drawing
Painting
Sculpting
Printing
Craft

Design & Technology
Design
Make
Evaluate
Structures
Textiles
Mechanisms

Physical Education
Gymnastics
Dance
Games

Modern Foreign Languages
Listening & Responding
Speaking
Writing

Music
Understand
Compose
Perform

Reasoning	Maths Areas	Problem Solving
Number & PV	Fractions	Length & Height
Add & Subtract	Money	Capacity & Temperature
Multiply & Divide	Mass & Volume	Time
		Position & Direction

Spelling	Punctuation	Writing Genres	Handwriting	Vocabulary
Character / description settings	Fables	Traditional and Fairy Tales	Diaries	Stories with predictable and patterned language
Labels, lists, captions	Invitations	Letters	Instructions	Recounts
Poetry with Pattern and Rhyme	Poems on a Theme	Shape poetry and calligrams	Poems with a range of structures	Performance poems
				Poetry using the senses