

Year 1 Greasby Infant School Coverage Overview Spring 2

Read to Write Unit: Where the wild things are

WHERE THE WILD THINGS ARE



STORY AND PICTURES BY MAURICE SENDAK

Literacy

In this unit the children will be exploring the idea of going on a journey to a magical place. They will consider the feelings and actions of different characters and create imaginative characters of their very own. The children will continue to develop their vocabulary and apply this in their writing by trying to include lots of exciting adjectives to add description (writing noun phrases). We will develop our sentence writing skills, with particular focus on handwriting and learning how the prefix -un changes the meaning of the verbs

Curriculum Content this half term...

Maths Science



We will be learning about the numbers to 100, looking at the place value of numbers, the 10s and ones. Finding 10 more/10 less, partitioning and ordering numbers to 100.

Recognising coins and notes and understanding which is worth more or less. Telling the time to the hour and the half past the hour.



In Science this half term, Year 1 will be studying the topic of Seasonal Changes. We will be identifying the four seasons and their changes, observing and describing weather associated and investigating how the length of the day varies. The children will also be able to identify and describe the current season.

History Geography



In History we will be learning about the past, and looking at artefacts. We will be discussing similarities and differences of then and now and will be learning about organising different artefacts along a timeline.



In Geography we will be learning about the weather. We will go outside and investigate what the weather is like and then we will learn how symbols are used to represent different types of weather. We will identify and use different symbols to discuss the weather today and for forecasting future weather. We will also be learning about how weather changes in the different seasons.



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Learn about the Christian Celebration of Palm Sunday. Think about the question: Why was Jesus welcomed like a king or celebrity by the crowds in Jerusalem on Palm Sunday? Sequence the events of Palm Sunday and the Easter Story and make Easter craft. Take part in an Easter celebration, preparing a song for the parents.

Games

This term children will have the specialist sports instructing them on games and skills. They will continue to learn ball skills, tactical skills and how to participate in group games. Children will mainly be learning outside though this is weather dependent.

Art DT



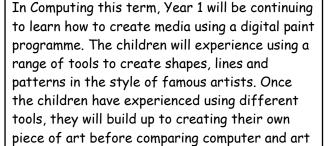
In Art this half term, we will be learning about cutting and coiling and quilling paper to create designs. We will be using our new skills to create a textured and colourful Easter card. We will also be creating a mother's day card using dabbling and stippling techniques and using a stencil.



We will look back and evaluate the fabric hand puppet inspired by Hermelin: The Mouse Detective that we created before half term. We will think about whether we used appropriate resources and tools and techniques for our design and explain what works well and not so well about our puppet.

Computing Music





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In music this half term we will continue to listen to lots of different music styles: Blues, Baroque, Latin, Bhangra, Folk and Funk. We will learn that music has a steady pulse, like a heartbeat and we will develop skills in finding the pulse of different pieces of music.

We will think about how to use pitch and rhythm when singing and when using musical instruments. We will build up to a performance of *In The Groove* by Joanna Mangona.



PSHE (Jigsaw)



In our PSHE lessons we are going to be following the unit 'Healthy Me'. We will be learning about what the words healthy and unhealthy mean, think about healthy lifestyle choices focussing on a balanced diet, a good amount of sleep, exercise and drinking water. We will talk about keeping ourselves clean and why we need to wash our hands.