



Class Name: Monkeys	Curriculum Overview	Autumn 1
<p><u>English</u> Stories from other Cultures To explore Indian folk tales and myths. To read a text and understand it. To improve fluency when reading and to begin to use expression. To practise writing sentences that are grammatically correct with additional description. Grammar focus: nouns, adjectives, verbs, prepositions and adverbial clauses.</p> <p>Instructions and Explanations To explore features of instructional writing including subheadings and summaries. To understand the use of diagrams in explanatory texts. To identify the features of a recount and an explanation. Grammar focus: powerful verbs, and writing in the 1st and 3rd person.</p>	<p><u>Maths</u></p> <p>Place Value To be able to represent numbers to 1000. To order and compare numbers to 1000.</p> <p>Addition and Subtraction To be able to add and subtract 1, 2 and 3-digit numbers.</p> <p>Measurement: Length and Perimeter</p>	<p><u>Science</u></p> <p>Living things and their habitats - Focus on classifications of living things. Explore our various habitats in the school and local area. Look at one habitat in detail and prepare a diorama. Look at how bee health is affected by man-made environmental changes and how we can help bees at home and school.</p> <p><u>Computing</u> Select, use and combine a variety of software (including internet services) on a range of digital devices to design and create a range of programs, systems and content that accomplish given goals, including collecting, analysing, evaluating and presenting data and information</p>
<p><u>History/Geography</u></p> <p>Map Skills - To identify the seven continents and five oceans. To locate the four countries of the United Kingdom and the four capital cities. To identify the position and significance of latitude, longitude, Equator, Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle, the Prime/Greenwich Meridian and time zones.</p>	<p><u>Art / DT</u></p> <p>Exploring the artwork of Anthony Gormley Sketching from photographs to include changing perspectives and the effects of light. Sculpting in plasticine and clay</p>	<p><u>Music</u> Listening and appraising 20th Century music.</p> <p>Singing</p> <p>Whole class violin lessons</p> <p><u>PE / Outdoor learning</u></p> <p>Cricket Catching, throwing and striking skills</p> <p>Swimming Children will work towards swimming 25m using a variety of strokes and practice using self-rescue techniques.</p>
<p><u>RE - Judaism</u></p> <p>To understand the importance and meaning of Shabbat and Hanukkah for the Jewish people.</p>	<p><u>RHE / PSHE</u></p> <p>Setting rules. Positive steps to mental wellbeing - what can we do? What can families look like?</p>	<p><u>KS2 French</u></p> <p>Greetings All about me Counting to 20</p>

Teacher's Notes

Homework - The children in Monkey Class will have spellings to learn each week and a maths activity that will be related to the work covered in lessons. Please try to make sure your child is able to complete the homework set. They will also be able to choose a book from their reading level. It is important to read every day as being a confident reader helps children access the whole curriculum.

I am available to answer any questions or offer support in any way I can.