

Year 1		1 <sup>st</sup> Half Term	2 <sup>nd</sup> Half Term
Theme/Topic title		We are Family	Growing Good
Educational visit	s/Visitors		
Hook		Hello Beaky!	Growing and planting link with science
Texts		<ul> <li>Hello Beaky</li> <li>Animal poems</li> <li>Can't you sleep little Bear</li> <li>Monkey Puzzle</li> <li>The Mixed Up Chameleon</li> <li>The Story Of The Little Mole Who Knew It Was None Of His Business</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Non-fiction plant books</li> <li>The enormous turnip</li> <li>Last tree in the city</li> <li>The Runaway Pea</li> </ul>
Guided Reading			
English	Fiction focus	<ul> <li>Instruction writing</li> <li>Use sounds to make words</li> <li>Retelling a story</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Retelling narrative</li> <li>Punctuation</li> <li>Persuasive language</li> <li>Adjectives and verbs</li> </ul>
	Non-fiction focus	<ul> <li>Non chronological report (linked to the 5 animal kingdoms)</li> <li>Instruction (making a bird feeder)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Plant diary</li> <li>Non chronological report</li> <li>Labelling in science</li> <li>Instructional writing</li> </ul>
	Poetry	<ul><li>Animal poems</li><li>Cold – Shirley Hughes</li></ul>	Shirley Hughes plant poems
Mathematics	Content overview	Maths Mastery content:         Number:         • Time: o'clock half past         • Calculation strategy within 20         Addition and subtraction within 20         • Comparison and difference         • Represent and use number bonds         • Read, write, interpret, and solve one-step problems         Fractions         • Recognise, find and name a half and a quarter as one of two or four equal parts respectively         Measures: Length and mass         • Compare, describe, measure, record and solve practical problems	
Science	Focus	Animals, including humans	Plants and Animals
	Content overview N.C. P.O.S.	<ul> <li>Pupils will have the opportunity to:</li> <li>Identify and name a variety of common animals, including fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals</li> <li>Identify and name a variety of common animals that are carnivores, herbivores and omnivores</li> <li>Describe and compare the structure of a variety of common animals</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Pupils will have the opportunity to:</li> <li>Identify and name a variety of common wild and garden plants, including deciduous and evergreen trees</li> <li>Identify and describe the basic structure of a variety of common flowering plants, including trees</li> <li>Grow a selection of plants to eat in the summer term</li> </ul>



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		(fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds, and mammals including pets)	<ul> <li>Sort and label trees and plants</li> </ul>
	Cornerstones Investigation Focus	Class tally of animals and birds seen in our gardens What is camouflage? Whose poo? Safe and correct use of IPads (including	What do plants need to grow? Are all leaves the same? How does technology help us?
Computing	N.C. subject content	<ul> <li>turning off and opening apps)</li> <li>Use technology safely and respectfully, keeping personal information private</li> <li>Make decisions about whether statements or images found online are likely to be true (animal facts – true/false)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Use technology purposefully to create, organise, store, manipulate and retrieve digital content</li> <li>Use technology safely and respectfully, keeping personal information private</li> <li>Identifying real life uses for IT in everyday life</li> </ul>
	Online safety message Focus	Online safety day (Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> February) Our school	Ongoing – safe use of the internet Physical and Human Features
Geography	N.C. subject content	<ul> <li>Name and locate the world's seven continents and five oceans</li> <li>Locate hot and cold areas of the world.</li> <li>Name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of the United Kingdom</li> <li>Use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of the school and its grounds and the key human and physical features of its surrounding environment</li> <li>Use simple locational language, including in front, behind, next to, far away and near to, to describe the location of geographical features on a map and in fieldwork.</li> <li>Identify the similarities and differences between the local environment and one other place. (Africa – link to Chameleons. BOP?)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to key physical features, including: forest, hill, mountain, river, soil, valley, vegetation, season and weather</li> <li>Use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to key human features, including: city, town, village, factory, farm, house, office and shop</li> </ul>
Physical education	Content overview N.C. subject content	<ul> <li>Dance and Onside Coaching sessions</li> <li>Develop fundamental movement skills</li> <li>Become increasingly competent and confident and access a broad range of opportunities to extend agility, balance and coordination, individually and with others</li> </ul>	



			jumping, throwing and catching, as well as ination, and begin to apply these in a range of	
	Focus	Camouflage -The Mixed Up Chameleon	Collage	
Art and design	N.C. subject content	<ul> <li>Outline personal likes and dislikes regarding a piece of art. (Kandinsky, Lambie)</li> <li>Name primary colours and collate colours into groups of similar shades.</li> <li>Create a background using horizontal strips of coloured paper</li> <li>Cut and tear paper and glue it to another surface.</li> <li>Trace chameleon onto acetate</li> <li>Cut out acetate and mount all three layers to create collage</li> <li>Outline personal likes and dislikes regarding their own work.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Use a range of materials creatively to design and make products</li> <li>Use collage to develop and share ideas, experiences and imagination</li> <li>Know about great artists and understand the historical and cultural development of their art forms (Van Gogh and Georgia O'Keefe)</li> <li>Create a simple pattern using colours and shapes.</li> </ul>	
	Focus		Collage	
Design and technology	N.C. subject content		<ul> <li>Select from and use a wide range of materials, according to their characteristics</li> <li>Select from and use a range of tools and equipment to perform practical tasks</li> </ul>	
	Focus	Warwick Singing Town and rhythmic accompaniment	Warwick Singing Town and rhythmic accompaniment	
Music	N.C. subject content	<ul> <li>Use voices expressively and creatively when singing songs and speaking chants and rhymes – Singing Town</li> <li>Play tuned and untuned instruments musically – Djembes and Boom Whackers</li> <li>Make sounds in different ways, including hitting, blowing and shaking objects.</li> </ul>		
PSHE		Protective Behaviours	Protective Behaviours	
R.E.			Focus: Sacred Books	
links	English	<ul> <li>Hello Beaky, The Mixed Up Chameleon, The Story Of The Little Mole Who Knew It Was None Of His Business – providing English links with Science, Art and Geography</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Science and English link- books and growing plants</li> <li>Instructions- how to grow plants</li> <li>Diary of a plant</li> <li>Poetry based on science</li> </ul>	
ricular	Maths	<ul> <li>Links with music (counting songs to 10 and 20)</li> </ul>	Measures and growing plants	
Cross curricular links	Other		<ul> <li>Geography and science- mapping local area with regards to plants growing</li> <li>Art- design and make a collage based on plants</li> <li>Music and science - songs of the seasons</li> </ul>	