CURRICULUM INFORMATION : JUNIOR 1

TRINITY TERM 2022



English	Science
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 Geography Topic/s: Weather Aim/s: To predict weather conditions by locating places on a map and link this to seasonal changes. To locate the equator and learn why it is hotter there. To learn about extreme weather conditions, such as hurricanes and tornadoes. To know where hot and cold places in the world are and what their weather is like. Skills: Through their learning pupils will develop the skills of: Using maps, globes and atlases to locate the UK and other countries. Subject teacher/s: Mrs Hardwick 	 KE Topic/s: Easter, Pentecost, Sharing Jesus' life and following Jesus today Aim/s: To learn the story of Jesus promising to send the Holy Spirit and discuss the change that the Holy Spirit made in the lives of his disciples and our lives today. To hear, read and become familiar with the main events, characters and places in the life of Jesus. To recognise the place and value of celebrations in the family, school and parish. RSHE: Created to Live in Community explores the individual's relationship with the wider world. We explore how human beings are relational by nature and are called to love others in the wider community through service, through dialogue and through working for the Common Good. Skills: Through their learning pupils will develop the skills of: Discussion; role-play; recount; sequencing; empathetic writing;
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Music	PE & Games	Art
 Topic/s: Recorder and Aladdin Aim/s: To be able to play pieces from the Vamoosh Recorder book. To extend the range of the notes they know. To improve the quality of sound. To know the songs from Aladdin and to be able to perform some of them at the Spa Centre, Learnington as part of the school production, in June. Skills: Through their learning pupils will develop the skills of: Performing and working as part of a team. Subject teacher/s: Mrs Olden	 Topic/s: Gymnastics, ABC (Agility, Balance, Control) and Ball Skills. Aim/s: To master basic movements including running, jumping, throwing and catching, as well as developing balance, agility and co-ordination, and begin to apply these in a range of activities To participate in basic team games, developing simple tactics for team involvement. To perform dances using simple movement patterns. Skills: <i>Through their learning pupils will develop the skills of:</i> Speed and stamina; body control; reactions; team work; proprioception; body shape, core strength; self-analysis. 	 Topic/s: Nature, Fishy Tales, Barbara Hepworth, Henry Moore Aim/s: To use a range of artistic techniques. To use a range of materials and mediums to create artwork. To be inspired by artists to create own work following artists' style and/or techniques. To enjoy being creative in a variety of ways. Skills: Through their learning pupils will develop the skills of: Close observation of existing artwork; creative flair whilst being inspired by well-known artists; fine motor development. Subject teacher/s: Mrs Hardwick
	Subject teacher/s: Mr Stedeford	F (0)
Design & Technology Topic/s: Pneumatic Mechanisms/Toys Aim/s: To explore the use of pneumatic mechanism used in toys. To design and make a model with a pneumatic mechanism. To be able to reflect on their work and identify ways they could improve. To develop an understanding of how moving parts work and know that air can be used as a power source. Skills: Through their learning pupils will develop the skills of: Creative design; hand-eye coordination and fine motor skills. Subject teacher/s: Mrs Hardwick	Computing Topic/s: Basic word processing skills, Creating algorithmns. Aim/s: • To use the computer keyboard and know the 'home' keys. • To know and use the correct finger position. • To begin to look at the screen whilst typing. • To begin to know the location of letters on the keyboard. • To give instructions to a virual programmable toy. • To predict the outcome of simple algorithmns. Skills: Through their learning pupils will develop the skills of: Accuracy; speed typing; creating and following algorithmns. Subject teacher: Mrs Hardwick	Forest School Topic/s: Land Art Aim/s: • To look at the work of Michael Grab and Richard Shilling, and make natural land art in response. Skills: Through their learning pupils will develop the skills of: Collaboration; negotiation; language and vocabulary; conflict resolution; physical-proprioception; vestibular, gross, fine motor and hand-eye coordination. Subject teacher/s: Mrs Clark
French	Mandarin	Drama
 Topic/s: Pets, Family, Sports and Numbers Aim/s: To recognise the names of common domestic animals. To name a family pet. To list the different members of your own family. To recognise the names of familiar sporting hobbies. To state a favourite sport. To learn the numbers from 11-16 Skills: Through their learning pupils will develop the skills of: Understanding topical vocabulary and phrases; responding to questions; attempting accurate pronunciation; using anchor songs as memory prompts. 	Topic/s: Myself, body parts Aim/s: • To say body parts. • To introduce name. Skills: Through their learning pupils will develop the skills of: Chinese pronunciation; listening; communication; singing. Subject teacher/s: Mrs Huang	 Topic/s: Rehearsing for Aladdin songs and LAMDA examinations. Aim/s: To participate in presentations and performances. To gain the interest of the listener. To listen and build upon the contributions of others. To select and use appropriate registers for communication. Skills: Through their learning pupils will develop the skills of: Developing competence in spoken and physical language; listening to enhance the effectiveness with which to communicate. Subject teacher/s: Mr Vaughan
Subject teacher: Mrs Whitehurst		

PSHE	Home School links/Homework
 Topic/s: Disability, caring for pets and exploring our community, Staying Healthy Aim/s: To explore the needs of individuals and show how determination can overcome difficulties. To explore our responsibility to provide proper care for our pets. To consider who lives in our community and why places are important. To learn who is important to me, my relationships, empathy and my thoughts, feelings and behaviours. To understand how to stay healthy and why it is important. 	 Visit the St. John's museum, Warwick Talk with your child about how toys have changed since you were a child Visit local parks and gardens and identify flowers, plants and trees and other things found in nature Daily reading Weekly spellings Mathletics and Maths Passports
Skills: Through their learning pupils will develop the skills of: Discussing; learning to listen to others; considering the feelings of others Subject teacher/s: Mrs Hardwick	