

Spring term Plan – Sapphire Learning Zone

English

We will exploring the following texts:

- Poem's to perform - performing and writing poetry
- Owl babies - narrative writing
- The Day the Crayons Quit - letter and poems
- Little Red - Newspaper reports, diary entries and story endings
- Traction Man - postcards, newspaper reports and character interviews.

Art & Design

Yayoi Kusuma inspired artwork

- Who was Yayoi Kusuma?
- Creating artwork using oil pastels, contrasting colours and geometric shapes

Computing

- Online safety - safe image searching, staying SMART online, looking after personal information
- Grouping data - Label and match information, make different groups, comparing groups, answering questions

Mathematics

Year 1

- 2D and 3D shapes
- Numbers 0 to 10 - addition, subtraction and digging deeper
- Additive structures

Year 2

- Introduction multiplication and division
- Shape
- Addition and subtraction of 2-digit numbers - further learning
- Money

Design & Technology

The Great British Bake Off

- As a school we will be running our own Great British Bake off and entering our learning zone bake into the school's competition.

Geography

What are the differences between hot and cold places?

- Where the world's hot and cold places are, what is it like there, exploring hot and cold places and how do animals adapt

Modern Languages

- Singing French songs and learning basic greetings

Music

Music is a Peacebuilder and Friend maker

- Listening, singing, playing, improvising and composing, performing

Science

Year 1:

- Seasonal changes - Autumn and Winter
- Inventors and Scientists
- Science week

Year 2:

- Uses of Everyday Materials
- Inventors and Scientists
- Science week

History

How has childhood changed over time in the NE?

- School trip to the discovery museum to look at toys and Newcastle in the past.
- How have toys changed since the Victorian period?
- How have schools changed since the Victorian period?
- What was it like to be working child?

Physical

- Ball skills - basketball
- Jumping
- Rackets, bats and balls
- Dodging

Education

Religious Education

Understanding Christianity
The Big Picture

- **Gospel:** What is the 'Good News' Jesus brings?
- **Salvation:** Why does Easter matter to Christians? Digging deeper