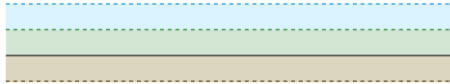
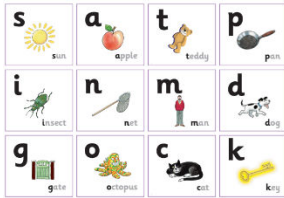






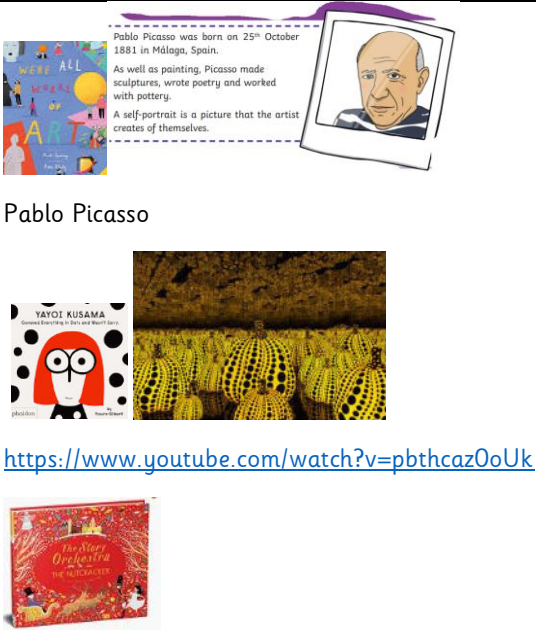
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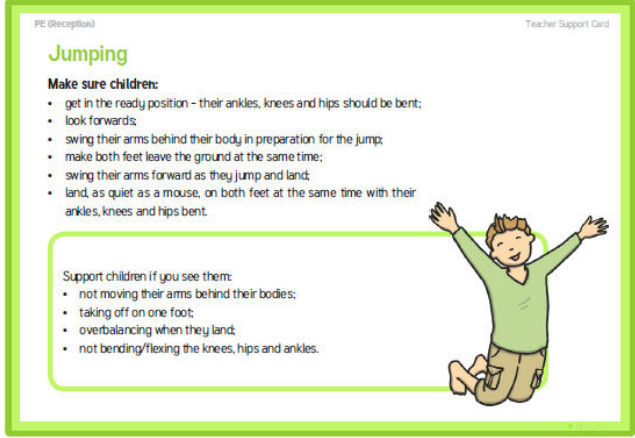


Texts we will cover this half term:



Key Knowledge	Useful links	Vocabulary
<p>English:</p> <p>During learning time and within our provision we will focus on these key knowledge and skills:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Telling stories, Joining in with actions. Rehearse the story- encourage retelling through provision- Innovate a new story by verbally changing the characters of the story. Make puppets/ props <p>We will teach phonics using our Floppy Phonic Scheme. This term we will cover the sounds:</p>	<p>To support children's letter formation we use this image to model <i>letters that sit in the grass</i>, <i>letters that reach the sky (ascenders)</i> and <i>letter that go underground (descenders)</i>.</p>  <p>Please use name templates that we have sent home to support your child with this.</p> <p>To find out more about Floppy Phonics and for free resources to use at home https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/</p> 	<p>Reading Books Letters Sounds Words Sentences Phonics</p> <p>Phonics Blend Grapheme Phoneme</p> <p>Segment</p>

<p>Maths:</p> <p>During learning time and within our provision we will focus on these key knowledge and skills:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Representing, comparing and the composition of 1,2,3 Match and sort Compare amounts Subitising Positional language Compare size, mass & capacity Exploring pattern 	<p>Use a range of different concrete ways to represent the numbers</p>  <p>Counting on and back song: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6RfIKqkvHTY</p> <p><u>Subitising</u> is being able to look at a group of objects and realise how many there are without counting. This only works with small groups of numbers, as we can only subitise up to 5 things. – you can practise using this song: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PSIA-u_ABmU</p> 	<p>Numbers Sort Match Compare Size Pattern Counting Add Subtract Subitising</p>
<p>Understanding of the World</p> <p>Geography Focus: What happens when the season changes from autumn to winter?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The weather changes at different times in the year. The four seasons are winter, spring, summer and autumn. It is coldest in the winter and warm in summer. We can see different plants and animals in the different seasons. <p>History Focus: Light and Dark Celebrations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A <u>celebration</u> is celebrating an important day or event. 	 <p>We will explore books that help support our learning</p>	<p>Seasons Weather Winter Spring Summer Autumn Cold Warm</p> <p>Light Dark Celebrate Diwali Festival Bonfire Fireworks Safety Christmas Christ Jesus Advent</p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Diwali</u> is the Indian “festival of lights”—a holiday that celebrates good over evil. This year, Diwali will be celebrated on October 24. • <u>Bonfire Night</u> people light bonfires and fireworks on 5th November. In the past a man called Guy Fawkes failed to blow up the Houses of Parliament. • <u>Christmas</u> the annual Christian festival celebrating Christ’s birth, held on 25 December. It is celebrated in many countries around the world. 		
<p>Art: We are all works of Art- what make us unique?</p> <p>Consider how we are all different, sketching self-portraits, then colour mixing skin, eye, hair colour.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sketching is a rough drawing or painting to show first our ideas • Pablo Picasso was a Spanish Artist. <p>Design: How can we express ourselves through art? Find out about Yaykoi Kusama and her life and how she expressed herself.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Yaykoi Kusama is a Japanese artist who creates sculpture. She likes to use polka dots. <p>Music: exploring sounds when singing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Singing uses our voices to make music. • When singing, we can change the pitch (high/low) of our voice. • We can also change the volume (loud quiet) of our voice. • We can create our own songs and tunes using the above (and sometimes rhyming). 	 <p>Pablo Picasso</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pbthcazOoUk</p>	<p>Unique Sketch Self portrait Colour Mixing Express</p> <p>Music Pulse/Beat Voice Instrument Rhythm Singing</p>

<p>PE: Jump, Roll and Balance (Gymnastics)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Learning four jumps and how to complete them safely: Star jump, tuck jump, straight jump, half turn jump. • Learn five rolls and how to complete them safely: Egg roll, dish roll, teddy bear roll, back roll and pencil roll. • Balance on two and three points and hold. • Link a jump, roll and balance to form a sequence. • Begin to use gymnastics equipment safely. 	 <p>PE (Reception) Teacher Support Card</p> <h3>Jumping</h3> <p>Make sure children:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • get in the ready position - their ankles, knees and hips should be bent; • look forwards; • swing their arms behind their body in preparation for the jump; • make both feet leave the ground at the same time; • swing their arms forward as they jump and land; • land, as quiet as a mouse, on both feet at the same time with their ankles, knees and hips bent. <p>Support children if you see them:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • not moving their arms behind their bodies; • taking off on one foot; • overbalancing when they land; • not bending/flexing the knees, hips and ankles. 	<p>Jump, bounce, bend, spring.</p> <p>Roll, smooth, round.</p> <p>Balance, points of contact, hold</p> <p>Sequence</p>
<p>RE: Big Question: Why do Christians perform Nativity Plays at Christmas?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why is Christmas a special time for Christians? • Who was Jesus? Why was he a special baby? • Role play the Nativity Story • How do you celebrate Christmas? 	<p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/watch/lets-celebrate-christmas</p>  <p>Christmas</p>	<p>Christmas</p> <p>Christian</p> <p>Jesus</p> <p>Incarnation</p> <p>Nativity</p> <p>Manger</p>