

## **THAKEHAM PRIMARY SCHOOL CURRICULUM OVERVIEW YEAR A 2019-20**

YEAR GROUPS: 1 & 2 CLASS: Oak



## **Curriculum Drivers**

Our Place in the World	Our topic work will help us to learn how different types of castles and battles have shaped Britain today. In RE/PHSE we will learn about the importance of showing respect to others regardless of whether they are similar or different to us.	We will explore the evidence of existence of life in the coldest places of our world.  We will learn how different species survive in these climates and explore their habitats. We will understand the importance of explorers like Captain Scott and find out how his discoveries uncovered many aspects we did not know about.	Our topic work will help us to compare materials by looking at their properties and suitability. Our topic work will help us to learn about different superheroes and how they have shaped our world today. In RE/PSHE we will learn about the importance of showing respect to others even regardless of any differences.			
Inspired Learners	As always the children have already thought about our new topic and what they would like to learn and do to help them feel motivated and engaged from the start. We also have a range of visits, visitors and experiences planned to include a library visit to explore many different books and a trip to a local castle.	We will become scientists and discover how living things have adapted in the cold climates by completing a blubber experiment. Our visit to Drusillas will support our understanding of the habitats that penguins live in and provide some hands on workshops.	We will explore many different superheroes and link them to our school learning heroes. We will think about how they help us to learn and work together in school and how superheroes do this in stories.  Making our own splatter art of superheroes will lead to some exciting and original creations.			
Learning for Life	In PHSCE We will be learning about ways to keep safe when we are online. We will also be beginning to think about the importance of being money smart. We will also continue to	We will be learning about conservation and why it is important and necessary to protect the environment. We will discuss the effects of global warming and ow this impacts colder climates. We will also be	We will learn how to live together in one world with many other beliefs and cultures and the value of a global education.			

learning about how we can be positive

and proactive learners.

money smart. We will also continue to develop our team building and

problem-solving skills.

Topics	Make	Make a Wish		Frozen Planet		Kapow!	
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	
Stunning Start	Building an imagination raft-FS		A package is delivered containing an egg of a penguin		Mission rescue superheroes from evil Mr Freeze		
Fabulous Finish		Castle		Drusillas Park		Superhero dress up day!	
Visits & Visitors	Castle	Library		Drusillas Park Visit from a poet			
English	Fiction - A Child of books Oliver Jeffers/ Little Red Riding Hood – Defeating the Villain Focus: Character  Non-Fiction – Persuasion/Letter s	Fiction - A Child of books Oliver Jeffers Focus: Plot Poetry: Poems on a theme - classic	Fiction: Tales from a variety of cultures – The Emperor's Egg: Martin Jenkins Focus: Setting  Non-fiction: Non- Chronological reports – Captain Scott	Poetry: Animal poems  Non-fiction: Recounts	Fiction: Stories involving fantasy – Charlie's Superhero Underpants: Wishing Story  Focus: Openings and Endings  Non-fiction: Labels, lists, signs and posters FS- make signs, labels and posters for the Forest School area	Fiction: Warning Story Supertato Focus: Action Non-fiction: Instructions – How to be a superhero: Rachel Yu/How to cook a magical flying ointment	
Maths	Place Value, Addition and Subtraction	Addition and Subtraction (Year 1) Multiplication and Division (Year 2), Geometry -	Time, Place Value (Y1), Graphs (Y2), Money	Multiplication, Division and Fractions, Length and Height, Consolidation	Weight and Volume (Y1), Capacity, volume, mass and temperature (Y2), Place Value (Y1), 3D shape (Y2), Four	Four operations, Assessment, Place Value, Consolidation and application	

		Shape			operations	
Science	Plants and animals and identify structure and name a variety.  Forest School Link		Animals/Humans Needs for survival- use the blubber gloves to make bird feeders for FS area  Living things and their habitats – explore and compare living, dead and things that have never been alive.		Plants – observe and describe how seeds and bulbs grow. Find out about what plants need to survive (Seasonal Changes – linked to Geography)	
Computing	Unit 1.5 We are storytellers		Unit 2.4 We are researchers		Unit 2.2	
Geography	•	Local study – Castles (Bramber Castle) Fairy tale - Map work		Non – European Countries: Antarctica Name and locate the world's seven continents and five oceans.		Seasonal and daily weather patterns - UK
History	Significant historical events, people and places in their own locality. E.g. Arundel Castle		Significant people  – Captain Scott		Changes within living memory – toys Real life heroes – Florence Nightingale	
DT		Story Book Houses		Designing an ice lolly		Superhero Cars
Art & Design	Texture Weaving (3Wks) – Andy Goldsworthy- use FS materials to make castles/ castle paths		Drawing & Line – extend drawing tools observe and develop patterns/texture drawing penguins  3d – sculpture clay penguins		Shape, form and space/line – explore a range of different media to make marks – silhouette skylines.  Colour- Super hero – splatter art - blow	

					pens/balloons. <b>Artist- Melissa</b> Smith	
Music		Boomwhackers Cinderella OR Jack and the Beanstalk Music and lyrics by Donna Minto (Charanga Elements: Tempo and rhythm		Tuned and untuned percussion How can sounds be changed? Representing sounds with symbols (graphic scores) Moods and effects through percussion		Programme music – Singing in ensemble contexts. Warming up exercise for the voice Appraising Superhero themes (Programme music)
PE	Sending and receiving Team Building	Football and gymnastics	Netball Dance	Racket sports Ball skills Gymnastics	Rounders Cricket	Mutli skills Dance
RE	Why should we care for the world around us?  Why do we have celebrations?		What is prayer? What do eggs have to with Easter?		Why did Jesus tell parables?	
PSHE	H4/5 L1/2/3/4/5/ R1/2/3/8/11/12/13/14 anti bullying week		L6/7, R10, R5		H3/ 9 13/14/15 R6	

**KEY - Forest School activities highlighted in Green** 

Plans subject to change and development