

## ENGLISH

### Grimm's Fairy Tales



During this topic, the children will explore fairy tales, discussing common themes whilst working on fronted adverbials, expanded noun phrases, paragraphing and speech punctuation. The children will write a short story from a different characters point of view.

### Recounts/Journalistic Writing



During this topic, the children will reflect on an event and report on it in the style of a newspaper considering elements such as headlines, captions, facts vs opinions and paragraphs.

### Humorous Poetry



During this topic, the children will explore the form and structure of poems and work on writing their own following a structure with specific syllables and rhyming couplets.



## Skylarks Autumn Term 2

### History

#### Who first lived in Britain?



In History this half term, we will be learning about the first people who lived in Britain, exploring the changes that occurred from the Stone Age up to the Iron Age. We will look at the historical sources of evidence that are available from this period and evaluate their limitations.

### SCIENCE

#### Animals including Humans (Teeth)



In Science this half term, we will identify the different types of teeth in humans and their simple functions. We will have a visit from a dentist who will talk to us about all the different aspects of their job. We will also construct and interpret a variety of food chains, identifying producers, predators and prey.



## MATHS

### Area

- What is area?
- Counting squares
- Making shapes
- Comparing area

### Multiplication and Division

- Multiples of 3
- Multiply and divide by 6
- 6 times-table and division facts
- Multiply and divide by 9
- 9 times-table and division facts
- The 3, 6 and 9 times-tables
- Multiply and divide by 7
- 7 times-table and division facts
- 11 times-table and division facts
- 12 times-table and division facts
- Multiply by 1 and 0
- Divide by 1 and itself
- Multiply three numbers



## COMPUTING



### Coding – Code.org – Course D

In Computing this half term, the children will develop an understanding of algorithms, nested loops, while loops, conditionals, and events through the website Code.org.



## P.E.

### Gymnastics (Apparatus) and Dance

In P.E. this half term, we will be continuing to practice our gymnastics skills, taking movements onto apparatus. In Dance, we will tell a story by sequencing movements, based on 'Charlie and the Chocolate' by Roald Dahl.

## RE

### The Person of Jesus

In RE this half term, we will be looking at how Jesus has been represented over the years. We will be discussing what sort of person Jesus was by examining representations of him in the Bible.

## MUSIC

### Ukulele/Using Notation

In Music this half term, we will be developing our ukulele skills with Mr Rudkin from the Newcastle Music Service and representing notation using Charanga.

## PSHE

### Celebrating Differences

In PHSE this half term, we will be thinking about what makes all families different yet special. We will also discuss what bullying means and explore what we would do if we were a witness to bullying.

## SPANISH

### Alphabet, Numbers, Christmas in Spain

In Spanish, we will practise our existing knowledge of numbers as well as extend this further. We will learn some of the Spanish alphabet and practise our dictionary skills to look up unfamiliar Spanish words. We will also research some Christmas traditions in Spain.

## Design and Technology

### Mechanical Systems and Textiles

In D.T. this half term, we will be designing, making and testing a sling shot car. We will also consider the role of fastenings and evaluate their usefulness before deciding which fastening to use when making our own fabric book sleeve.