



Year: 2

Term: Autumn First Half



UK Tour

Theme Overview

This topic is based on learning about the similarities and differences of the four countries of the UK through studying human and physical geography. We will also be taking a tour, looking at famous landmarks, traditional food and traditional dance and music. Our focus text will be Rapunzel. This will encompass the drama and speaking & listening aspects of the curriculum.

ART

Artist study – Antony Gormley.
Sketch the human form

Clay modelling

Weave Scottish tartans from paper

Observational drawing



COMPUTING

Presenting Ideas
Online Safety

PSHE

New Beginnings. Developing confidence and responsibility and learning to make the most of our own abilities.

HOOK INTO LEARNING

Train Ride Role Play

TOPIC FINALE

Create a triarama to show different traditions of each part of the UK.

GEOGRAPHY

Name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of the United Kingdom

Identify seasonal and daily weather patterns

Look at the differences and similarities between UK countries including food, dance and folk stories

Plot landmarks on a UK map and create a key

MATHS

Number sequences, counting on or back in different steps from any number.

Number bonds and representing number

Comparing numbers

SCIENCE

Healthy Living – nutrition, exercise and hygiene

PE

Ball skills- throwing and catching

Country Dancing based on traditional English dance

Learn to do the Highland Fling

MUSIC

Sing traditional UK folk songs

ENGLISH

Narrative - Traditional Stories
Writing in role
Explanations

RE

'Is it possible to be kind to everyone all of the time?'