



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, folk
stories

Compare UK to Peru

Use compass directions to
describe the location of key
landmarks

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

Belonging to groups and
organisations