



Year: 1

Term: Summer 2

Whole School Theme: Mini-topic 3



Toys Now and Then!

Theme Overview

'Toys Now and Then' is a history unit. We will focus on toys from the past and compare these to the present. We will look at the materials used then and now and compare the differences. The children will explore artefacts from the past as well as current toys to see how and why they have changed throughout the years.

History

Explore our favourite toys and describe what they are made from.

Explore favourite toys within our families.

Create a timeline of toys from past to present.

Explore Victorian toys.

How toys have changed over time.

Sort old and new toys.

Toys from around the world



Hook into Learning:

Favourite toy

Topic Finale:

Toy comparison

ENGLISH

Writing in role

Sentence writing

Drama to understand the characters in the text

Book making

COMPUTING

Coding

Technology around us

PE

Games for Understanding

SCIENCE

Seasons – summer

Planting

Sustainability

Art

Christy Brown – Artist Study

Making Bird Sculptures

Music

The Rewind – Performing songs from throughout the year

RE

How do we know that new babies are special?

PSHE

Our feelings

Harold learns to ride a bike

What could Harold do

Harold loses Geoffrey

Basic First Aid

MATHS

Describe turns, positions and directions

Number line to 100

Comparing numbers to 100

Recognise and count coins and notes

Days of the week and months of the year

Tell the time to the hour and minutes