

Christ Church (Church of England) Infant and Nursery School



Humanities overview

History and Geography

Year Group	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Nursery	<p align="center">Marvellous Me</p> <p>Bonfire Night Christmas Story</p> <p>Begin to make sense of their own life-story and family tree/history.</p> <p>Remembers & talks about significant times or events for family & friends</p>		<p align="center">Once Upon a Rhyme</p> <p>Pancake Day – traditions around the world Mother’s Day traditions Easter traditions</p> <p>Bear Hunt – different weather conditions (snow, rain, fog)</p> <p>Gruffalo</p>		<p align="center">What a Wonderful World</p> <p>Eid</p> <p>Begin to understand the need to respect and care for the natural environment and all living things.</p>	
Reception	<p align="center">Marvellous Me</p> <p>Explore their family unit and the people within it, including immediate family and community and explore the diversity of family units.</p> <p>Recognise changes in their environments and objects around them.</p> <p>Describe what they see, hear and feel whilst outside. Understand the effect of</p>	<p align="center">Let’s Celebrate</p> <p>Diwali Day Remembrance Day School Kenya Day Bonfire Night Christmas</p> <p>Discuss how our families celebrate different occasions.</p> <p>Know that different members of the community have</p>	<p align="center">People Who Help Us</p> <p>Talk about the lives of the people around them and their roles in society.</p> <p>Children will be able to ask a range a questions about their individual roles to find out more & to check understanding of what has been said.</p>	<p align="center">Secret Garden</p> <p>Children will investigate the school grounds and local environment.</p> <p>They will discuss how to care for animals and living things in order to look after the planet.</p>	<p align="center">Once Upon a Time...</p> <p>Compare and contrast characters from stories, including figures from the past</p> <p>History of castles</p>	<p align="center">Wild Things</p> <p>Recognise some environments that are different to the one in which they live.</p> <p>The children will make observations about the plants, animals and natural objects in their own immediate environment and compare these with different climates.</p>

	<p>changing seasons on the natural world around them.</p> <p>Discuss their ideas and opinions about the world around them.</p> <p>Discuss differences and similarities between themselves and others including past, present and future events.</p>	<p>different beliefs, religions, traditions</p> <p>Recognise some similarities and differences between life in this country and life in other countries.</p> <p>Gain an understanding of the wider world through our link to a school in Kenya.</p> <p>Begin to describe a sequence of events, real or fictional, using words such as 'first', 'then...'</p>	<p>Understands questions such as who, why, when, where & how.</p> <p>Engage in non-fiction books</p>			<p>They will identify the features of living things and compare habitats (jungle/artic/ocean)</p>
Year 1	<p>Terrific Toys Toys past and present Compare what toys were made of, how they were played with and how they worked(clockwork/batteries)</p> <p>HISTORY</p>	<p>Stomp, Wiggle and Crawl Dinosaurs, Mary Anning, Fossils</p> <p>HISTORY</p>	<p>Healthy Heroes The UK Countries, capital cities, flags, seas, mountains</p> <p>GEOGRAPHY</p>	<p>Fabulous Fairy tales Homes past and present, Celtic homes Anglo-Saxon homes, Tudor homes, Victorian homes, Victorian washday and The Mander family</p> <p>HISTORY</p>	<p>Blast Off Local Area Human and Physical features Aerial maps of school, aerial maps of local area, simple map, landmarks, changes in local area</p> <p>GEOGRAPHY</p>	<p>We're all going on a Summer Holiday Compare present seaside holidays with Victorian seaside holidays – transport, swimming costumes, activities etc.</p> <p>HISTORY</p>

<p>Year 2</p>	<p>Walk the Plank Continents and oceans Looking at different climates Compass directions</p> <p>GEOGRAPHY</p> <p>Blackbeard HISTORY</p>	<p>Arctic Adventures Robert Falcon Scott, Ernest Shackleton Roald Amundsen</p> <p>Guy Fawkes HISTORY</p>	<p>London's Burning Great Fire of London, The Plague Samuel Pepys</p> <p>HISTORY</p>	<p>Golden Ticket Human and Physical features Similarities and differences between UK & Ghana-capital cities, small towns roads, clothes, money etc.</p> <p>GEOGRAPHY</p>	<p>Amazing Animals Map work Re- cap Human and Physical features Create a map of a nature reserve in Kenya</p> <p>GEOGRAPHY</p>	<p>Awesome Adventures Stream trains, George Stephenson The first aeroplane flight, The Wright Flyer Phileas Fogg</p> <p>HISTORY</p>
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