| Maths Recap and consolidate learning from the Early Years Foundation Stage curriculum Begin to follow the Year 1 Maths Curriculum Number and Place Value Addition and Subtraction Measurement Geometry- properties of shape | English Phonics – We will begin by reviewing sounds learnt in the Reception class and we will learn further sounds and common words required in Year 1. The learning of phonics will be linked to both reading and spelling. We will be listening and watching clips from Disney films where there will be opportunities for drama and storytelling to inspire our vocabulary when beginning to write sentences. We will provide many opportunities in the classroom through our active learning for both creative and non-fiction writing. These forms of writing will provide opportunities for us to improve our handwriting, spelling and accurate writing of sentences. | Science As scientists we will be learning to: Identify and name everyday materials Identify how they are used in everyday life Investigate their properties Plan a test to investigate the most appropriate material for a specific purpose. Make predictions and observations Sort materials in a variety of ways. |
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| Topic Our topic will provide opportunities to develop our skills in geography and history. We will link our topic work with our literacy where we will be learning about homes through Disney films which will be familiar to the children. We will be also be looking at animals from around the world and their environment, which links, with our work with our partner school, 'Starfish Malawi'. | There's no place like Home Autumn Term 2022 Much of our learning will be based around some of the well-known Disney films which we love! We will look at houses and homes of the different characters including animals and their environments. | This learning will focus on the materials used to build the homes of some of our favourite Disney characters. Physical Education Outside P.E with Mr Hanson Dance/gym |
| An example includes looking at Fairy tale castles, what castles were like in the past and where and why castles are situated where they are. We will talk about inequalities and fairness and why some people may not have a home to live in. Nearer to Christmas we plan to set up a small food bank to help those who are less fortunate within our local area. | PHSE Much of our PHSE learning will be based on the Jigsaw scheme which runs throughout the school.We will be looking at the Topic 'All About me' and linking this with our place in the local community. We will be focusing on ways to be reflective and mindful. We will be thinking about our school values and how we can use these everyday to help us have a happy outlook on life. | Art and Design Technology As artists and designers we will be using our science knowledge of materials to design and build a variety of different homes linked to our topic work on Disney films. When learning about castles we will look at medieval foods and prepare our own take on a medieval banquet. |
| Music We will begin to understand how to use pitch and rhythm to create musical ideas We will be learning songs for the Nativity performance. | Computing We will start the term by reminding ourselves about e-safety including the use of logging on and off. We will use paint programmes to learn about creating, saving and retrieving work. | Religious Education In RE this term we will be studying the following questions: What is God like? Christmas: Why do people give presents at Christmas? |