

Stokeinteighhead Primary Curriculum Web



Our Big Questions:

What materials should the three little pigs use to build their house?

Why do we love to live where we do?

As Readers and Writers...

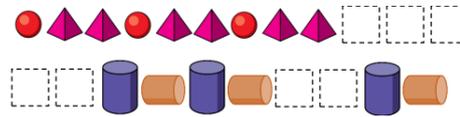
We will continue with our lovely book 'Orion and the Dark' by Emma Yarlett, linking it to how we can overcome our worries, thinking of ways we can support each other and ourselves. We will move on to learning traditional tales. We will explore different versions and retell them using story mapping. We will also have a go at creating our own short versions of the tales by mixing them up.



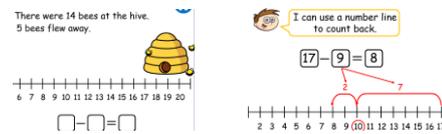
We will be celebrating Chinese New Year and learning about tradition ways to celebrate it, such as dragon dancing, festive foods, traditional crafts and storytelling. We will be writing a recount of our day.

As Mathematicians...

We will be starting the term off by looking at shapes and patterns. We will be identifying and sorting 2-D and 3-D shapes.



We will move onto place value (within 20), practising counting forwards and backwards from different starting places and comparing amounts in different contexts. We will then progress onto addition and subtractions with a focus on crossing 10.



As Artists ...

This term, we will be using Andy Goldsworthy as inspiration for our nature sculptures. We will be using natural materials and his idea of reflection to create our own versions. Also, we will be creating our very own recycled milk bottle igloo.

As Theologians...

We will be exploring the idea of creators, thinking how objects and nature are created. We will discuss that some religions believe that a single God is the creator of the world. We will learn the Christian creation story and explore it through drawings, dance and role-play.

As Musicians...

We will be continue learning and updating classic rhymes such as 'Wind the Bobbin Up', 'Five Little Monkeys', 'Happy and You Know It', and 'Heads, Shoulders, Knees and Toes'. We will change the tempo and add in expression and instruments to modernise these rhymes.

**Year 1
Spring A**

As Sports Stars...

We will be continuing with our fundamental skills. This is to develop core balance, agility and control when using small equipment such as balls, skipping ropes, hoops and rackets. We will practise these skills through fun, active playground games. We will be discussing fair play and the importance to keeping to rules during games.

As pupils...(PSHE)

We will be talking about dreams and goals this term. We will discuss how to tackle challenges and how some goals may take longer to achieve than others. We will also be talking about how we can encourage each other and ways we can help others to achieve their goals. We will be learning about Pantosaurus and how to keep ourselves safe.

As Programmers etc (ICT)

We will be continuing to learn ICT through 'Purple Mash'. We will be exploring the unit 'Lego Builders'. This encourages children to give clear precise instructions to create a design. However, there may be times when the children will need to debug the instruction if an error occurs.

As Scientists...

We will be focusing on materials. Children will identify different types of materials and their properties, and will sort them against different criteria. Children will take part in investigations to find out which materials are suitable for the three little pigs house, keeping in mind the huffing and puffing from the Wolf and the poor weather forecast!

As geologists...

We will be exploring our local area and talking about what makes it so special. We will look at different types of houses and other buildings in the areas such as farms, shops, churches and pubs. We will map these on our very own maps and give directions (using left and right) to locate different buildings. We will also be learning our own addresses, including postcodes.

