## Year 3 - Mrs Metcalf and Mr Horry

## Curriculum Overview

## Spring One 2023 - 2024

This half term will focus on two	
books: Coming to England and The	

Proudest Blue. We will;Explore characters in historical settings.

English

- Empathise with characters in historical setting.
- Recognise and celebrate the differences within individuals and cultures.
- Use illustrations to gather inference about character's thoughts and actions.
- To listen to and discuss a wide range of fiction, non-fiction, plays and poetry.
- To draft and write by:
- Organising paragraphs around a theme.
- Rehearsing sentences orally building up a richer vocabulary.
- Proof-read and edit for spelling and punctuation mistakes.

## **RSHE**

## Belonging to a community

- The value of rules and laws; rights, freedoms and responsibilities.

## Media literacy and Digital resilience

How the internet is used; assessing information online.

## Money and Work

- Different jobs and skills; job stereotypes; setting personal goals.

## **Mathematics**

## Number and place value

- -count from 0 in multiples of 4, 8, 50 and 100 -find 10 or 100 more or less than a given number (KPI)
- -recognise the place value of each digit in a three-digit number (hundreds, tens, ones) -compare and order numbers up to 1000
- -read and write numbers up to 1000 in numerals and in words
- -solve number and practical problems

#### Geometry

- -properties of shapes
- -recognise angles as a property of shape or a description of a turn
- -identify right angles, recognise that two right angles make a half-turn, three make three quarters of a turn and four a complete turn -identify whether angles are greater than or less than a right angle
- -identify horizontal and vertical lines and pairs of perpendicular

### Addition and subtraction

- -add and subtract numbers mentally, including: a three-digit number and ones, a three-digit number and tens, a three-digit number and hundreds
- -add and subtract numbers with up to three digits, using formal written methods of columnar addition and subtraction -estimate the answer to a calculation and use inverse operations to check answers -solve problems, including missing number problems using number facts, place value, and more complex addition and subtraction.

## Measurement -2/3 days

## Science

## Plants -To identify a

- -To identify and describe the functions of different parts of flowering plants: roots, stem/trunk, leaves and flowers
- -To explore the requirements of plants for life and growth (air, light, water, nutrients from soil, and room to grow) and how they vary from plant to plant
- -To investigate the way in which water is transported within plants
- -To explore the part that flowers play in the life cycle of flowering plants, including pollination, seed formation and seed dispersal.

## PE

## **Dance**

THEME: Machines

- -To create actions in response to a stimulus and move in unison with a partner.
- -To create actions to move in contact with a partner or interact with a partner.
- -To understand how dynamics affect the actions performed. To be able to select and use actions to represent an idea.

THEME: Forces and Magnets

-To work with a partner to choose actions that relate to an idea.

THEME: Seasons

- -To remember and repeat actions, using dynamics to clearly show different phrases.
- -To choose actions which relate to the idea, using space and timing to make my work look interesting.

THEME: Romans

## Religious Education

## What do Sikh's believe? (6 weeks)

- To know that Sikhism is one of the main religions of the world and to reflect on the Sikh statements of belief and compare with those of other faiths.
- To know about Guru Nanak and his importance in the Sikh faith and to talk about what a leader is and their special qualities.
- To know the story of the founding of the Khalsa and to reflect on the beliefs that Sikhs have about joining the Khalsa and compare to their own experiences of belonging.
- To know about the Amrit ceremony and ask questions about what it means to belong to a religion and suggest answers that a Sikh might give and that they would.
- To know the symbolism of the 5 Ks and their importance for Sikhs.

### Music

- To sing the song
- To work together in a band/ensemble.
- To develop creativity through improvising and composing within the song.
- To understand the geographical origin of the music and in which era

- -measure, compare, add and subtract with mass
- -solve word problems with mass
- -estimate and read time with increasing accuracy to the nearest minute; record and compare time in terms of seconds, minutes and hours
- -use vocabulary such as o'clock, a.m./p.m., morning, afternoon, noon and midnight

## Multiplication

-recall and use multiplication and division facts for the 3, 4 and 8 times tables

## Fractions

- -count up and down in tenths
- -recognise that tenths arise from dividing an object into 10 equal parts and in dividing one-digit numbers or quantities by 10
- -also bring in measurements
- -recognise and use fractions as numbers: unit fractions and non-unit fractions with small denominators
- -solve problems that involve elements from fractions

- -To understand and use formations, choosing poses which relate to the stimulus.
- -To use transitions and changes of.

## **Topic**

# City and Countryside – How we use the land.

- Geographic regions of UK – the impact on farm/food production of the physical geography. The impact of physical geography on local economies. Mapping the UK. Study of urban and rural landscapes (UK food production)

## Computing

## **Coding 2: Conditional events**

- -design, write and debug programs that accomplish specific goals, including controlling or simulating physical systems; solve problems by decomposing them into smaller parts
- -use sequence, selection, and repetition in programs -work with variables and various forms of input and output
- -Children learn to code with 'if' statements, which select different pieces of code to execute depending on what happens to other objects
- -Children will make objects move using a variety of inputs, before creating other actions as a result -Children will start to design backgrounds for their apps (Software Espresso Coding)

it was composed.

- To experience and learn how to apply key musical concepts/elements, eg finding a pulse, clapping a rhythm, use of pitch.
- To understand and use 1-3 notes (C,D,E) while improvising and composing.
- To recognise the style of the music and to understand its main style indicators.
- To play the accompanying instrumental parts (optional) with or without notation.
- To understand and use general musical vocabulary and specific vocabulary linked to the song

#### French

### Mons Corps

- To identify parts of the body
- To describe eyes and hair appearance
- To recognise days of the week
- To give basic character descriptions