# <u>Literacy/ Speaking/ Phonics (Wordsmith Planning)</u>

# Non-fiction Unit 1.2 Why Do Elephants Have Big Ears?

In this unit, the children explore the big question: Why do elephants have big ears? They read the interactive eBook, finding information and learning how to write labels and captions. They answer the big question, planning and writing their own reports based on a model Grammar Sessions

Sequence sentences to make a short narrative; joining words and sentences with 'and'

Highlight the difference between speaking and writing Explain how the prefix 'un-' changes the meanings of verbs and adjectives (negation or undoing)

# Is our world beautiful place? Inquiry question

# Year 1

#### **Books**

https://orsted.com/en/explore/is-this-my-home

The Journey home, Non fiction texts

#### Science Materials

To distinguish between an object and the material from which it is made

To identify and name a variety of everyday materials, including wood, plastic, glass, metal, water, and rock
To describe the simple physical properties of a variety of everyday materials

To compare and group together a variety of everyday materials on the basis of their simple physical properties

Seasonal changes -Winter/ into Spring
Explore changing day length
Working scientifically - Observing closely using simple equipment
Ask and answer simple questions

# Geography Focus

#### Location Knowledge

Name and locate the world's 7 continents and 5 oceans

Identify seasonal and daily weather patterns in the United Kingdom and the location of hot and cold areas of the world in relation to the Equator and the North and South Poles.

To use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to:

Key physical features, including: beach, cliff, coast, forest, hill, mountain, sea, ocean, river, soil, valley, vegetation, season and weather Key human features, including: city, town, village, factory, farm, house, office, port, harbour and shop.

To begin to use world maps, atlases and globes to identify the United Kingdom and its countries, as well as the countries, continents and oceans studied at this key stage. To begin to use simple compass directions (North, South, East and West) and locational and directional language to describe the location of features and routes on a map

To begin to use aerial photographs and plan perspectives to recognise landmarks and basic human and physical features; devise a simple map; and use and construct basic symbols in a key

To begin to use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of their school and its grounds and the key human and physical features of its surrounding environment.

#### Mathematics Spring term. White Rose

Counting on within 20
Adding ones using number bonds
Find and make bonds to 20
Add by making 10
Subtraction not crossing 10 then crossing 10

Compare number sentences
Counting and numbers to 50
Tens and ones to 50
One less than one more than
Compare and order numbers with in 50
Count in 2s and 5s
Length, capacity/ and weight/ mass
(compare and measure)
Problem solving and challenges

## Physical Development

Gymnastics - Tuesday am Yoga Wednesday am (Spring 1)

# Music

Mrs Hedley produces own planning
Mrs Anderson Friday
(20 mins untuned/ tuned instrument and singing session linked to assembly and services.)

#### PSHE/ RE

Jigsaw - Celebrating Difference Accepting everyone is different

Including others in play

Know how to help someone who is being

bullied

Try to solve problems

Try to use kind words

Know how to give and receive compliments

Christianity - Easter
Why do we celebrate Easter?
Lent 17<sup>th</sup> February - Pancake Day 16<sup>th</sup> Feb
Palm Sunday
Mothers" Day 14<sup>th</sup> March cards
Easter 4<sup>th</sup> April Cards

## Design and technology

Cooking & Nutrition (food around the world)
To use the basic principles of a healthy and
varied diet to prepare dishes
To explore and understand where food comes
from

## Follow Twinkl Fabric Faces planning

They will explore and become familiar with the names of different fabrics and learn how to choose and manipulate fabrics to create different effects; they will also learn how to join fabrics in a variety of ways. Running stitch will be introduced during this unit. Finally, children get the chance to apply all of these skills to help them create their own fabric face, which they will evaluate.