Tudor Grange Primary Academy Yew Tree

Dragonflies Curriculum Plan Spring 2024



INTENT: A curriculum designed to allow children to develop their knowledge and cultural capital to succeed in life.

Why Food?: The children need opportunities to experience food from around the world and how food relates to different cultures and religious festivals. Children need to develop a healthy lifestyle knowing the importance of fruits and vegetables.

• Food – What is food? How does food help us? What does food do? Does food bring people together? How can we link food to celebrations?

Why Noah's Ark?: The children need an understanding of water – the beauty and dangers of it. Enquiry via a story will open up questions about water and the purpose.

• Noah's Ark – What is an Ark? How does it work? Why do we have water? What is the purpose of water? Discuss different faiths and the importance of Water, Baptism.

IMPLEMENTATION: Children benefit from meaningful learning across the EYFS curriculum and remember long term what they have been taught and to integrate new knowledge into larger concepts.

- Food Children will discuss, do we all have food? They will learn about food through stories. Children will learn about the importance of fruit and vegetables and link this to growing, They will also learn about food wastage and how others don't have the access to as much food as the UK. What food do we have and understand why it is important? What happens if we do not have food?
- Noah's Ark Learn about biblical characters, who is Noah? What did he do? How did God help Noah? What did God want Noah to do? Children will learn about the importance of water through stories and how it helps us to survive, keep healthy. Link to food and the importance of these 2 fundamentals in keeping a healthy lifestyle.

IMPACT: Children develop detailed knowledge and skills across the seven areas of learning and use these in age-appropriate ways.

- Food Children can talk about how food is a fuel for our bodies and how it can help us to develop healthy lifestyles. Children have discussed their favourite foods and what are the most popular foods?

 We can discuss how food makes us feel and why food is important? Link food to recipes and make simple food items learning how to cook by following simple recipes.
- Noah's Ark— Children can discuss the importance of water and how precious it is. They understand not to waste water, children can discuss how they would help others—like Noah in an emergency? Children can discuss promises and make links to Mother's Day describing how they would help and how they would keep a promise. Discussing is it good to keep a promise? What is a promise? Discuss the importance of rainbows. What would you promise and what is the importance of a rainbow?

Key vocabulary

Food: healthy, celebrations, vegetables, fruit, wastage, important, share, fruit, and vegetable names.

Noah's Ark: water, wastage, healthy, sad, happiness, forgiveness, rainbow promise, odd, even, two's, animals, Easter

Attributes

(what we want our pupils to be like):

Tolerant

Understanding

Democratic

Opportunity – create and make links,

Respectful

Cultural Capital:

- Water, rivers, oceans names
- Noah- biblical characters
- Food exploring variety of food
- Discuss seasons and change in other parts of the world.
- Painting of fruits and vegetables.
- Facts about animals from other parts of the world.

Week Beginning	Learning Themes – Spring - 2024 Food
Spring 2024	Dragonflies
8.1.24	The Tiger who Came to Tea
15.1.24	The Runaway Pea
22.1.24	Colin and Lee Carrot and Pea
29.1.24	Lunchtime
5.2.24	Anywhere Farm
<u> </u>	Half Term 12.2.24 – 16.2.24
Autumn 2023	Learning Themes – Spring - 2024 Noah's Ark
19.2.24	Noah's Ark
26.2.24	What's the Weather?
4.3.24	Mother's Day
11.3.24	Animals
18.3.24	Easter

Tudor Grange Primary Academy – Yew Tree – Spring 1 2024 Half Term Overview – Food (Phase 1)



Area of Learning	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5			
Phase 1	The Tiger Who Came to Tea	The Runaway Pea	Colin and Lee Carrot and Pea	Lunchtime	Anywhere Farm			
Visits		Visit lo	ocal supermarket / co	orner shop (after scho	ool activity- parents	meet you at the	shops)	
PSE – Jigsaw	Dreams & Goals	Dreams & Goals	Dreams & Goals	Dreams & Goals	Dreams & Goals			
Self-Regulation Managing Self	Challenge I understand	Never Giving Up I can keep trying	Setting A Goal	Obstacles & Support	Flight to the Future			
Building Relationships	what a challenge means.	until I can do something.	and work towards it.	I know some kind words to encourage people with.	I can start to think about the jobs I might do when I am			
Jigsaw books	'Love Monster' by Rachel Bright	'The Hare and The Tortoise, Aesop's Fables' (available on-line)	'The Jungle Run' by Tony Mitton	'Don't worry, Hogless Douglas' by David Melling	older. 'The Lion Inside'			

CLL	
Listening Attention &	Listen to conversation.
Understanding	Join in with repeated refrains and anticipate key events and phrases in rhymes and stories.
	Understand a question or instruction that has two parts.
Speaking	Use longer sentences of four to six words.
	Use describing words in sentences.
	Use pronouns in talk.
	Use intonation, rhythm and phrasing to make meaning clear to others.
Inc MFL	CLL –Use new vocab in different contexts
	EAD - Rhymes and songs –
	PSE - Recognise own and others achievements, Try new things and perseverance
	UW - Recognise some environments are different
	Geography - Recognise different cultures
	Greetings are tailored to the languages that children speaking in the class and changes according to the EAL cohort yearly.
<u>LITERACY</u>	

Understand the five key concepts about print:

- print has meaning
- print can have different purposes (name, advertising logos and screen icons)
- we read English text from left to right and from top to bottom
- the names of the different parts of a book
- page sequencing

Handles books carefully and with growing competence.

Listens and respond to stories, rhymes and poems.

Talks about the stories they like.

Join in with repeated parts of familiar stories, rhymes and poems.

Anticipates key events and phrases in rhymes and stories.

Talks about the key events and principal characters in familiar story, rhymes or poems.

Suggests how the story might end.

Retells a familiar story using some vocabulary.

Comprehension	Core text:	Core text	Core text:	Core text:	Core text:		
	Where's Spot	Dear Zoo	You choose	Going on a Bear	Brown Bear		
				Hunt	Brown Bear		
Reading	Complimentary	Complimentary	Complimentary	Complimentary	Complimentary		
	texts:	texts:	texts:	texts:	texts:		
	Traditional tales	Peppa pig – tiny	We're going on a Lion	_There's an ouch in my	The Enormous Turnip.		
	The 3 little pigs. Jack and the beanstalk.	creatures. Where the wild things	Hunt. The Jungle Run.	pouch. Rumble in the Jungle.	The Runaway Pea. Arnie the Accidental		
	The gingerbread man.	are.	Rosie's Walk.	Pinkie mouse where are	Hero.		
				you?			
Word Reading	Tuning into Sounds	Tuning into Sounds	Tuning into Sounds	Tuning into Sounds	Tuning into Sounds		
Little Wandle	Letter m and d	Letter g and o	Letter c and k	Letter e	Recap m,d,g,o,c,k,e		
	What's in the box	What's in the box	What's in the box	What's in the box	What's in the box		
	Blend from the box	Blend from the box	Blend from the box	Blend from the box	Blend from the box		
	Bertha the bus	Bertha the bus	Bertha the bus	Bertha the bus	Bertha the bus		
	Name play	Name play	Name play	Name play	Name play		
Word Reading	Develop their phonological	awareness, so that they can:		1		<u> </u>	
Little Wandle	- spot and suggest rhymes						
	- count or clap syllables in a	word					

Rhyme Time	- recognise words with the	same initial sound, such as m	oney and mother (alliteration)).						
Writing	Enjoy drawing and writing freely, on paper and on different textures and through using touch screen technology. Add some marks to their drawings, which they give meaning to. Make marks on their picture to stand for their name.									
	Create an invitation to send to the tiger who is coming to tea. Name writing Letter formation	Create afternoon tea invites to send to the tiger who came to tea. Name writing	Draw favourite vegetables. Label foods. Letter formation	Draw around a variety of fruit and vegetables on large paper. Label the vegetables together. Compare similarities and differences.	draw lunch time food items to make a balanced lunch time	Write about farms. Label vegetables, and items found at the farm. Letter formation				
<u>MATHS</u>		1								
Number/Numerical Patterns Pattern, Shape, Space & Measure	Find 1 and represent 1 Story of 1 Numberblocks Series 1 episode 1 Small group environment walks to find 1 Value of 1, subitise 1, match 1, identify 1, represent 1	Weight Light or heavy Pull Balance scales Comparing weights	Story of 2 Find 2 – sorting 1 and 2. Making 2 and representing 2.	Represent 2 Introduce the 5 frames in small groups. Use 5 frames and different objects to explore 1 and 2.	2D Shapes 2D shape walk. Shape pictures.					

<u>uw</u>									
Past & Present	Talk about past and	present events that ha	appened in their own li	ife.					
History									
People Culture &	Remember and talk	Remember and talks about significant events in their own experience.							
Communities									
RE	RE - Chinese New Ye	ear							
	RE – Shabbat								
The Natural World		cern for the environme		an dran mant					
Geography	Begin to understand	the effect their behav	viour can have on the e	environment.					
Science		weathers and seasons							
Talk about the differences	1	out different forces the	ey can feel. ials and changes they i	notico					
between materials and changes they notice.			nd care for the natura						
	Link these statemer	nts as close to science e	exp for 'Food' as possik	ole.					
	Bake cupcakes –	Exploring	Fruit and vegetable	Mouldy bread	Planting seeds.				
	discuss changes.	Vegetables- Give	tasting.	science	What do plants				
	Liquid to solid.	children selection	Diaguag lileag and	experiment.	need to grow?				
		of fruit,	Discuss likes and dislikes.	https://www.youtu	Monitor growth.				
		magnifying	distincs.	be.com/watch?v=E	IVIOTITO BIOWITI.				
		glasses. What can they notice. What		dYQWf6i2VY					

	are the similarities and differences?
IT	Understand how to use ICT apparatus safely (e.g., batteries, plug sockets, ICT and water, limits on screen time).
Safe Use of Technology	Know what to do if something makes them uncomfortable online.
D&T	Use different materials in a variety of ways. Control and manipulate a variety of tools. Experiment with different techniques. Join materials. Make structures. Talk about my ideas. Talk about my plans. Solve problems.
EAD	
Creating with Materials	3D Combine objects to represent ideas. Making towns- block play/ junk modelling/ printing - link to Goldilocks & 3 bears – use porridge to paint, collage Painting Experiment with different techniques. Bubble Art - Handa's Fruits Digital Art Begin to create images and effects with lines, shapes and colour using a graphic package. Create a picture on 2Paint Oliver's fruits and vegetables
ARTISTS	Artist – Deni Yang – Bubble Art

Being Imaginative &	Expressing and responding									
Expressive	Sing the melodic shap	Sing the melodic shape (moving melody, such as up and down, down and up) of familiar songs.								
	Charanga	Charanga Charanga Charanga Charanga								
	Everyone - step 1	Everyone - step 2	Everyone - step 3	Everyone - step 4	Everyone - step 5					
Musician	Composer /Musician- Children to listen to t What do we know ab	he music and express	s how it makes them fe oser? <i>Discover Jazz</i>	el.						

Role Play - Café

Use props when pretending.

Take part in simple pretend play, using an object to represent something else even though they are not similar.

Begin to develop complex stories using small world equipment.

Make imaginative and complex small worlds.

PHYSICAL							
Gross Motor	Get Set 4 PE	Get Set 4 PE	Get Set 4 PE	Get Set 4 PE	Get Set 4 PE		
	Gymnastics Unit 1	Gymnastics Unit 1	Gymnastics Unit 1	Gymnastics Unit 1	Gymnastics Unit 1		
	LESSON 1	LESSON 2	LESSON 3	LESSON 4	LESSON 5		
	Theme: Jack and	Theme: Jack and	Theme: Jack and	Theme: Goldilocks	Theme:		
	the Beanstalk	the Beanstalk	the Beanstalk	and the Three	Goldilocks and		
	To create short	To develop	To develop jumping	Bears	the Three Bears		
	sequences using	balancing and	and landing safely	To develop rocking	To explore		
	shapes, balances	safely using	from a height	and rolling	travelling around,		
	and travelling	apparatus			over and through		
	actions.				apparatus		

Fine Motor	Increasingly independent as they get dressed and undressed- dress dolls/puppets with clothes
	Get dressed with green play overalls outdoors.
	Begin to use anticlockwise movement and retrace vertical lines.
	Bedin to draw intercepting lines and simple shapes.

Tudor Grange Primary Academy – Yew Tree – Spring 2 2024 Half Term Overview – Noah's Ark (Phase 1)



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Phase 1	Noah's Ark	What's the Weather?	Mother's Day	Animals	Easter		
Visits			Canal visit after	school – look at the	canal where does t	he water go?	1
				Mother's Day	Assembly		
PSE – Jigsaw	Healthy Me	Healthy Me	Healthy Me	Healthy Me	Healthy Me		
Self-Regulation	Everybody's Body	We like to move it!	Food Glorious Food	Sweet Dreams	Keeping Clean		
Managing Self							
Building Relationships							
Jigsaw Books	'Never Talk to	'Not Everyone is	This is How we	My First Yoga ABC	Brush, Brush,		
	Strangers' by Irma Joyce	Nice' (Let's Talk Book) by Ann Tedesco	Keep Healthy by DK	by Teresa Anne Power	Brush! By Alicia Padro		

CLL		
Listening Attention & Understanding	Listen to simple stories. Understand and act on longer sentences. Identify action words by following simple instructions.	
Speaking	Use verbs and nouns. Asks questions.	
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	Hairy Maclary	The Very Hungry Caterpillar	Each Peach Pear Plum	The Runaway Pea	Jasper's Beanstalk	
Reading	Complimentary texts:	Complimentary texts:	Complimentary texts:	Complimentary texts:	Complimentary texts:	

	Noah's Ark	Rainbows -Non Fiction	My Mum is Fantastic	How Mrs Noah missed	Easter story			
				the Ark				
	After the Storm	Feel the Wind						
	Flash, Crash Rumble &	Weather & Seasons						
	Roll							
		Elmer & the Rainbow						
Word Reading	Tuning into Sounds	Tuning into	Tuning into Sounds	Tuning into Sounds	Tuning into			
0		Sounds			Sounds			
Little Wandle	Letter u		Letter h	Letter b/f				
Phonics		Letter r			Letter I/j			
	What's in the box.		What's in the box.	What's in the box.				
	Blend from the box	What's in the box.	Blend from the box	Blend from the box	What's in the box.			
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facular d CD	Write a list of animals.	Draw a rainbow, label	Writing lists of animals	•	Create Easter Cards	Chick life cycle		
focused and CP	Write about Noah's ark	colours.	Draw your favourite	cards.	letter formation			
writing activities	J. L.	Matching phoneme to	animal and label	letter formation				
		grapheme			Name writing			
				Name writing				

<u>MATHS</u>				
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Number/ Numerical	Story of 3	Story of 4 Number blocks series 1 Episode 6 (4)		
Patterns	Value of 3, subitise 3, match 3, identify 3, represent 3 Find 3 – number blocks series 1 episode 4 number 3) Find 3 Small group environment walks to find 3 Numbers 1, 2, 3	Value of 4, subitise 4, match 4, identify 4, represent 4 Use numricon up to 4. Use number cards up to 4. Make groups 1, 2, 3, 4.		
Pattern, Shape, Space & Measure	Making lengths Playdough making different length snakes. Long and short. Construction, long roads and short roads.	Comparing lengths – longer, shorter or the same. Comparing height – tall and short. Measure children's height.		

<u>UW</u>	
Past & Present	Talk about people they know and the jobs they do.
History	
People Culture & Communities	Recognise and describe special times or events for family or friends.
RE	Noah's Ark
	The Rainbow
	Easter (Christianity)
	Mother's Day
The Natural World	Shows care and concern for the environment.
Geography	Begin to understand the effect their behaviour can have on the environment.
Science	Talk about different weathers and seasons (Winter).
Ask questions and make	Explore and talk about different forces they can feel.
comments about the world around me.	Talk about the differences between materials and changes they notice.
	Begin to understand the need to respect and care for the natural environment.

	Floating & Sinking. Floating & Sinking- Rainbow science Bouncy egg experiment. Life cycle of a chick.
	Predict which objects Vegetables. Predict experiment Can the children predict
	from around the which vegetables will what will happen to the Learn the chick
	classroom will float and sink and float. Record https://www.youtube.co egg after being left in lifecycle. Create life
	sink. Record findings in a findings. m/watch?v=IYvvBr0bYHI vinegar? cycle wheels.
	simple way.
IT	Understand that operations can be predicted and have a cause and effect (e.g., press a button turns on/off).
Programming	Sequence a series of photographs to recount a story.
	Take a simple 'problem' and split it into smaller steps.
	Explore playing with programmable toys.
D & T	Use different materials in a variety of ways.
	Control and manipulate a variety of tools. Experiment with different techniques.
	Join materials.
	Make structures.
	Talk about my ideas.
	Talk about my plans.
	Solve problems.
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Being Imaginative & Expressive	Charanga – Our World	Charanga – Our World	Charanga – Our World	Charanga – Our World	Charanga –Our World		
,ρ. 333332	Lesson 1	Lesson 2	Lesson 3	Lesson 4	Lesson 5		
	Find the pulse,	Find the pulse,	Find the pulse,	Find the pulse,	Find the pulse,		
	Copy/clap the rhythm	Copy/clap the rhythm	Copy/clap the rhythm	Copy/clap the rhythm	Copy/clap the rhythm		
	Explore high/low pitch	Explore high/low pitch	Explore high/low pitch	Explore high/low pitch	Explore high/low pitch		
Musician		he music and express	how it makes them fe oser? <i>Discover Country</i>				

Role Play – Noah's Ark

Use props when pretending.

Take part in simple pretend play, using an object to represent something else even though they are not similar.

Begin to develop complex stories using small world equipment.

Make imaginative and complex small worlds.

PHYSICAL							
Gross Motor	Get Set 4 PE Dance Unit 1	Get Set 4 PE Dance Unit 1	Get Set 4 PE Dance Unit 1	Get Set 4 PE Dance Unit 1	Get Set 4 PE Dance Unit 1		
	LESSON 1	LESSON 2	LESSON 3	LESSON 4	LESSON 5		

	Theme: head,	Theme: head,	Theme:	Theme:	Theme:		
	shoulders, knees	shoulders,	transport.	transport.	morning		
	and toes.	knees and toes.	To express and	To create	routine.		
	To explore	To explore	communicate	movements and	To copy and		
	different body	different body	ideas through	adapt and	repeat actions		
	parts and how	parts and how	movement	perform simple	showing		
	they move.	they move and	exploring	dance patterns.	confidence and		
		remember and	directions and		imagination		
		repeat actions.	levels.				
Fine Motor	Eat finger food and o	I levelop likes and disli	kes.				
	Try a wider range of	foods with different t	astes and textures.				
	Uses cutlery to feed	themselves.					
	Holds mark-making t	ools with thumb and	all fingers.				
	Build independently	with a range of appro	priate resources.				
	Turns pages in a boo	k, sometimes several	at once.				
	Manipulate malleabl	e materials.					
	Snip with scissors.						
	Shows increasing cor	ntrol in holding, using	and manipulating a ra	ange of tools and object	S.		
	May be beginning to	show preference for	dominant hand and/o	or leg/foot.			

putting on shoes and wellies), mealtimes (feeding self-using cutlery, pouring drinks), organisation (put coat on peg).

Manage their own needs with support: hygiene (hand washing, nose blowing, coughing, tooth brushing), toileting training, dressing and undressing (putting on coats,