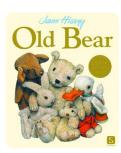
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'Old Bear' by Jane Hissey

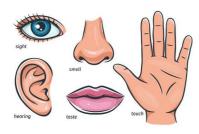
In English, we will write a retell narrative based on 'Old Bear', showing how toy friends help each other to rescue Old Bear from the attic. We will also write a message from the point of view of a toy, asking for help and showing how friends can be kind and caring.



Science

Human Body / Senses

In Science, we will learn to identify, name, draw and label the basic parts of the human body and link each part to one of the five senses. We will take part in a senses experiment, exploring the environment using our senses.



Music

Duration

In Music, we will create vocal sound effects and sing with actions and pitch awareness. We shall also develop instrumental playing techniques and play simple rhythms on untuned percussion instruments.

History

Childhood / Past and Present

In History, we will explore what life was like for children in the past and compare it to our lives today. We will learn key historical terms such as timeline, chronology, change and time capsule.



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This half term our topic is: Lend a Helping Hand



Enrichment

Hindu Visitor

We will welcome a Hindu visitor to share stories and traditions about Diwali - deepening our understanding of the festival and Hindu culture.

Support your child at home:

Art and Design

Self Portraits

We will explore different tools and

materials to create self-portraits. We will

look at famous self-portraits, experiment

with media and learn how to observe

carefully when drawing. We will create our

own self-portrait on paper and in clay.

Why not create a poster or factfile about Diwali and the various ways that this festival is celebrated.

Computing

Online Safety

We will learn what the internet is, why it is important to be kind online and how to protect our personal information. We will create simple online safety rules.

Religious Education

Diwali

We will learn about the Hindu festival of Diwali, focusing on the story of Rama and Sita and its meaning. We will explore how Hindus celebrate Diwali in different ways.

PSHE

Being Me in My World

We will learn about feeling special and safe in our class. We will explore our rights and responsibilities, understand the importance of rules, think about rewards and consequences, and what makes us feel proud.

Maths

Place Value / Addition and Subtraction

In Maths, we will will sort, count, compare, and order objects and numbers to 10. We will use number lines and explore the language of more, less, and equal to. We shall also use number bonds and symbols to write addition and subtraction number sentences.

French

Greetings / Numbers / Colours

We will learn numbers to 20 and colours. We will also learn to extend greetings for different times of the day.

Physical Education

Teamwork / Gymnastics

In PE, we will develop teamwork and communication skills to solve problems. We will also develop movement skills such as balancing, running, jumping, hopping, and skipping.