

Discovery MAT Year 2 Long Term Curriculum Plan 2023-2024

	Our Great Britain	British Bridges	Greenland: Below Zero:	UK Climate	World Explorers	Commotion in the Ocean
<u>Jnit/Theme</u>	(7 weeks)	(6 weeks)	(6 weeks)	(6 weeks)	(6 weeks)	(7 weeks)
Destination	To create a leaflet to share with another year group.	To build bridges with parents and test their strength.	To plan and go on an Artic Expedition.	To design and create their own garden, using IT and share on School Newsletter/Social media.	To read their journey story to children in EYFS.	To present information about the World's oceans.
Big Question	Why is Britain Great?	What makes a bridge strong?	What's it like in the Arctic circle?	How do plants grow best?	Who discovered the World?	How do living things survive in our oceans?
STEM SI	冬 (1)	Creativity	Inquiry Skills	0	Flexibility	
	Problem Solving	Creativity	Inquiry Skills	Observation	Flexibility	Collaboration
Science	 Living things and their habitats To explore and compare the differences between things that are living, dead or never alive. To identify suitable habitats for animals in Great Britain. Identify and name different plants and animals within habitats of Great Britain. To describe simple food chains within Great Britain. FOOD CHAIN, SURVIVE 	 Use of everyday materials To explore material properties and identify key uses for that material. To identify the best material to construct a bridge and explain their choice. CONSTRUCTION, FLEXIBLE, RIGID 	 Living things and their habitats To compare and contrast Artic (Greenland) habitat with Great Britain (recap from previous unit) To identify how animals have adapted to live in this habitat and how it supports their needs. To contrast food chains in a different habitat. FOOD CHAINS, ADAPTATON 	 Plants To observe and describe how seeds and bulbs grow into mature plants. To investigate different growing conditions for plants. To discover the life cycle of a plant or tree from seed to maturity. DEAD, LIVING, NEVER BEEN ALIVE 	 Animals including humans To notice that animals have offspring which grow into adults (including humans). To find out about the basic needs of humans. To learn about and describe the importance of exercise and a healthy diet to humans DIET, EXERCISE 	 Living things and their habitats To understand the different ocean habitat that animals live in. To understand and explain the different life cycles of sea creatures. To explore ocean food chains. HABITAT, OCEAN, OFFSPRING, REPRODUCTION
ድ ዙ Comput	 Information Technology To log on to chrome books To practise typing skills on PPT To create a PowerPoint about Great Britain, adding images, text boxes, slides. SLIDE, TEXT 	 Information Technology To use an appropriate programme to create a picture of a bridge (Paint). To select and change colours. To change brush thickness. To use the mouse and shape tools to make shapes by dragging the mouse. To save paintings. TOOLS, FORMAT 		 Computer Science To use Turtle Logo to create a garden outline and program a gardener. FORWARD/BACKWARDS, LEFT/RIGHT, ALGORITHM, SHAPE, DESIGN 		
	NOS: Self-image & Identity AVATAR, IMAGE, IDENTITY	NOS: Online Relationships FRIEND, SAFE, ME, INTERNET	NOS: Online Reputation & NOS: Online Bullying ONLINE, KIND, STOP, BULLY	NOS: Managing Online Information INFORMATION, WEBSITES, SEARCH ENGINES, AUTO COMPLETE	NOS: Health, Wellbeing & Lifestyle SLEEP, TIME, EXERCISE	NOS: Copyright & Ownership & NOS: Privacy & Security OWN, COPY. SECURE, PASSWORD
DT		 Technical Knowledge: Structures To design, make, test a bridge for a purpose. To build structures, exploring how they can be made stronger, stiffer, more stable. To evaluate a product against a design brief. DESIGN, MAKE, TEST 			Technical Knowledge: Structures • To create landmarks/architectural structures from around the World, using 3-D Builder SYRUCTURE. LANDMARK, ARCHITECTURE	Technical Knowledge: Textiles • Experiment with different materials/textile and how they can be joined together e.g. sea scene/fish weaving. TEXTILES, LOOM
	DESIGN, MAKE, TEST White Rose Maths Scheme of Learning					
Maths (& Links))			 Mathematical Links: To use equipment to measure plant growth. To create tables and graphs of results in a simple format. 		
English Genre & Key Fexts)	 Information Leaflet Poetry PARAGRAPH, POEM, VERSE Texts: We are Britain Kings and Queens Poetry 	 Narrative Information Text - Bridges PREFIX, SUFFIX Texts: The Tower Bridge Cat The Building Boy 	 Diary entry – Artic explorer Narrative – Artic adventure EDIT, QUESTION Texts: The Great Explorer Pugs of The Frozen North 	 Narrative – The Seed Instructions – Seed planting PAST TENSE, PRESENT TENSE Texts: The Seed 	 Narrative (share with children in EYFS) Non-Chronological Report SUMMARISE, ADVERB Texts: The Journey – Aaron Beker Alastair Humphreys' Great Adventurers 	 Poetry – Sea Explanation Text – ocean habitats APOSTROPHE, NOUN PHRASE Texts: One Day on our Blue Planet: In the Ocean Sea Poetry
Reading Key Texts)	Texts: - Queen Victoria - V&A - She Heard the Birds - Andrea D'Aquino	Texts: - Rivet Boy - Barbara Henderson	Texts: - Ernest Shackleton - Maria Isabel Sanchaz Vegara - How to Survive Anywhere - Ben Lerwill	Texts: - The Woodland Trust, A Walk in the Woods - Flora Martyn - Mr Gumpy's Motor Car - John Birningham	Texts: - Emma Jane's Aeroplane - Katie Haworth - Leilong's Too Long - Julia Lui	Texts: - Commotion in the Ocean - Giles Andreae - The Ocean Gardener - Clara Anganuzzi

History	 The Lives of Significant Individuals & Significant Historical Events To understand where kings and queens fit into chronological order (William the Conqueror, Richard III, Henry VIII, Elizabeth I, Charles I, Victoria, Elizabeth II). To investigate key events in a monarch's life and what impact that that had on society. To compare the lives of 2 monarchs (e.g. Elizabeth and Victoria) To discover how democracy in the UK has developed over time. – Houses of parliament and the gunpowder plot. CHRONOLOGICAL, MONARCHY 				 The Lives of Significant Inc Significant Historical Even To explore the lives of si (Drake, Shackleton, Edm Tenzing Norgay, David L Stark) from local and wo DISCOVERY, RESEARCH
Geography			 Physical Geography & Place Knowledge To locate the equator and north and south poles on a globe and understand where on the globe is hot and cold and why. To explain the main features of Greenland and what makes it cold. To compare physical and human geographical features of Greenland to GB. EQUATOR, GLOBAL WARMING 	 Locational Knowledge & Geographical Skills and Fieldwork To identify the UK, it's countries and seas surrounding it. To investigate climate across the UK and how this affects plant growth and where different plants grow. To use ariel photography to identify features of a garden. To create a simple arial map of their garden with a key. HUMID, SEASONAL 	
Art	 Painting To create a landscape painting of an area of Great Britain. To revisit primary and secondary colours. To practice colour mixing. To discuss and mix warm and cool colours. To create patterns from different brushstrokes – dab, sweep, thickness of lines. To use shapes to build pictures. To use different tools for texture and pattern. TEXTURE, TOOLS 			 Printing To look at the work of the artist, William Morris To design and make a printing block with found objects onto card (e.g. string, seeds, match sticks, wool etc). Roll with ink and print into sketchbooks. To explore pattern and shape with found objects. TONE, PRINT 	
Music	 The British National Anthem To learn and sing the British National Anthem and national songs e.g. Rule Britannia. LYRICS, ORCHESTRA, WORLD MUSIC 	 Ship on the Ocean - Mike Reinstein & Reina James-Reinstein To sing songs collaboratively To understand melody, pulse and rhythm. RHYTHM, COLLABORATION, PULSE 			 Earth – Hans Zimmer To create and perform a using tuned or untuned in Create simple melodies f notes. To begin to explore mus HIGH PITCH, LOW PITCH, N
RE	Who is a Muslim and how do they live? (God/Tawhid/Badah/Iman)	Why does Christmas matter to Christians? (Incarnation)	Who ss a Muslim and how do they live? (God/Twahid/Badah /Iman	Why does Easter matter to Christians? (Salvation)	What is the 'Good News' Ch brings? (Gosp
Languages					
PSHE	What makes us a good friend? FRIENDSHIP, KINDNESS, BULLYING Fundamentals I	What is bullying? BULLYING, UNKIND, REPORT Fundamentals I	What jobs do people have? JOB, VOLUNTEERING, PAID Fundamentals 2	What helps us to stay safe? ONLINE, SAFETY, BULLYING Fundamentals 2	What helps us grow and GROW, HEALTHY Games- multi-s
PE	Gymnastics I ACCURATE CONTROL	Gymnastics 2 STRIKE DRIBBLE	Dance I SEQUENCE SIMILARITIES	Dance 2 EVALUATE IMPROVE	Athletics REACT RESPO
SMSC & British Values	 British Values – national identity, tolerance. Cultural Development – recognising and respecting differences within our country. Moral Development – sharing food (Harvest) 	- Social Development – exploring local communities.	 Cultural Development – understanding different countries. Spiritual Development – significant explorers (fascination in learning about the world around them) 	- Moral Development – caring for plants and animals.	 Spiritual Values – respecting celebration. Spiritual Development – sign learning about the world.
		- Tamar Bridge visit.			

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nts significant explorers mund Hillary, Livingston, Freya orld history.	Logational Knowledge Bhyrical
	 Locational Knowledge, Physical Geography & Geographical Skills and Fieldwork To identify oceans of the world. To identify the seas surrounding the UK. To begin to use and understand compass directions. NORTH POLE, SOUTH POLE
	 Collage To use a range of different textiles and materials to create an ocean scene collage with sea creatures (using shapes). To discuss warm and cool colours, and contrasting colours. To look at the work of the artist, Megan Coyle To choose from torn, cut edges. To add textures by mixing materials (print, magazine, fabric) To add line for definition. To experiment sorting and arranging materials TEXTILE, COLLAGE
a musical journey instruments. 5 from five or more usical notation. NOTATION	
Christians say Jesus pel)	What makes some places sacred to believers?
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d stay healthy? <mark>IY, CARE</mark>	How do we recognise our feelings? HAPPY, SAD, ANGRY, COPING
-skills	Games- multi-skills
	Athletics
OND	RULES SPEED ACCURACY
g religious nificant explorers,	 Moral Development – respecting different forms of live. Spiritual Development – fascination of learning the world around us British Values – mutual respect
	- Marine biologist visit – interview

Discovery List	- Find and stroke a school pet	- Make something with sticks	- Explore the outdoors on a wintery day	- Identify 10 British birds	- Represent a school in a competition	- Compete in a sport event
(some flexibility and		- Sing in a public performance	- Play in the snow	- Bird watch from a hide	- Join a library	- Go rock pooling
overlap with these		- Sing carols around a real Christmas tree		- Visit a church		
experiences)						

<u>House Days:</u>

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Date	Subject and Objectives	Outcome