Childhood History

Companions

- Funny Faces and Fabulous Features (Art and design)
- Mix It (Y1) Art and design
- Everyday Materials Science
- Human Senses Science
- Shade and Shelter Design and technology
- Our Wonderful World Geography

Planned term

Autumn

Memorable experience

Participation in a variety of childhood outdoor games from the 1950s. Visit from a grandparent to discuss life as a child in the 1950s. Visiting a local museum.

Innovate challenge

Childhood - Learning about everyday life in the 1950s and how aspects have changed now. Organising important events over the decades into chronological order. A video presentation of when you would rather be a child: now or in the 1950s? Our Wonderful World - Geographical enquiry of the local area. Mix It - The colour challenge. Shade and Shelter - Designing, building and evaluating a play den. Funny Faces and Fabulous Features - Collage creations

Class texts

Mix it up, Herve Tullet. Wilfrid Gordon McDonald Partridge, Mem Fox. Here We Are: Notes for Living on Planet Earth, Oliver Jeffers.

Writing

Playing with Friends (No Nonsense Grammar) - Non fiction information text comparing the past and present. Daisy Doodles, Michelle Robinson and Irene Dickson - Fiction adventure story. The Three Little Pigs, Mara Alperin and Ag Jatkowska - Writing a traditional tale.

Mathematics

Teaching for Mastery using White Rose Maths supported by NCETM PD spines and Power Maths.

Science

Shade and Shelter - Looking at the properties of materials and then designing, building and evaluating play dens at Forest School. Everyday Materials - Naming everyday materials and learning about the properties and uses of materials, both natural and manmade.

Physical education

Following the Primary PE Passport: Fundamental Movement Skills. Locomotion. Yoga & Target Games.

Art and design

Mix It - Mixing primary colours to make secondary colours; colour theory and the colour wheel. Funny Faces and Fabulous Features - Creating portraits and collage. Exploring the work of different artists.

Computing

Following the Teach Computing curriculum: Computing Systems and Networks & Creating Media.

Design and technology

Shade and Shelter - Investigating existing products, leading onto designing and making shelters and dens. Learning about the right materials and safety. Funny Faces and Fabulous Features - Stitching to join materials and embellishing.

Geography

Childhood - Looking at maps to identify changes over time. Our Wonderful World - Physical and human features; compass points; Equator and hemispheres; continents, oceans, countries and capital cities of the UK; protecting natural environments.

History

Childhood - Focusing on historical vocabulary and artefacts; sequencing important events over the decades into chronological order and placing them on timelines; exploring everyday life and childhood in the 1950s and comparing it to now; Queen Elizabeth II's Coronation and King Charles III coronation; games in the 1950s.

Music

Following the Charanga Musical School primary curriculum programme. All learning is focused around one song - Hey You!

Personal, social and health education

SCARF: Me and My Relationships & Valuing Difference.