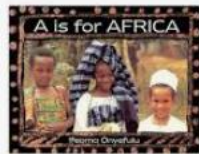
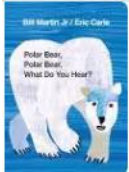


Reception:

Platinum: Mrs Baldwin, Mrs Hill, Miss Ahkter, Mrs Amin and Mrs Card

Gold: Mrs Green, Miss P and Mrs Martin,

Topic Theme: Around the World



Maths:

As we continue to develop our numerical skills we will be adding numbers by counting on. Using practical resources we will be taking away by counting back. Singing number songs we will be learning to count to and from 20. We continue to practise doubling to 10. Using practical resources we will be halving and sharing. We will be looking at different numbers and recognising which numbers are odd or even.

Physical Development:

Travelling: We will be traveling in different ways such as running, jumping, hopping, and skipping using all the space available.

Ball skills: We will be developing balance, agility and co-ordination skills when throwing and catching different sized balls. Applying these skills in a range of different activities, to develop our ball skills.

Communication and Language:

We will join in with repeated refrains and anticipate key events and phrases in rhymes and stories. Listening to others in 1:1 or small groups during show and tell. During familiar stories we will listen with increasing attention and recall.

Literacy:

Phonics: We will continue to use digraphs and trigraphs previously learnt which include 'ai ee igh oa oo ar or ur oo ow oi ear er air'. We will be looking at words with double letters such as hammer, ladder and rabbit and words ending in -ing. We will be looking at characters and using different story starters. **Writing:** We will be learning how to write a sentence using finger spaces, capital letter, controlling the size of our letters and using a full stop.

Understanding the World:

Past & Present: We will look at photographs and talk to the community to discover how Houghton Regis has changed over time.

People, Culture & Communities: We will be visiting different countries to compare their culture, clothes and animals. We will be comparing and discovering other cultures by identifying the similarities and differences between our country and other cultures.

The Natural World: We will be discovering various weather reports, observing different habitats and going on a mini-beast hunt.

Expressive Arts and Design:

Creating with materials: Junk modelling of famous buildings from around the world. **Being imaginative:** We will learn and perform some African and South American dancing and create artefacts from different countries.

Personal, Social and emotional development:

We follow the Jigsaw scheme of work and our topic this half term is 'Relationships'. We will discuss our families and friends. We will learn how to show respect, learn how to be a good friend and recognize that actions have consequences. We will discover and recognise the skills which make a good relationship. Knowing how to help ourselves and what to do if we are upset.

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