



St. Margaret's Anfield Primary School.

Year 1 curriculum map.

Term: Autumn 2



Key texts: Aaaarrgghh, Spider! And The Sound Collector

### English:

Children will explore the book 'Aaaarrgghh, Spider!'. They will use this as a foundation to build their descriptive and imaginative writing, by describing their own ideal pet. Children will explore poetry, focusing on 'The Sound Collector'. They will identify rhyming words and patterns and will work to continue rhyming strings independently. They will then write their own verses to continue the poem as The Sound Collector travels to new locations such as the park, seaside and funfair. Children will then begin to explore information texts and create their own, before moving on to writing their own Christmas story.

### Maths:

In This term children will continue exploring number bonds to a variety of numbers within 20. They will then move on to learning about addition and subtraction using a range of methods and resources. They will explore mathematical vocabulary related to these areas and will develop their reasoning and problem solving skills.

### Science:

In Science this term children will explore materials and textiles to investigate and gain a knowledge of their uses and properties. They will continue to build on their scientific enquiry skills and will discuss their choices and reasoning with their peers. As the seasons continue to change they will observe and investigate changes that take place we move from Autumn to Winter.

### Religious Education:

This half term we are learning about Gifts and Gift Bringers. They will discuss how it feels to give and receive gifts. They will learn about God's gift to us, Jesus and they will explore and retell The Christmas Story.

### Physical Education:

Children develop basic game playing skills in particular throwing and catching. They will play simplified games.

Perform dances using simple movement patterns.

### Art / Design Technology:

Children will continue to explore colour mixing and will begin to use mixed media and printing techniques to create a range of Christmas decorations.

### History:

They are learning all about Children Long Ago. They will explore children's lives long ago in relation to their homes, clothes, school and toy. They will use their historical enquiry skills to observe similarities and differences between their lives now and children's lives long ago.

### Computing:

Programming using 2DIY and basic computer skills (logging on to computers)

### Spanish:

Children will learn how to introduce themselves in Spanish.

### PSHE (SEAL):

Getting On and Falling Out:

Children will explore emotions and feelings related to situations of friendships and disagreements with others.

### Music:

In Music, children will continue to explore pulse, rhythm and pitch through the song 'Little Angel Gets Her Wings'. They will also learn and experience a range of songs for our Nativity play.