



Chestnut Class - Learning Overview – Autumn Term 2023

Topic – Evolve and Solve

English	Maths	Science	Geography
Predict what might happen and make inferences from details stated and implied. Use a range of sentences and punctuation in writing. Plan ,draft, evaluate, edit writing in a range of genres inspired by our topic including a narrative, a biography and a page from an encyclopedia.	Understand place value, concepts and methods of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. Fractions.	Evolution and Inheritance Recognise that living things have changed over time and that they produce offspring of the same kind, but normally offspring vary and are not identical to their parents Identify how animals and plants adapt to suit their environment and that this may lead to evolution.	Use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and cities of the world linked to Darwin's journey on HMS Beagle.
History	Computing	RE	PSHE
Understand how Darwin and his discoveries were a significant point in British history.	Learn about Computing systems and networks, searching, communication and collaboration. Creating media - video and web page creation Use search technologies effectively, appreciate how results are selected and ranked, evaluate digital content Use technology safely, respectfully and responsibly; recognise acceptable & unacceptable behaviour; identify a range of ways to report concerns.	Humanism - Happiness "Why do humanists say happiness is the goal of life?" Understanding Christianity - Gospel "What would Jesus do?"	<u>Families and friendships</u> Friendship skills; respect; resolving conflict; family life; stereotyping; challenging stereotypes; change and loss <u>Health & Wellbeing</u> Relaxation -mindfulness; What can I be?; Taking responsibility for my health; The impact of technology on my health; resilience toolbox; immunisation; Physical health concerns; Good and bad habits.
Art & DT	Music & Drama	Languages	PE
Use art to research how Darwin recorded his findings - develop drawing and sketching techniques using a range of materials.	<u>Young Voices and Djembe drumming</u> Listen with attention to detail and recall sounds with increasing aural memory Play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using their voices and playing musical instruments with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression.	<u>French</u> Listen to spoken language and show understanding by joining in & responding. Develop accurate pronunciation and intonation so that others understand when they are reading or speaking aloud. Present ideas and information orally. Appreciate stories, songs, poems and rhymes in the language.	Play competitive games and apply basic principles of attacking and defending. Use running, jumping, throwing and catching in isolation and in combination. Develop flexibility, strength, technique, control and balance.