English/Communication and Language

This half term, we will be continuing to build on our existing communication skills through rhymes, Makaton, widgit symbols and PECS where appropriate. We will continue to use 'Singing Hands' as inspiration for songs and rhymes to develop our listening and joint attention skills. We will be enjoying books and stories from around the world, both fiction and non-fiction and we will be using these stories as a basis for our sensory exploration.

Phonics

Phase 1: Environmental Sounds

Phase 2: SATPIN

For some of our children in Year 1, they will also be completing their Phonics Screening Check if appropriate.

Mathematics

In Maths, our main focus each week will be as follows:

Week 1 – 3D Shape

Week 2 - Number

Week 3 - Number

Week 4 – Number

Week 5 - Measure

Week 6 - Colours - sorting and consolidation

Week 7 – Maths Games

We will continue to develop a range of mathematical concepts in our continuous provision.

PSED

We will be focusing on self-care and developing the children's independence particularly building on transitioning around school and working with peers.

PE & Physical Development

Our theme this half term is Music and Movement. We will focus on different movement skills to music as well as the children having the opportunity to try swimming in the last few weeks of term.

2023/24

Summer 2

Learning Plan

Superheroes and Superstars
Class

Theme – What a Wonderful World!

Understanding the World

This half term, our topic is 'What a Wonderful World' and each week we will be focusing on a different continent. As we explore each continent, we will learn about the different animals, climates, people and cultures that make up the wonderful world we live in. We can't wait to share all of the wonderful things are Superstars learn about alongside key cultural events.

Outdoor Learning

This half term, the children will have the opportunity to explore the outdoor area including the forest including sensory walks and nature exploration. We will use the outdoor areas as a stimulus for sensory activities linked to the different continents we are learning about as well as enjoying weekly forest session with Miss Weldon.

Other Curriculum Areas

These subjects will centre around and embed learning within our 'What a Wonderful World' topic. We will continue to learn about significant events which develop children's cultural capital.

Computing/Technology

We will focus on encouraging online safety and the use of Beebots. Daily opportunities for pupils to use a variety of different programs throughout the curriculum on the computer and smart board. We will continue to have a selection of cause and effect toys and toys with switches in our provision as well as I-Pads.

Expressive Art & Design

Many of our activities will be linked with artists from around the world as inspiration to create our own masterpieces! We will provide the children with a range of media including junk modelling, paint, chalks etc for the children to develop their artistic sides!

<u>MFL</u>

We will complete activities linked to significant events to support with celebrating and raising awareness of cultural diversity.

Music

We will be focusing on the dynamics of music alongside continuing to learn a range of songs based around our theme particularly traditional music from the different continents.