Topic and Year Group

Year 2 'Amazing Africa!'

English

Non-Fiction: Non-Chronological Reports

- To identify features of a nonchronological report
- To research about an animal
- To plan and write a non-chronological report

Fiction: Stories from other cultures

- To describe a character
- To describe a setting
- To retell the events of a story

Non-Fiction: Persuasive leaflet writing

- To identify the features of a leaflet
- To plan and write a persuasive leaflet

Non-Fiction: Instruction writing

- To identify the features of instructions
- To use time connectives
- To order instructions
- To write instructions

Maths

2D Shape

- Identifying sides, vertices, and lines of symmetry
- Moving and turning shapes
- Describing patterns

<u>3D Shape</u>

• Describing three dimensional shapes

Fractions

- Identifying different fractions
- Comparing and ordering fractions

<u>Time</u>

- Telling and writing time
- Sequencing time

<u>Volume</u>

- Comparing volume
- Measuring volume in I and mI

Science

Plants:

- Understanding the process of seed dispersal
- Identifying parts of a plant and which parts we consume
- Growing a variety of our own plants

Living Things:

- Playground Allotment
- Creating a micro habitat
- Food chains



RE/PSHE/RSE

<u>RE</u>:

- Special places
- Buildings of religious significance
- Exploring religious artifacts

PSHE: Relationships

- Families
- Keeping safe- exploring physical contact
- Friends and conflict
- Secrets
- Trust and Appreciation
- Celebrating my special relationships

Geography/History

- Identifying the continents and oceans
- Using world maps to identify Europe and Africa
- Use simple compass directions and directional and locational language
- Use aerial photographs to recognize landmarks and identify basic humans and physical features
- Use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of their school and its grounds

Art/D&T

- African landscapes
 - Looking at the vivid colours within the landscapes and using strong pastels to capture the beauty of them and the majestic animals
- Sunset silhouettes
- Clay pots

Trips/Events

- African Drumming Workshop
- Farm Visit
- Sports Day

Dance/Drama/Music

- African music, it's history and culture
- Learning how to play African drums and perform as a class
- BBC 10 Classical Pieces of Music

Sport

- Team games, developing simple tactics for attacking and defending (rugby/football)
- Athletics- basic movements such as running, skipping, hopping and jumping.

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- What do you like doing?
- School life
- In my pencil case
- Changing Season- Summer