



South Gosforth First School

'Roots to grow and wings to fly'

Art & Design

Season in colour.

Children learn to mix and paint with secondary colours.

P.E

Hit, Catch, Run

This term the children will be mastering basic movements and skills when using a ball



Music

Strike, scrape and shake.

We shall research the meaning of 'percussion' and sing simple songs and rhythms with accompaniment. We shall move to a steady beat and use our bodies for percussion.

Maths

Place Value within 20

This half term, we will learn to count, read and write forwards and backwards from any number 10-20. We will compare and order numbers to 20 and identify the tens and the ones.

Addition and subtraction within 10

We will explore part whole models and fact families. We will learn our number bonds and will add and subtract numbers within 10.

Geometry: 2D Shape

We will explore different 2D shapes, comparing and sorting them.

English

The Robot and Bluebird T4W

The children will learn the model text and will produce a new piece of writing where they will change the character – 'Bluebird' to a new character of their choice.

Instructions T4W

The children will create a set of instructions using the process of T4W.

History

Toys from the past.

The children will be exploring and discussing their favourite toys and how they have changed over their own lifetime. We will then look at similarities and differences between their own toys and their grandparents' toys.

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History: Toys from the past



Science



Seasonal Changes

We will be finding out about the seasons, observing Autumnal weather and investigating how daylight varies.

Computing



Coding.

This term we shall use Code.org to discover what coding is and to make simple algorithms

PSHE & 'Together Time'

What is special to us?

Children will discuss groups that they belong to and investigate how all families are different but share common features.

Design & Technology

Construction: Paper Toys

The children will refine their cutting skills and then research, plan and make their own paper toys.

Religious Education

Christmas and Hanukkah.

This half-term we will consider what is meant by something being special or precious. We shall then learn about the birth of Jesus and the key features of Hanukkah.



**Character
Culture
Creativity
Challenge**

Enrichment, Hooks & Pupil Engagement: Exploring a range of historical artefacts in the form of old and new toys. Interview our parents and grandparents about their favourite toys. Exploring the outdoors looking for clues to how the seasons changes. Visiting a synagogue in RE.

'The Big Picture' Task: Last year in Reception children talked about how they had changed since they were babies, their parents, and grandparents. We will build on this when exploring 'Toys from the Past' in History. They also explored the different seasons and we will build on this in our Science.

'Stunning Start' & 'Fantastic Finish': *Mantle of the Experts* - Create a Toy Museum!