Courtney Primary - Topic Sheet

'Where shall we go?'

Term 6 - Reception: Miss Brown/Mrs Florendine

English

In English we will share a range of poetry, non-fiction and narrative texts. We will practise our sentence writing, thinking about our letter formation and tricky words. We will continue to practise our phonics every day and applying them to our writing. It would help to practise at home as much as possible too.

We will be writing postcards from different places and changing familiar stories to make them our own.

Communication and Language

This term we will use our speaking and listening skills to create our own stories. We will think about how we express ourselves to the listener ensuring they can hear and understand. To support our topic we will ask questions using why, who, what, how and when. The children will be encouraged to use the correct tense when speaking and to develop vocabulary and use complex sentences.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

This term we will continue to be independent learners and think about how we can challenge ourselves and apply new things we have learned.

We will think about how we impact on others and how we can solve simple problems by ourselves.

This term we will also think about our move up to year one and how we feel about new things and changes. We will start some transition activities this term in preparation for a smooth transition into year 1.

Physical Development

During PE we will think about what it means to be part of a team. What happens if we win or lose? This will be in preparation for sports day. We will practise our sports day activities and continue to build good coordination skills and control.

This term PE will be on Friday.

We will think about how to keep safe on holiday or in a new place.

Maths

This term we will be securing our knowledge of adding and subtracting two single digit numbers. We will use resources to help us and begin to count on or back. We will count in 2's, 5's and 10's using numicon and other resources to help. We will continue to secure our knowledge of numbers to 20 and beyond by counting, recognising and ordering. We will estimate an amount and check by counting. The children will build their understanding of basic 2D and 3D shapes and begin to use mathematical words to describe them.

Understanding the World

During this term we will talk about different holidays that people have been on. How have holidays changed from when their parents were children. We will think about similarities and differences between places around the world. We will find out what a souvenir is and ask and answer questions with our peers. We will think about travel and the best way to get to different places.

Expressive Arts and Design

This term we will enjoy going on a train journey in our role play area. We will explore using different materials to create seaside pictures and junk modelling for vehicles. We will make father's day cards for someone special. We will continue to sing songs and think about how music makes us feel and move.