Goldfinches Curriculum Notes Autumn Terms 1&2



In the Deep Dark Woods

MATHEMATICS

Number/calculation bonds to 10, 20, Year 2 up to 100. Counting in 2s,5s,10s using arrays and linking to the times tables. Positioning and recognising 2 digit numbers on number lines up to 100. Place value: read and write numbers in numerals up to 20, Year 2 up to 100.

Multiplication

Year 1 counting in 2s, grouping maths apparatus and counting in 2ps in Money

Year 2 Recognising 2s 5s and 10s calculating the correct number sentences.

Measurement Linked to Goldfinches Woodland Workshop measuring and sorting materials for woodland shelters

Year 1 Comparing length and using maths vocabulary long short Year 2 Beginning to use standard measurements in cm /m and ordering lengths using greater and lesser than symbols.

ENGLISH

Fiction - Julia Donaldson The Gruffalo and other stories.

Creating our own stories set in the deep dark wood Starting to use different sentence types and rhyming words.





Traditional Stories Hansel and Gretel Exploring story structure beginning middle and end of traditional tales

Non Fiction- Non Chronological Report on Seasons including headings, sub heading, labelling and captions.

Weather Reports using correct weather vocabulary to record the seasons

Instructional text- Recipes for Gingerbread in Hansel and Gretel story

SCIENCE Plants

Exploring our very own Deep Dark wood in the Paddock and identifying different trees and plants. Learning about Evergreen and Deciduous Trees and how Evergreens are part of Christmas festivities

Living Things and their Habitats Woodland

Finding out about the Woodland creatures in The Gruffalo live in habitats to which they are suited and describe how different habitats provide for the basic needs of different kinds of animals and plants, and how they depend on each other

R.E. Term 1

What makes people special? HARVEST Festival <u>Term 2 Incarnation</u>. Finding out about nativity plays at Christmas. <u>P.S.H.C.E- School Values</u>, Respect, Kindness and Perseverance <u>New Beginnings:</u> Learning to get to along with each other

Succeeding Together

COMPUTING.

Making Technology Collages on all the technology around us. Learning how to use technology safely and use the Internet securely Use the Beebots for simple coding

PE & GAMES Monday OUTDOOR PE

Ball skills: rolling, travelling, receiving, throwing, and catching a variety of balls. <u>Thursday INDOOR PE</u> Dance Performing dance with movement patterns

<u>Music</u> Listening with concentration and understanding to a range of high quality live and recorded music linked to our Gruffalo dances Christmas songs and performance. <u>ART</u> Developing sketching and painting skills with tree sketches and leaf printing <u>DESIGN TECHNOLOGY</u> Woodland shelters linked to Science Habitats Making our own Gingerbread

<u>GEOGRAPHY-Seasons and Weather</u> Changes of seasons and daily weather patterns learning about Hot and Cold places on the globe and different weather patterns Developing basic geography skills and geography vocabulary in creating maps for the Hansel and Gretel story

HISTORY-

Change in Living History

Finding out about the past from in different ways looking at old photos and from first hand interviews of family members all about Christmas traditions old and new.