

Year 1 Spring 2: Wicked Weather

Curriculum connections

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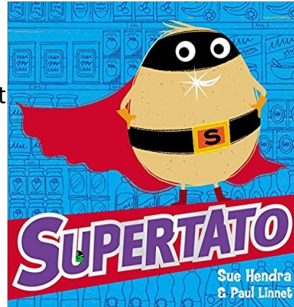
English

Writing:

- Retell a familiar story through the use of drama, role play and text mapping.
- Innovate and rewrite an adventure story.
- Learn age appropriate spelling rules.
- Edit and improve writing.
- Increase legibility, consistency and quality of handwriting.

Reading:

- Use RWI sounds to segment and blend new and unknown words.
- Read with fluency and expression.
- Make predictions and inferences about a text.
- Share opinions and thoughts about a text .



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Maths

- Count from 20 to 50.
- Count by making groups of tens.
- Group tens and ones.
- Partition into tens and ones.
- Use a number line to 50.
- Estimate on a number line.
- 1 more and 1 less than a number.
- Compare and measure lengths and heights.
- Measure using objects and in centimeters.
- Measure and compare weight, mass and capacity.



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Geography

Wonderful weather: How does the weather impact on us?

- Identify seasonal and daily weather patterns in the United Kingdom.
- Identify and discuss differences in weather between the UK and Australia.
- Compare weather differences between Australia and Lapland.
- Create a temperature map to represent weather differences between the UK, Australia and Lapland.

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Art

Compositions inspired by the work of indigenous Australian artists

- Learn about indigenous Australian artists and what their work represents.
- Learn how this style of art originated.
- Mix and match paint to natural objects.
- Investigate different ways to create the dotting technique used in this style of art.
- Use sketching techniques to draw different animals.

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Science

Plants

Identify and describe the basic structure of a variety of common flowering plants, including trees.
Identify and name, describe and compare a variety of trees in the local environment.
Observe and describe changes to plants that take place over time.
Describe root systems of familiar plants.
Compare a variety of familiar flowering plants and group them according to the similarities in their flower.
Identify, name, describe and compare a variety of familiar wild plants in the local environment.

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Hinduism

Answer the big question; 'How do Hindus learn about God's love, power and forgiveness?'
Know that Krishna is very special to Hindus.
Explore festival celebrations of Holi.
Learn about God and about belonging to the Hindu community.

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Computing

Programing: Bee-Bots

Explore using a virtual Bee-Bot.
Create an explanatory video describing how to use a virtual Bee-Bot, considering its different functions and operations.
Plan and follow a set of instructions precisely.
Programme Bee-Bots with instructions to reach an exact destination.
Create and debug a simple program to move the Bee-Bot from one destination to another.

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Running

Explore running in different ways e.g. for different directions, different speeds and using different parts of their feet.
Develop their running technique.

Racquets, bats and balls

Explore using a racquet and ball together.
Develop ball control using a racquet. Explore hitting a ball accurately.

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Music

Composing

Learn about how music can be used to tell a story (The Sun and the Wind).
Identify contrasts: loud and quiet, leading to a short composition about the weather.
Learn songs for a KS1 partnership music festival.

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Healthy Me

Understand the difference between being healthy and unhealthy, and know some ways to keep healthy.
Know how to make healthy lifestyle choices.
Know how to keep clean and healthy, and understand how germs cause disease/illness.
Understand that medicines can help if you feel poorly and know how to use them safely.
Know how to keep safe when crossing the road.

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Character trait: Determination

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Spanish

El tiempo malvado. *Wicked weather.*

Phrases about the weather.
Answer the target question using a weather phrase.
Express their opinion about the weather using the verb to like in positive and negative.
Use the adverb 'when' to build their sentence.
Phone call role play.

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