

Whole School Topic: Healthy hearts and minds

Healthy hearts and	Jigsaw	Art	Design and Technology
minds			
Our healthy hearts and minds curriculum will be looking into individual self esteem and coping mechanisms inlight of the ongoing pandemic. The unit is based around individual assessed needs of our children and is tailored so that they are given the opportunities to talk about events and feelings which have affected them over the last year. We will be dedicating a lot of time to physical exercise and showing the positive links between mental health and exercise. We will also be including some healthy competition and team building skills.	Throughout this unit we will be offering support on different types of friendship and ways these might change. We will also help children to stay safe when using technology to communicate with friends. It will also help children to understand the difference between online friendships and in person friendships and give them the tools to enable them to make informed and conscientious decisions about their online life.	The children will be studying the artist Georgia O'keeffe and recreating paintings in her style on canvas. They will then be displaying their art in a gallery opening where they will be inviting the school and parents to come and see their work.	In design technology the children will be learning how to join different materials together to create a bug hotel as part of our wider garden project. They will also be creating their own kitchen garden so that they can produce their own vegetables in order to eat or donate at this year's harvest festival.

Key drivers of the curriculum

Aspirations	Global citizenship	Wellbeing
We will be linking our topics and the people who work in the gardening, building and mental health industry throughout this unt. We will be encouraging children to look at different roles in our communities were the skills we learn will be relevant and the wider working world and seeing the potential in that career path.	We are working with the children to ensure they know that a global citizen is someone who is aware of and understands the wider world - and their place in it. We will be taking more of an active role in our community to make our planet more peaceful, sustainable and fairer.	We will be working alot our our mental health and well being this term to ensure all the children have the skills in order to understand how they are feeling, what they can do about it and where they can go to get help if needed.

Core links through the curriculum.

Ba	sic Skills	Real W	/orld Applications
English	Numeracy	Using Technology including Computer Science	Science
Key texts- Hey little ant Kindness is my superpower <u>Writing opportunities</u> Persuasive writing opportunities will be ongoing throughout this term. We will be writing adverts for our bug	We will be using our data collection skills to record different animals and plants in our environment and also use our area and perimeter skills to map out a vegetable patch. All of our measuring skills will also come in handy when trying to win a variety of competitions e.g. tallest	In our ICT lesson we will be learning how to use the software Audacity. This software is a multi track audio editor and it will enable us to lay down different layers of audio to create our persuasive adverts.	In science we will be studying the biology of plants. We will be looking at how pollination and fertilisation happens and why some plants have both male and female reproductive systems. This then leads us into looking at the biology of male and female animals before studying humans.

hotels along with trip	sunflower, biggest pumpkin	
advisor reviews using all	and not to mention all the	
of our persuasive skills	watering devices we will	
learnt in our English	make to ensure our crops get	
lessons. We will also be	regular access to water.	
creating fictional stories	_	
which take place in our		
local environment but		
from a garden creatures		
perspective.		
Reading opportunities		

Objectives	Activities
Jigsaw:	
I have an accurate picture of who I am as a person in terms of my characteristics and personal qualities	Recognising Me
I understand that belonging to an online community can have positive and negative consequences	Safety with Online Communities
I understand there are rights and responsibilities in an online community or social network	Being in an Online Community
I know there are rights and responsibilities when playing a game online	Online Gaming
I can recognise when I am spending too much time using devices (screen time)	My Relationship with Technology: screen time
I can explain how to stay safe when using technology to communicate with my friends	Relationships and Technology
Healthy hearts and minds	
I can say how I feel	Do we all feel the same?
I know what to do if I get upset	 explore different feelings Where do I go for help? sign post children
I can talk about my worries	Is talking helpful? - understanding coping mechanisms
I can calm myself down when I am worried	How can I be calm? - developing strategies
I can sort out arguments with my friends	Can I help? - being restorative
I can control my temper when something annoys me	Is it ok to feel mad? -developing and understanding strategies
I have friends and like school	What's in this community for me? - exploring our school community and the opportunities within it.
I can listen to and improve on their own	Applied digital skills
recordings by re-recording	Select and research an event
I can locate and download existing sound files to	Plan tasks for your event
be imported into recording software	Communicate with Gmail and calendar
I can combine two or more tracks to make a	Create a logo
new, original recording#	Build a flyer to advertise
I can plan and record appropriate audio content	
for a podcast	
I can evaluate what features makes good quality	Share your event digitally
audio content	
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I can gather ideas through a range of research methods. I can produce design specification I can design a product which appeals to a set individual or group of people	Where do bugs live? - a research project to study the different habitats of insects - design a bug hotel
I can make accurate measurements to the nearest mm. I can use tools for accurate assembly. I can build frameworks using a range of materials: wood, card, corrugated plastic.	Who wants to sleep here? - to build a bug hotel
I can critically evaluate the quality of a design, its manufacture and if it fulfils the design brief. I can collect feedback from others to find out how to improve my product	Tripadvisor- would you recommend this hotel? - to evaluate a design
Art	
I can study an artist	Who is Georgia O'keeffe?
I use hard and soft pencil lines to create detail	Can I sketch like Georgia O'Keeffe?
I can create layers of paint to add detail I can show movement in paint through brush strokes	Can I paint in the style of Georgia O'keeffe?