

Year 1- Woodpeckers- Long Term Overview

Topic	Subjects	Aspects of 2014 NC Subjects Covered
Best of British Trip to BB museum Trip to Queen's Park	History	Queen Elizabeth II and the royal family. Children will study the life and key events of the queen and use chronology to sequence events in our lives and the Queen's. Look at artefacts and compare the old and new within living memory focusing on our local area of Blackburn (museum trip and look at local area).
	Geography	Map and compass skills – old and recent maps of Blackburn. Mock- up an aerial view of school. Own locality study (human geography and land use. Knowing the countries that make up UK. Locate major cities in UK and seas surrounding the UK. Survey of human features in the local area. Plot on the map and/or list Use Google earth to see satellite views and street view.
	Art and design	Draw the portrait of the Queen. Painting (portraits) – study portraits of Queen Elizabeth II painted by different artists through her reign. Compare and contrast styles. Mix colours to find the correct shade of dress & skin & background. Name primary colours. Use different brushes for smaller facial features. Weaving paper to simulate looms seen in BB museum
	Design and technology	Afternoon tea with the Queen - Cooking and nutrition. Plan and make a range of traditional British finger foods. Use different methods of preparing sandwich fillers- grating, chopping, peeling. Design a layout and invites for the Queen' Tea Party. Use Beebots to use compass direction
	Music	Charanga - Hey you!
	PE	Dance
Castles. Trip to Hoghton Tower	History	Look at the Norman Conquest and the history behind it. Study its significance today. Explore the Bayeux Tapestry. Who lived in castles? What types of castles are there?
	Geography	Maps and atlases to locate towns in England where major castles are situated. We will particularly look at ones in our local area; re-visit compass direction skills. Locate on a map of England where some castles are.
	Art and design	Painting castle in shades of grey and paint a pattern of stone work, 3d model of the hill and moat
	Design and technology	Recreate a castle using different materials/structures. Children will use suitable equipment, make a 'mock-up' model and look at videos/images to prepare them for their task. Groups will need to include a working drawbridge by using a winding mechanism made from given materials.
	Music	Charanga – Banana Rap/Rhythm in the way
	PE	Striking and fielding
Extreme Weather! Comparing Kenya. Trip to the library Trip to Brockholes for Science and DT	History	Significant people of Kenya
	Geography	A study of extreme climates with a case study of Kenya
	Art and design	Kenyan art studying Martin Bulinya's artwork of the Maasai tribe and African sunsets. Make African jewellery Collage of 4 seasons
	Design and technology	Designing, making and evaluating a house for the 3 little pigs that will withstand the big bad wolf. Children will link their Science knowledge of properties of materials
	Music	Ukuleles as WOPs –Bolton Music Service
	PE	Gymnastics Ball games