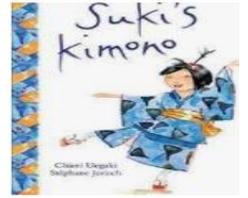




Our topic this term in Inventors is Diversity



In English we will be:

- Using our core text 'Suki's Kimono' to help investigate Identity and Diversity,
- Learning to understand that every person is unique, celebrating our similarities and differences,
- Writing a diary entry in role of Suki using adverbs, past tense and first person,
- Writing a non-chronological looking at holiday brochures, leaflets and posters.

In Science we will be:

- Focusing on Animals including Humans,
- Labeling body parts,
- Identifying and describing different animal groups,
- Explain the characteristics of living things,
- Describe the importance of a balanced diet.



In Maths we will be:

- Learning about place value,
- Adding 3 one digit numbers using concrete objects and number lines,
- Begin to use column methods to add,
- Adding and subtracting 2 digit numbers up to 50,
- Continuing to count in 2s, 5s, and 10s forwards and backwards recognising patterns and themes.

In Curriculum we will be:

- Exploring diversity around the world,
- Specifically focused on the arts (music, food, art, Dance),
- Developing an understanding of different cultures around the world and what makes individuals unique,
- Exploring what it means to be inclusive and how to show empathy and provide a sense of community,
- Using local historical figures to explore how they have contributed to the history of their community,
- Drawing comparisons with other cultures around the world.

In RE we will be:

- Learning about the Christmas story,
- Taking part in a Nativity,
- Visiting our local Church.

In RSE we will be:

- Identifying how to be a good friend,
- Exploring how to play and work cooperatively in different groups.

In Art we will be:

- Creating a mood board using the book as inspiration,
- Creating tone using light and dark and different shading techniques,
- Creating different tones using light and dark, applying different shading techniques to create different tones.

In Music we will be:

- Listening and appraising a piece of music,
- Learning and performing songs.

Reading and Spellings:

- Children will continue with their daily phonic sessions,
- Reading books will be sent home on a Tuesday and return on a Monday,
- Please read with your child each evening and record in their reading record,
- Please practice common exception words for sight reading and spelling.

In PE we will be:

- Working as a team and communicating,
- Building on experience from Autumn 1 running unit.

General information:

Inventors have PE on a Wednesday and Thursday, Please ensure school jumpers and cardigans are also **labelled**, please send in a labelled water bottle for your child to use throughout the day.