

Mark Making Weeks 'Colours of Nature'

Setting routines and expectations, establishing class culture and building relationships.
Handwriting and number formation, book layout and presentation, target and goal setting
Bird exploration, shading, tone and exploration of colour through art and poetry.



Literacy - Our Feathered Friends

Fiction Text: King of the Birds – Helen Ward

Story writing unit with a focus on using correct speech punctuation, modifying nouns, adventurous vocabulary and alliteration.

Non-Fiction Unit: Persuasive writing based on a real life RSPB Charity letter.

Spelling: Suffixes and prefixes. Weekly spelling test on a Wednesday.

All About Books – weekly reading and library session



Numeracy

Number, place value and money

Number operations – addition, subtraction, multiplication and division

Shape and Space – using a compass, properties of 2D and 3D shapes

Weekly Bonds and Badges / Times tables tests

DT/Art

Making Bird Feeders

Impressionism



PE

Swimming / Gymnastics

Dance (linked to Christmas production)



PSHE / RE

SEAL New Beginnings Class Contracts

Why are some journeys special?

Harvest festival, Remembrance, Christmas



Guardians of Nature

2017-2018

Terms 1 and 2



Music

'Raise the Roof' singing spectacular

Music Express - Exploring composition – Seasons and the Environment

Christmas songs, carols

Science - Living things and their Habitats

Using keys, and identifying, grouping and classification

Recognising how environments change and exploring how can pose dangers to living things

ICT

E-safety

Multimedia – create a comic

Programming – making a game using hopscotch



Chess – Weekly chess lessons with Mr Chris Strong



French – Weekly French lessons with Madam Scott



Geography – Our Wonderful World

Map work and atlas skills with a focus on Europe. Position and significance of the lines of latitude and longitude, the equator, tropics, hemispheres and time zones. Bird migration routes.

