Learning Themes- Year 2/3/4

2021-2022

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| Year B | Autumn/Advent  Term 1/2 | Spring/ Lent  Term 3/4 | Summer/ Pentecost Term 5/6 |
| **TOPIC** | Why does Buzz Lightyear love Glossop?  History of Christmas traditions | Why did the Titanic Sink?  What is it like to live in Japan? | Why are Christopher Columbus and Neil Armstrong brave? |
| R.E. | People- where do I come from?  Called- what does it mean to be called?  Gift – what’s special about gifts? | Community-what makes community  Giving and Receiving – what’s more important?  New Life- what is important about new life? | Self Discipline- Is self discipline important in life?  Building Bridges- why are bridge builders important in life?  God’s People – why do some people do extraordinary things? |
| Opportunities for Reading and Writing | Information texts: Leaflets  Stories Set in my home/ familiar setting.  Letters  Christmas Poems | Instructions and explanations  Traditional tales  Non-chronological reports  Stories from another Culture | Legends  Persuasive Writing  Stories from the recent past  Recounts and Newspapers |
| Opportunities to apply Mathematics | Place Value  Number  Addition and Subtraction  Multiplication and Division | Measurement  Fractions  Geometry | Measurement  Statistics  Four operations |
| Art | Drawing of our local area | Line drawings  Japanese art | Using different materials |
| D and T | Create a hot air balloon  Changing a 2D object to a 3D object | Building a Titanic that doesn’t sink  Cooking  Healthy Eating | Building a space rocket  Levers and pulleys |
| Geography | Local study  Atlas work  Map Work | The journey the Titanic was supposed to take  Comparing different countries  Continents and seas | Locality study and how Glossop has changed from the past. |
| History | Christmas Traditions | Edwardian Britain | Pirates and Ships |
| Computing | Information technology around us  Digital Photography | Robot algorithms  Pictograms | Making music  Programming quizes |
| P.E. | Circuit training  Gymnastics | Dance  OAA | Invasion Games  Athletics |
| Science | Would a dinosaur make a good pet?  Why do we love music? | What materials was the Titanic made of?  How can we grow our own salad? | How can we grow strong like an adventurer? |
| Music | Let Your Spirit Fly  Glockenspiel Stage 1 | Three Little Birds  The Dragon Song | Bringing Us Together  Reflect, Rewind and Replay |
| PHSE | Keeping/ Staying Safe | Computer  Safety | Feelings and emotions  Journey in Love  Y3 |