



Science

We will be continuing our learning about everyday materials. They will be learning about the materials we use for clothing and where the material originates. They will compare the suitability of different materials for different functions and how material can be used when celebrating special occasions.

PE

We will be developing our team skills during Multi-skills. We will be using a range of equipment to score points or goals for our team.

We will also be following a dance program where we will move our bodies to music through history.

Music

We will be continuing to learn to play the ukulele. We will be learning the parts of the instrument and the names of the notes it can play. We will also be playing songs about Queens and singing the national anthem.

We are also learning songs and our play ready for our nativity in December.

Art

In **Art** we will be looking at portraits. We will be having a go at drawing our own self-portraits and portraits of others. We will look at artists such as Da Vinci, Matisse and Warhol who have created portraits. Finally we will be attempting to paint a portrait of our Queen.

Queens



History

In **History** Year 2 will be learning about Queen Victoria, Queen Elizabeth I and Queen Elizabeth II. They will be learning about their reigns, what their similarities and differences. They will discuss what duties a Queen has and what makes a good Queen. They will be researching through the use of paintings, pictures, videos and information texts. They will be looking at the coronation of Queen Elizabeth and studying the clothing worn. They will be using a timeline to sort events into chronological order.

Literacy

We will be reading the 'Snow Queen' by Hans Christian Andersen. We will be thinking carefully about the characters and setting of the story. We will also have the opportunity to write letters to the Snow Queen and write diary entries to show what happened to Kay in the snow palace.

We will be using our learning about Queen Victoria, Queen Elizabeth I and Queen Elizabeth II to write information books. We will be writing facts and adding illustrations.

Maths

In **Numeracy** the children will be returning to solving problems using addition and subtraction and how to do so more efficiently by using their number bonds and counting on and back in multiples of 10. They will also be solving problems using multiplication and division. During this unit their will be a focus on learning their 2, 5 and 10 times tables by drawing on what they know about counting on in these numbers. After this, they will learn about 3D shapes and their properties before looking at symmetrical patterns.

RE

We will be learning about angels. We will think about where angels appear in the Christmas story and what messages they bring. We will also look at images of angels and think about what artists feel about angels. We will draw and paint pictures of how we think angels will appear.