

Year 2 ~ Autumn term 2017

Week 1 - My family

- Introduce ourselves and our family.
- Asking questions ~ interviewing our class adults and family members.
- Looking at the history of my family.
 - Family trees and family stories.
 - Class story ~ Charlie and the Chocolate Factory

Week 2 - The Senses

The importance of our senses and how they help us.

- Hearing ~ music and sound experiments.
- Touch ~ feely boxes, identification and scavenger hunt.
- Sight ~ skimming and scanning skills and experimenting with colours .
- Smell and taste ~ How are they linked? Identifying tastes and smells.

Week 3 - Fabric Faces

DT focus week

- Design
- Practise skills
- Observations
- Creating faces
- Evaluations
- Portrait photography

1st half term

I'm a Miracle!



Week 7 - Hygiene

- How do we keep clean?
- Keeping our teeth clean and healthy ~ Visit from a dental nurse.

Week 4 - Needs for Life

- Basic needs ~ water , food and air.
- MRS GREN ~ the seven characteristics of living things.
- Identifying what is living, dead or has never been alive.

Week 6 - Exercise

What happens to our body when we exercise?

Why is exercise important?

- Heart
- Bones
- Muscle

Week 5 - Food and Diet

- Energy: digestive system
- Cooking vegetable soup ~ visit to Tesco and link to Harvest
- Balanced diet: food types and vitamins
- Preparation for Harvest ~ link to RE and Christian celebrations.

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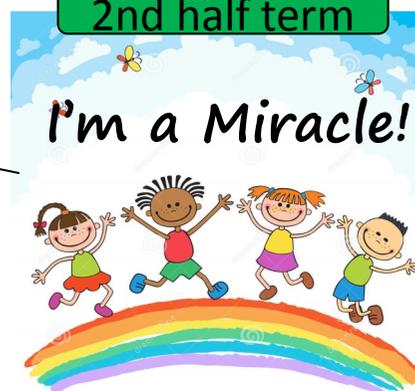
Week 1 and 2 - Nurses

- 2 weeks learning about Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole.
- Visit from nurse
- Understanding the difference between an illness, symptom and prescription.
- Identify ways to increase our own body's protection.

Weeks 5 - 8 - Christmas

- During these weeks we will be focusing on our RE
- Looking at Christians' way of life and their celebrations.
 - Jesus—Who is he?
- We have an exciting Christmas production planned which will provide lots of opportunities to develop our learning in English e.g. different sentence types, carrying out interviews and speaking and listening skills.
 - Christmas art activities.

2nd half term



Week 3—Diversity

- Focusing on different artistic works made by crafts people from different cultures and times.

Week 4—Our location

- Where we are in the world.
 - The school's location
- Looking at maps, routes and instructions.
- Using the vocabulary: North, East, South and West

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