

# Smugglers, Term 4:

## Grow Grow Grow

### Theme

During this term, the children's work will be based around 'The Papaya that Spoke' by Pie Corbett and instructional texts

**Hook:** Practise oral retelling of the story for performance

**Marvellous Middle:** Observational drawings

**Fantastic Finish:** Perform the story for an audience

In **Literacy** we will be learning about:

- Drama and role-play
- Diary writing
- Story writing
- Writing instructions

In **Science** we will be learning about:

- Plants

In **Computing**, Y2 and Y1 will be working on Digital Creativity

In **Art**, we will be studying the artist Georgia O'Keefe

In **Music**, we will be expressing ideas and feelings about music using movement and dance

### SPaG

Y1:

- Common exception words and days of the week
- Letter formation
- Capital letters and full stops
- Regular plural noun suffixes: -s or -es

Y2:

- Capital letters, full stops, question and exclamation marks
- Revision of word classes
- Sentence types
- Past and present tense
- Contractions
- Suffixes: -ment, -ness, -ful, -ly

### Mathematics

- **Y1 Place Value** – count, read and write numbers to 20 in numerals and words; identify one more and one less
- **Y1 Addition and Subtraction** – number bonds; using concrete objects, pictures and mental recall; add and subtract one and two digit numbers
- **Y2 Money** – recognise and use £ and p symbols; combine amounts to make a particular value; find different combinations of coins that equal the same amount of money
- **Y2 Multiplication and Division** – 2, 5 and 10 times tables; odd and even numbers;  $x \div =$  symbols; arrays and repeated addition

**All our maths will be linked to problem solving**

This term we will be developing our  
**REFLECTIVENESS**

### RE

Christianity – Gospel + Judaism

### PE

**Indoor** – Friday

**Outdoor** – Tuesday

**Please ensure your child has a full PE kit: shorts, T-shirt and trainers every week.**

**Plus a spare pair of socks for the girls.**

**Please can you also send in a tracksuit to wear in these colder months. Many thanks.**

### Save the Date

1<sup>st</sup> March – **World Book Day**

27<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> March – **Parents Evening**

29<sup>th</sup> March – **Class photos**

29<sup>th</sup> March – **Easter service**

### Home Learning

- Daily reading
- Literacy or Maths games- alternate weeks
- Spellings as necessary

**Please encourage your child to complete their home learning as this reinforces what they have been learning in school.**