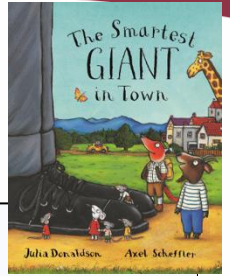




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Core Subjects



English – Our text will be 'The Smartest Giant in Town' by Julia Donaldson. We will be learning about captions, and how we can add them to our story maps to add detail and emphasis.

We will also be focusing on using descriptive language to be able to write detailed sentences to describe the characters and setting of our story.

Mathematics – In mathematics we are working on multiplication and division. We will learn how to count in multiples of 2s, 5s and 10s. We will also learn how to solve one-step problems involving multiplication and division, then moving on to fractions

Other Key Learning

Science

We will be building on from our learning about the environment. We will identify and name a variety of common wild and garden plants, including deciduous and evergreen trees.

Art

We will be studying the work of Henri Matisse. Children will be learning about the process of printing. We will create our own printing tools inspired by Henri Matisse and create a final piece.

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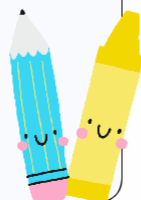
We will be learning about how our needs change as we grow and how our behaviour can affect others. We will learn about harm to the environment and how we can care for our environment, as well as caring for people and animals.

Religious Education

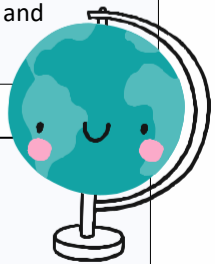
In RE we will be focusing on a new religion—Buddhism. We will learn about Buddhist stories and beliefs and compare them to Christianity.

Geography

We will be learning how to locate the United Kingdom on a world map, as well as learning that it is made up of four countries of which all have a capital city. We will also locate and identify and name the surrounding seas of the U.K.



Useful Information



What can you do to help your child?

We should also be aiming to read at least three times per week. Please ensure reading records are signed when you have read.

Online Resources

Children have access to a number of websites to support their learning such as: Doodle Maths and Spelling Shed.

Please ensure children's reading books and reading records are in school every day. We will change books every Friday. Thank you!

Reminders

PE - Our PE days are on a **Tuesday and a Thursday**.

Earrings should not be worn on PE days either for safety. In Gymnastics, we will be exploring balances in more detail. Children will create a range of balances using different parts of their bodies and increase their confidence when using apparatus.

Thank you for your continued support.

If there is anything else you would like to discuss, please use our class email:
Yr1@clevescrossprimary.org.uk
and somebody will be happy to help.

