Spring 2 – Keeping Healthy & Keeping Safe

Easter

Below are some of the key skills that we will be teaching throughout the curriculum.

Communication and Language	Personal, Social and Emotional Development	Physical Development Games	
 Begin to listen carefully in whole class groups Ask questions to find out more, checking their understanding Talk about keeping healthy and link these to their own experiences Use new vocabulary linked to keeping healthy and life in other countries Begin to orally develop sentences structure, adding detail to their sentences Continue to develop social phrases Engage in story times discussing the plot and the main problem Begin to retell the story, some as exact repetition and some in their own words To begin to use talk to help work out problems linked to science investigations Recognise the patterns in stories, rhymes and songs 	 Encourage children to develop relationships with different children during fun Friday During fun Friday, encourage children to listen to each other and respond to what they say. Identify and name an increasing range of emotions and learn how to manage them effectively. Explore Slinky-linky Snake, showing evidence in the floor book and on display Know and talk about the different foods that we need to eat to be healthy. Learn about oral health and the importance of tooth brushing. 	 Throw and catch balls of different sizes with increasing accuracy Throw a ball at a target with increasing accuracy. Kick a ball at a target with increasing accuracy Further develop the fundamental movement skills of walking, jumping, running, skipping and hopping Develop coordination and balance to engage successfully with throwing and kicking activities To continue to develop good sitting postures through strengthening core muscle strength when working at a table and sitting on the carpet Continue to develop an effective pencil grip which allows accurate letter formation Competently use scissors safely and confidently Continue to develop fine motor skills to use paintbrushes effectively 	

Literacy	Mathematics	Understanding the World	Expressive Arts and Design
 Explore the meaning of new vocabulary Recognise non-fiction books and talk about what they have learnt from the book Begin to use new vocab during role play and class discussions Remember individual letters and begin to read digraphs/trigraphs by saying sounds for them Blend and segment words and consolidate letter sound correspondences Read and harder to read and spell words in simple sentences independently Begin to read cvcc, ccvc and words containing digraphs and trigraphs independently Form lower case and capital letters with increasing accuracy Write cvc words independently Orally rehearse simple sentences, counting how many words are needed Begin to write simple sentences, sounding out words and writing some harder to read and spell words 	 Recite numbers in order to 20 and beyond Recite numbers to 20 forwards and backwards Notice patterns in numbers, focusing on odd and even numbers Consolidate 1:1 correspondence with numbers to 10 leading to numbers to 20 Confidently subitise to 5 using random patterns Match quantities to numerals to 10 Use apparatus to explore the composition of numbers to 10, focusing on doubling Use apparatus to explore the composition of numbers to 10, focusing on halving Use real life context to begin to explore subtraction Write numerals to 10 and beyond To understand the 1 more than /1 less than relationship between consecutive numbers To begin to understand odd and even numbers within 10 	Recognise the similarities and differences between life in this country and life in other countries (Handa's Surprise) Explore the natural world around them. Go on a spring walk around school. How is everywhere changing? Recognise that people have different beliefs and celebrate special times in different ways. Christians celebrating Easter To identify transport that links to the People who help us. Compare transport from emergency services in the past – how have they changed?	Creating simple actions to songs. Learning how to move to a beat expressing feelings and emotions through movement to music To know some rhymes and songs by heart Work towards creating a flat hanging Easter Egg Explore using playdough to roll, squeeze, use a rolling pin, shape using cutter, and use other modelling tools to carve to create a pattern Make salt dough and explore using the above techniques Decorate salt dough Eggs, exploring using different medias eg decoupage, paint, sequins etc Use clay to create Final Easter egg based on what they have explored so far. Decorate the finished Easter egg decoration

 Begin to use finger spaces between each word Write own name independently without looking at a visual prompt Read books to develop word reading and fluency 		
Key Vocab		
See literacy plan for book specific vocabulary.		