




EYFS - Understanding the World

Knowledge Organiser - Once Upon a Time

Key Vocabulary	<u>Geography</u>	<u>History</u>	Key Vocabulary
Geography Seasons Senses Winter World Earth Globe Environment Explore Map Celebrations Christmas Australia China Growing Seeds Soil Water Houghton Conquest Materials Properties Textures Evaluate Waterproof Opaque Translucent Prediction Experiment Evaluation	<p data-bbox="338 331 566 357"><u>The Natural World</u></p>  <p data-bbox="589 400 1061 523">Seasons - We observe the changes in our natural world around us and discuss the changing weather and night/dark in the season of Winter.</p> <p data-bbox="338 639 1061 730">Growing - We plant our own cress seeds, discuss how to look after them and make observations about their growth. We then make our own sandwiches using the cress we have grown.</p> <p data-bbox="338 772 1061 863">Our environment - We look at China and Australia on the globe and discuss the contrasting environments through learning about Chinese New Year celebrations, Aboriginal Art and time zones.</p> <p data-bbox="338 904 1061 1066">Science Experiment - We discuss the properties of different materials and make a prediction as to the best fabric to make a roof for the 3 Little Pigs House. We will carry out the experiment and discuss waterproofing. We will evaluate which fabric would be the strongest for our roof.</p>	<p data-bbox="1113 331 1312 357"><u>Past and Present</u></p> <p data-bbox="1113 400 1823 459">Changes over time - We discuss the castles where the Queen lived and now the new King Charles.</p> <p data-bbox="1113 501 1856 592">Occupations - We look at the role of a doctor, nurse, ambulance service and the Police. Our Houghton Highlight teaches us how to dial for an ambulance or call the police service should we need one.</p> <p data-bbox="1113 633 1856 724">Famous People in the past - We introduce Charles Mackintosh who invented waterproofing whilst we carry out our experiment to find out the best material for a roof of the 3 Little Pigs house.</p> <p data-bbox="1113 766 1856 890">Past and present objects and locations - We discuss China and read a story from the past to find out why they choose a different animal for the New Year. 2023 is the year of the Rabbit.</p> <p data-bbox="1113 932 1856 1066">We also read a variety of fairy tale stories whereby some stories are different. We discuss that the traditional stories have been written in the past and different generations have changed them (like Chinese Whispers) slightly.</p> <p data-bbox="1113 1107 1491 1133"><u>People, Culture and Communities</u></p> <p data-bbox="1113 1174 1856 1299">Communities and Traditions - We share our Christmas news and look at the similarities and differences between our celebrations and traditions. We link this to New Year celebrations and Chinese New Year celebrations.</p>	History Past Present Future Time Christmas Community Environment Chinese New Year Charles Mackintosh Waterproof Queen Elizabeth King Charles Castles Doctor Nurse Police Ambulance Fairy Tales Generations Traditions