

Chestnuts' Medium Term Plan Summer Term 2023 First half- Plants and animals

Week beg.	Communication and language Creative words	Literacy- reading/ writing/ phonics	Mathematics	Understanding the world	PSED/ Scarf (being my best)/ RE	Expressive arts and design Art with SH (see separate plan)	Physical Devt.
17.4.23 Wk1 4 days	Describe events in some detail using past tense Good listening- talk to a partner about your Easter holidays. Remember at least one thing your partner did. FAST	Little Wandle- Phase 4 week 1 English- Easter holiday recount	White Rose- To 20 and beyond Building numbers beyond 10 Counting patterns beyond 10 Spatial reasoning Match, rotate, manipulate ELG- Count beyond 20. Subitise to 5.	Introduce new topic (plants and animals- our natural world)- what do children want to find out? Talk about the differences between things that are natural and man-made.	Scarf- Bouncing back when things go wrong. RE- What does the word 'God' mean? Which people believe in God?	Charanga Music- Big Bear Funk lesson 1	Get set 4PE Gymnastics Woodland skills - what's in my hoop? Follow up from Spring Term
24.4.23 Wk2	Learn and use vocabulary linked to frog life cycle Ask questions linked to life cycles Listen to and talk about non fiction texts	Little Wandle- Phase 4 week 2 English- Frog life cycle/ facts writing Non fiction frog life cycle texts	White Rose- To 20 and beyond Building numbers beyond 10 Counting patterns beyond 10 Spatial reasoning Match, rotate, manipulate ELG- Compare quantities- greater than, less than or same.	Frog life cycle Display	Scarf- Yes I can! RE- What is amazing about the world?	Charanga Music- Big Bear Funk lesson 2 Frog crafts Draw a frog	Get set 4PE Gymnastics Woodland skills - draw a living object. Observational drawing. Frog jumping- how far/high can you jump?
1.5.23 Wk3 4 days Coronation tea party Friday pm	Learn and use vocabulary linked to butterfly life cycle Ask questions linked to life cycles Listen to and talk about non fiction texts	Little Wandle- Phase 4 week 3 English- Butterfly life cycle writing Text- The Very Hungry Caterpillar The Cautious Caterpillar (Twinkl) Non fiction caterpillar/ butterfly life cycle texts	White Rose- To 20 and beyond Building numbers beyond 10 Counting patterns beyond 10 Spatial reasoning Match, rotate, manipulate ELG- Odd and even	Butterfly life cycle Display	Scarf- Healthy eating RE- Which people believe God is the Creator of everything? What do Christians say about God as Creator?	Charanga Music- Big Bear Funk lesson 3 Butterfly/caterpillar crafts Draw a caterpillar and butterfly.	Get set 4PE Gymnastics Woodland skills - Coronation Tea party Butterfly life cycle dance
8.5.23 Wk4 4 days	Ask questions linked to plants	Little Wandle- Phase 4 week 4	White Rose- First, then, now Adding more Taking away Spatial reasoning	What is a plant? What do plants need to grow? Grow cress	Scarf- My healthy mind	Charanga Music- Big Bear Funk lesson 4	Get set 4PE Gymnastics

	Listen to and talk about non fiction texts SLOW	English- Sequencing writing- first, next, then, finally. Text- A seed in need	Compose and decompose. ELG- Doubling	Science Talk- 22: Paper clip painting	RE- Say how and when Christians like to thank their Creator.	Drawing and Painting plants/flowers Bottle top group artwork for display	Woodland skills - Teddy Bear assault course.
15.5.23 Wk5	Describe events in some detail using past tense	Little Wandle- Phase 4 week 5 Tricky/decodable words on laminated carrots in soil English- Oliver's vegetables	White Rose- First, then, now Adding more Taking away Spatial reasoning Compose and decompose Count in 2s ELG- Halving	Growing plants- potatoes/carrots? Science Talk- 16: Marble Run	Scarf- Move your body RE- What do Christians and other people think about the world and how we should treat it?	Charanga Music- Big Bear Funk lesson 5	Get set 4PE Gymnastics Woodland skills - making bubbles.
22.5.23 wk6 Rosemoor trip Monday	Describe events in some detail using past tense	Little Wandle Assessment English- Rosemoor recount	White Rose- First, then, now Shapes Pattern ELG- Pattern	Growing plants- Linked to trip	Scarf- N/A Rosemoor trip RE - Review of what we have learnt in RE over the year so far.	Charanga Music- Big Bear Funk lesson 6	Get set 4PE Gymnastics Woodland skills - design a maze