

Chestnuts' Medium Term Plan Summer Term 2024 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.
15.4.24 Wk1	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 Writing Root- The Tiny Seed	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?
22.4.24 Wk2 Rosemoor trip	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 Writing Root- The Tiny Seed 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?
29.4.24 Wk3	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 Writing Root- The Tiny Seed 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 - Teddy Bear assault course. Butterfly life cycle dance
6.5.24 Wk4 4 days	Ask questions linked to plants Listen to and talk about non fiction texts SLOW	Little Wandle- Phase 4 week 4 Writing Root- The Extraordinary Gardener	White Rose- First, then, now Adding more Taking away Spatial reasoning Compose and decompose. ELG- Doubling	What is a plant? What do plants need to grow? Grow cress Science Talk- 22: Paper clip painting	Scarf- My healthy mind RE- Say how and when Christians like to thank their Creator.	Charanga Music- Big Bear Funk lesson 4 Drawing and Painting plants/flowers Bottle top group artwork	Get set 4PE Gymnastics Woodland skills - Making bubbles.

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13.5.24 Wk5	Describe events in some detail using past tense	Little Wandle- Phase 4 week 5 Tricky/decodable words on laminated carrots in soil Writing Root- The Extraordinary Gardener	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 - design a maze.
20.5.24 wk6	Describe events in some detail using past tense	Little Wandle Assessment Writing Root- The Extraordinary Gardener	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 - tree rubbing.