

# **Unit of Learning:** Dark and Light

<u>Term:</u> Autumn 2 2023 - 2024

Class: KS1

# Successful Learners

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Areas of Enquiry	Key Vocabulary	Reading	Enrichments
In DT we will focus on:  1. Exploring a variety of greetings cards and pictures with moveable elements.  2. Learning how to make moveable parts on a card/picture – pop ups, sliders, levers  3. Designing, making and evaluating a greetings card.  In Music we will focus on:  1. Developing the skills for singing an assortment of day and night time themed songs.  2. Exploring the musical concept of tempo through simple graphic scores and compositions.  In PSHE we will focus on:-  1. Exploring different ways in which to keep healthy, in particular what goes in and on our bodies – non-food items.  2. Understanding safety rules around medicines and unknown substances.  3. Knowing what drugs are – medicinal, non-medicinal  4. Knowing what to do in an emergency – the role of the emergency services.  5. Keeping safe in the dark.  In RE we will focus on:-  1. Exploring why we give and receive gifts and the feelings experienced.  2. Understanding the true meaning of Christmas – Jesus was a gift from God.  3. Knowing the story of St. Nicholas and the Spanish festival of the 3 kings.  In PE we will focus on:-  1. Developing dance skills with "Diddi dance"  2. Developing gymnastic skills of jumping, rolling, balancing and travelling  3. Creating a sequence to use on apparatus.  In History we will focus on:-  1. Learning the story of the Gun Powder Plot.  2. Finding out about the life of Guy Fawkes.  3. Learning about the link between the Gunpowder Plot and Hornby Castle.  In Science we will focus on:-  1. We will be looking at what humans need to survive.  2. The types of food we should be eating.  3. Why exercise is important.  In Computing we will focus on:  1. Creating digital paintings.  2. Using tools to create digital art.  3. Comparing painting a picture on a computer and on paper.	Paper, card, fold, crease, bend, lever, slot, slider, tab, parallel, template, cut, punch, hole punch, scissors, ruler, straight, curved, brass fastener, treasury tag, 2D plane, linear, circular motion  Music  Expression, fluency, tempo, speed, fast, moderate, slow, getting faster, getting slower, beat, rhythm, composition, score  PSHE  Medicine, pills, tablets, drugs, alcohol, smoking, tobacco, cigarettes, vaping, chemist, doctor, prescription, reflective, emergency, ambulance, fire brigade, police  RE  Gift, Wisemen, Magi, Jesus, promise, Messiah, nativity, Christmas, St. Nicholas, Spain, festival  PE  travel, create, perform, sequence, direction, action, frog, bunny, hop caterpillar, bear, crab, pencil roll, egg roll, teddy roll, straight, tuck, wide, curve, star, balance, arch, dish, bench, mat, nesting table, hoop  History:  Gunpowder plot, Guy Fawkes, London, catholic, fireworks, Houses of Parliament, guard, Kin James, conspirators, gunpowder, bonfire.  Science:  Offspring, grow, adults, water, food, air, exercise, hygiene, nutrition, reproduce.  Computing: freehand, tools, shape, digital, paint, edit, improve, erase, compare.	"On a dark, dark, night" – Ruth Brown  "This is the bear and the scary night" – Sarah Heyes  "Owl babies" – Martin Wadell  "Can't you sleep little bear?" – Martin Wadell  "Funnybones" – A. Ahlberg  "The very noisy night"  Class novel:" The owl who was afraid of the dark"	French Christmas Day Christmas Activity Day Christmas Play Panto theatre trip

## Responsible Citizens

### **Taking Responsibility**

We will take responsibility for ourselves when in risky situations and when keeping ourselves healthy.

#### **Christian & British Values**

Our current Christian value is **joy.** We will be looking at ways we can bring joy to other people and our wider community.

Our British value for this half term is: **To Know that we are special.** 

We respect the culture and beliefs of others.

#### In Our Community

Locally: We will be meeting up and getting to know about our local RSPCA

Nationally: We will be raising awareness of our charity for this year the RSPCA.

Globally: We will be learning about Inter Faith week.