

## Languages, Literacy & Communication

- Roald Dahl- James and the Giant Peach
- Welsh author
- Recount
- Diary entry
- Letter writing
- Persuasive writing to visit New York/ the peach in Central Park
- Hot seating characters
- Character point of view writing
- Create your own life-sized characters
- Debate- arguments for and against entering the peach

## Welsh

Oracy- Revise all previous language patterns. Talk about self in the present and past tense.

Reading - Practice reading aloud independently, sequence a dialogue and Match questions and answers.

Writing - Write personal profiles, write an email, create an imaginary postcard, write about someone else and to write a paragraph from fact files.

## Expressive Arts

Use watercolours to create the world

Observational drawings of fruit

Paper mache model of a giant peach

Pastel shading- shades and tones of different peaches

Explore Paul Klee

Create a New York skyline using Adobe Express-

Elements- icons (search texture, ctrl duplicate), remove background

## Mathematics & Numeracy

New York- dollars and pounds conversions

Budget a trip to New York- cost flights and hotels

Weighing different fruits

Data handling- favourite fruits

Measure height, weight, circumferences of different peaches

Compass directions

Coordinates

Time of journey - start time, end time, durations

Through our daily maths activities, we will also practice our number bonds to 100, place value, the 2, 3, 4 and 5 times tables, doubling and halving and will revise mental strategies for addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.

**Year 3 Autumn Term 2024**

**Topic: World of Words**

**Roald Dahl**



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## Health & Well-being

REAL PE

RSE- Relationships and Identity

James and the Giant Peach- explore feelings, empathy and respect

Healthy eating- fruit

Friendships

Explore different families/ relationships and link to James being looked after by his aunts.

## Humanities

Roald Dahl's birthday- 13th September

Map of New York

Advertise the peach as a tourist attraction

Compass directions

New York landmarks

Influential people in New York

## RVE

Values:

- Trust
- Humility

Understanding Christianity-

Creation/ Fall

What do Christians learn from the Creation story?

## Science & Technology

What material is the best to make a parachute?

Forces- what forces are involved when a peach rolls down the hill? Is there any friction?

Floating and sinking- different fruits

Explore different fruits on trees and look at how things grow.

Investigate the minibeasts in the story.

Design and create a webpage on New York using Adobe Express.

Create a newspaper article using Google Docs.

Insert text boxes, change fonts and sizes.

Create a fruit database using J2data and include origin, weight, length, picture.

## **Other information:**

- P.E- Monday
- Spellings will be set on Spelling Shed every Friday and tested the following Friday.
- Homework will be set on Google Classroom every Friday. Please 'hand in' by the following Wednesday.
- Reading books will be changed every week on the children's individual reading days.
- Twitter- @MrsHarrisHCIW

**This curriculum map was built with the children using their thoughts and ideas for our new topic.**