

English



Year 1

Term: Summer 2 –2024



**“Our community, growing
and learning together with Christ”**

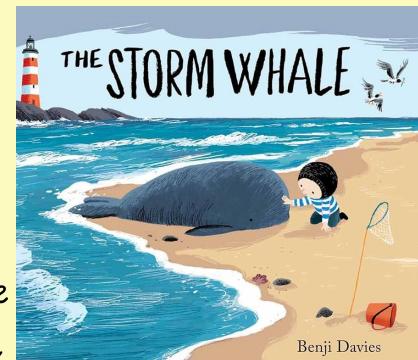
The Storm Whale by Benji Davies

Fiction Unit: Narrative

This is the story of a lonely little boy, a whale washed up on a beach and a friendship that will change both their lives forever. An evocative and sensitive tale that will allow adults and children to talk openly about feeling lonely and saying goodbye to a loved one.

Skills: Consolidation of previously taught skills with a focus on: Use present and past tense sometimes correctly and consistently and Begin to use -er, -est to adjectives (no root word change).

Spelling Focus: New consonant spelling 'ph' and 'wh', Adding the prefix -un, Adding s and es to words, Compound words, Read words with contractions, Common Exception Words.



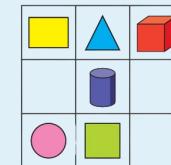
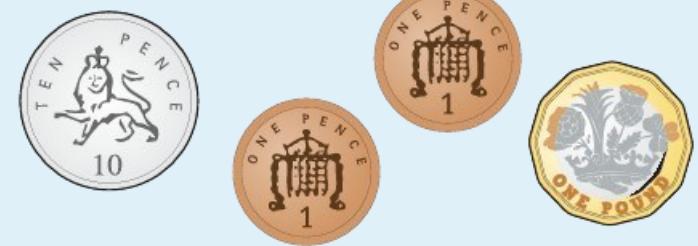
Money:

Unitising

Recognise coins

Recognise notes

Count in coins



above
below
to the left of
to the right of

Position and Direction:

Describe turns

Describe position – left and right

Describe position – forwards and backwards

Describe position – above and below

Ordinal numbers



A

B

Time:

Before and after

Days of the week

Months of the year Hours, minutes and seconds

Tell the time to the hour

Tell the time to the half hour

Art

Sculpture and 3D: Paper Play
This unit introduces pupils to paper-based 3D art forms, focusing on techniques like rolling paper tubes, shaping paper strips, and constructing imaginative sculptures. Children develop skills in creating 3D



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Computing

Online Safety:

Using the internet safely, Online emotions, Always be kind and considerate, Posting and sharing online, Discussing how much time should we spend technology.



D.T.

Textiles — puppets:
Explore methods of joining fabric.
Design and make a character-based hand puppet using a preferred joining technique, before decorating.

Geography

Local Area Study:

Learn about rural and urban areas and learn to use fieldwork to identify and record the main features of our school grounds. We shall collect data, recognise map symbols and create our own map.

History

Intrepid Explorers:

We shall look at important explorers from Captain Scott to Christopher Columbus to Ibn Battuta and more recently the astronaut Tim Peake.

Music

Pitch and tempo:

Theme: Superheroes

Understanding pitch, patterns, the concept of tempo and creating a superhero theme tune, performing as part of a group.

P.E.

Health and Wellbeing:
Coordination, Balance and Agility. Balance and distribution of weight, what agility means and how to move quickly and easily, co-ordination and the ability to use different parts of the body together efficiently.

R.S.E.

Religious Understanding: The Good Samaritan will be introduced to the concept of the Trinity – God as a three in one community of love – and think about what the Trinity means for them.

Living in the Wider World: Learn about the different local and global communities that they are part of, and what rights and responsibilities come with belonging to these communities.

Religion

Sharing Jesus' life:

Understanding the way in which we are called to share in the Life of Jesus.

Following Jesus today:

What it means to follow Jesus today. How we belong to the Church.

Science

Animals including Humans: Identify similarities and differences between difference animals. Children will also look at the diets of different animals and compare these. Finally, children will focus on humans, identifying body parts and linking these to senses as well as discussing the similarities and differences between humans.