

History

In history we will begin our learning with an inspirational visit from artist and historian Jeffrey Andrews who will help us learn about toys from Victorian times. We will then compare old and new toys, making links to science when we discuss what they are made out of. We will also look at putting toys in the chronological order of when they were made.

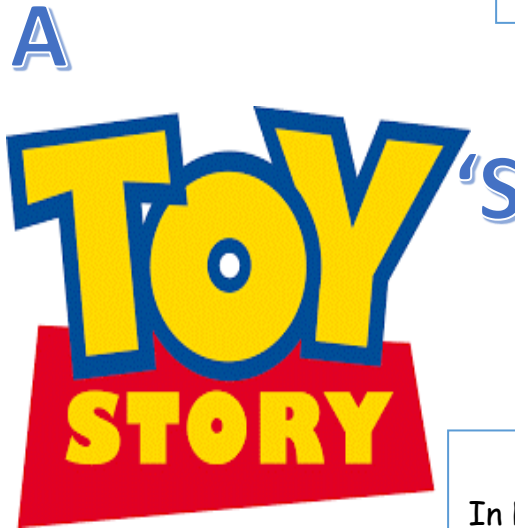
Music

In Music we will be learning toy themed songs and accompanying them with different instruments. We will also be busy learning songs for our mini Christmas service at St James church!

PE

In PE we will be working with our resident Sports coach on our gymnastic skills. This will include looking at creating sequences and different routines using balances. We will also be doing a unit of PE based around orienteering skills! This will include looking at compass points, learning about map symbols and using maps to navigate obstacle courses!

Autumn 2 Term
in Year 1
Amethyst and Emerald
Class



Computing

In Computing we will be exploring 'Digital Art' using the Purple Mash website. We will continue to practice our mouse control and keyboard skills.

Science

In Science we will be looking at different materials and their properties. This will include learning how to identify and sort what things are made from. We will look at why certain materials were chosen to make toys and carry out an experiments to test our ideas.

Art and Design Technology

In Art we will have a go at sketching our favourite toys using sketching pencils, learning how to use them correctly and different techniques to create light and darker strokes. We will also be making and designing our own playgrounds!

RE

In RE we will be thinking about how some favourite stories, including stories from religions / worldviews give people a message on how to live. We will look at which books and stories are important to

PSHE

In our PSHE sessions we will be 'Celebrating Differences'. This will include looking at similarities and differences between us, thinking about how we make friends and how to resolve conflicts.