



Rhymes and Riddles



Hercules Term 1

	Activities	EYFS	Year 1
English	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Learning and reciting nursery rhymes and poems (focus rhyme each week). ➤ Discussing word meaning in rhymes/poems and thinking of other words with the same meaning (synonyms). ➤ Creating our own rhymes, poems and stories. <p>EYFS – Orally Year 1 – Writing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Creating pictures to go with the rhymes we hear/read (Reading comprehension) 	<p>Phonic Phase 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Learning the sounds that letters make. ➤ Identifying the initial sound in a word. ➤ Beginning to blend (read) and segment (spell) simple words. ➤ Give meaning to the makes they make, beginning to form some recognisable letters. ➤ Matching rhyming words, then continuing a rhyming string. 	<p>Phonics Phase 3 (recap) & 4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Learning letter sounds and names (the alphabet). ➤ Reading simple sentences. ➤ Sight reading some common exception words. ➤ Forming all letters correctly. ➤ Writing sentences independently, using correct punctuation and leaving a space between words. ➤ Sequencing sentences to form short narratives. ➤ Rereading and editing their own work.
Mathematics (Write Rose)	<p>Number rhymes.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ 5 Little Ducks (one less/subtraction) ➤ One Little Elephant (one more/addition) ➤ 10 green bottles (counting backwards) ➤ The animals went in 2 by 2 (year 1 counting forward in twos) ➤ Ten fat sausages (year 1 Counting backwards to twos) ➤ Baker's Shop (money) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Saying numbers in sequence. ➤ Counting accurately (one to one correspondence) ➤ Beginning to recognise numerals and match to quantity. ➤ Shapes ➤ Patterns ➤ Money 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Place Value ➤ Comparing numbers ➤ Addition (number bonds) ➤ Subtraction ➤ Geometry – Shape ➤ Writing and representing numbers. ➤ Patterns ➤ Counting to twos (forwards and backwards) ➤ Money
Science	<p><u>Seasonal Changes</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Listening to poems about the four seasons. ➤ Learning about changes across the four seasons. ➤ Learning about the weather. 		

History	<p><u>Changes with Living Memory</u> Looking at the illustrations in the book PEEPO! Talking about the pictures that look different to our homes now (e.g. the tin bath, the coal fire, the radio). Developing a curiosity about changes within living memory and the ways in which we can find out about these changes.</p>
Geography	<p>Learning about weather patterns in the UK (science link) London Bridge is falling down – Where is London? Why is it an important city? Learning about all capital cities in the UK and identifying where they are on a map.</p>
Art Design and Technology	<p>Exploring colour and texture as we create pictures of nursery rhymes. Exploring different illustrations of the same famous nursery rhyme characters. Weekly nursery Rhyme Construction Challenges.</p>
Music	<p>Performing nursery rhymes. Exploring rhythm and rhyme. Learning to tap rhythms and use simple musical instruments. Weekly music lessons.</p>
Computing	<p>Internet Safety Keyboard skills Interactive games</p>
RE	<p>Belonging – What does it mean to belong? Being Special Visit to the Church</p>
PSHE	<p>Our Happy School - New Beginnings This unit is all about a fresh start with a new class, nurturing a sense of belonging, recognising diversity and establishing class rules and rewards.</p>