



# Rhymes and Riddles



Hercules Term 1

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

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>