

Curriculum Information for the Spring Term 2

Year 1 : Miss Brooks



Our topic this term is:

Rio da Vida

Key Class Information: PE will be on a Tuesday.

Main Subject Areas: Geography, DT, Art, Music, PE

WOW MOMENT

Rio carnival day!

ENGAGE PHASE

During this phase, the children will ...

- Hear myths and legends from Brazil
- Find Brazil on the map
- Discover Samba music and learn the instruments of the samba band
- Create our own masks and headdresses using pictures as inspiration!

DEVELOP PHASE

During this phase, the children will ...

- Explore a range of percussion instruments and discuss their sounds.
- Create our own musical instruments
- Learn about National Anthems
- Discover different flags and discuss the meaning of them.
- Create our own flag

INNOVATE PHASE

During this phase, the children will ...

- Create games to use on our Mini carnival day to celebrate spring!
- Discuss different celebrations and their meanings
- Learn some basic samba moves

EXPRESS PHASE

During this phase, the children will ...

- Reflecting on our carnival with photos
- Create our own samba song using our instruments
- Create a display to celebrate our topic
- Learn simple phrases in Portuguese

English Skills

- Using adjectives in a sentence
- Writing our own legends and myths
- Discuss what is happening in a picture.
- Using conjunctions
- Using exclamation marks and question marks.

Maths Skills

- Adding and Subtracting within 50
- Time
- Using the 'Make 10' strategy to solve problems

Homework Tasks

- Daily reading at home
- Weekly spellings to practise
- Daily sound practice.

CELEBRATION EVENT

Perform a body percussion song in assembly to the whole school!