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This half term's topic is:

'Little Explorers

Key Words

Seasons, Winter, Spring, Summer, Autumn, rocks, soil, explore, same, different, feelings,

Understanding the World

We will be learning about rocks and soils. We will be exploring different textures and using our skills to describe what we see and feel. We're also going to make a volcano....WOW!! —

Expressive Arts

Art: We will be exploring a different season each week in Art lessons—lots of opportunities for experiencing 'hot' and 'cold', water activities and Spring flowers. Music: Our Music lessons will include opportunities to respond to beats, patterns and lyrics in a range of songs relating to seasons.

Visits Out

We will be visiting our usual range of locations linked to our learning, including an 'explorer' style walk at Saltwells nature Reserve. Green Class will enjoy a weekly visit to Forest School

Physical Development

Gross motor skills: Pupils will experience Gymnastics activities and will use equipment including floor mats, hoops, parachutes and blankets. Soft Play sessions will continue on Thursday afternoons.

Fine Motor Skills: Pupils will have opportunities to explore rocks and soils by sieving, digging and building.

PSED

Our focus in PSHE is 'Diversity' we'll be looking at what makes us all unique.

Food Technology: We will be making foods from different British countries including England, Wales and Scotland.

Home learning

Explore a world map or a globe if you have one—can you find the UK? Go for a walk and 'explore' by using your senses—what can you see and smell? On line 'explore' google maps https://maps.google.co.uk—can you find your own house? We are keen to hear about how pupils engage with each topic at home. Please feel free to send notes and photographs into school