

Science

- I know how to carry out simple scientific investigations and make predictions.
- I know how to ask simple questions and recognise that they can be answered in different ways.
- I know scientific vocabulary.
- I know how to observe and share ideas to suggest answers to questions.

Writing

- I know to use some diagonal and horizontal strokes to join letters.
- I know to use clear differentiation between ascenders and descenders
- I know to choose and use alternative spelling patterns for the vowel sounds and understand the correct placement for these within a word.
- I know to use an apostrophe for omissions (contractions)
- I know other spelling patterns from English Appendix 1 in their writing
- I know to use an apostrophe for possession.
- I know to use past and present tense consistently in my work.
- Can use sentences with different forms e.g. statement, exclamation, question or command

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- I know that the Gurdwara is the place of worship for Sikhs.
- I know that the Guru Granth Sahib contains teachings of Gurus.
- I know the story of Vaisakhi

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Knowledge

Design and Technology

- I know how to create a product using a wheel and axle mechanism.
- I know how to use woodworking tools with support to create a wheel and axle.
- I know how to secure a wheel and axle mechanism to a product.
- I know how to follow health and safety procedures when using the woodworking equipment.
- I know how to chop food using the claw grip.

Geography

- I know how to express my views about a place, people or environment.
- I know the name of a non-European country and locate it on a map.
- I know some facts about some physical features of a non-European country.

Maths

Statistics

I know how to interpret and create tally charts, tables, block diagrams and pictograms.

Multiplication

I know how to count in 2s, 5s and 10s.

I know how to recognise, make and add equal groups.

I know how to make arrays.

I know how to write multiplication sentences.

I know that multiplication is commutative.

Money

I know the different coins and notes.

I know how to count and compare amounts of money.

PSHE

- I know how to set a realistic goal and persevere to achieve it.
- I know how to work with a team and understand my role within it.
- I know how to work in a group to create an end product.

History

- I know some of the different ways in which the past has been represented.
- I know how to describe significant historical events, people and places locally.
- I know how to put artefacts in chronological order, and give reasons for my answers.

Computing

- I know where a robot will end up after following a series of instructions.
- I know if my instructions have been successful or unsuccessful.
- I know I can create different algorithms using the same commands.

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Art

- I know that I can use techniques such as moulding and carving.
- I know how to use different modelling tools to create different effects on clay.
- I know how to use clay and other mouldable materials with purpose.
- I know how to work in the style of a famous artist.

Music

- I know the names of some of the instruments.
- I know how to create a musical story using appropriate instruments and body percussion.
- I know how to perform a musical story matching movements and sounds.

Physical Education

- I know the skills required for target games such as throwing, catching, rolling, hitting a target, dribbling with both hands and feet and kicking a ball.
- I know the rules for basic target games.
- I know how to create a sequence of movements for a dance performance.