

## Contexts for Learning

### Languages, literacy and communication:

Languages connect us.

- Learning greetings in different languages.

Understanding languages is the key to understanding the world around us.

- Letters and Sounds
- Guided Reading
- Handa's Surprise

Expressing ourselves through language is key to communication.

- Autumn poems
- Create a menu for a Christmas party
- Letters to Father Christmas
- Presenting a celebration for 'Show and Tell'.

Literature fires imagination and inspires creativity.

- Little Red Hen
- Handa's Surprise
- Handa's Hen
- We're going on a Lion Hunt
- Elephant Dance A Journey to India
- Catch that Goat - A Market Day in Nigeria
- Soon
- We All Went on Safari (A counting journey through Tanzania)
- Anna Hibiscus' Song
- Flower in the Snow
- Little Red and the Very Hungry Lion
- My Granny Went to Market - Around the world counting rhyme

### Science and Technology:

Being curious and searching for answers is essential to understanding and predicting phenomena.

Design thinking and engineering offer technical and creative ways to meet society's needs and wants.

- Making masks / headdress for Carnival celebration
- Making African drums

The world around us is full of living things which depend on each other for survival.

Matter and the way it behaves defines our universe and shapes our lives.

- Make bread
- Make birthday cupcakes
- Make fruit smoothies

Forces and energy provide a foundation for understanding our universe.

Computation is the foundation for our digital world.

- Follow instructions for Folk Dancing

### Mathematics and Numeracy:

The number system is used to represent and compare relationships between numbers and quantities.

- Place Value
- Addition & Subtraction

Algebra uses symbol systems to express the structures of mathematical relationships.

Geometry focuses on relationships involving shapes, space and position, and measurement focuses on quantifying phenomena in the physical world.

- Shape

Statistics represent data, probability models chance, and both support informed inferences and decisions.

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### Health and Wellbeing:

Developing physical health and well-being has lifelong benefits.

- PE
- Folk dancing

How we process and respond to our experiences affects our mental health and emotional well-being.

- Incredible years / Jigsaw

Our decision-making impacts on the quality of our lives and the lives of others.

- Value - Making friends

How we engage with social influences shapes who we are and affects our health and well-being.

- Teddy Bears Birthday Party Role Play area

Healthy relationships are fundamental to our well-being.

- How people celebrate.
- How to be a good friend.
- Special family times
- Lion masks (hands with compliments)

### Expressive Arts:

Exploring the expressive arts is essential to developing artistic skills and knowledge and it enables learners to become curious and creative individuals.

- Samba drumming workshop. Welsh Folk Dancing workshop.
- Jeremy Thomas - Local Artist
- Rangoli Art

Responding and reflecting, both as an artist and audience, is a fundamental part of learning in the expressive arts.

Creating combines skills and knowledge, drawing on the senses, inspiration and imagination.

- Welsh Folk dancing performance
- Create artwork inspired by Jeremy Thomas
- Create Rangoli patterns
- Make decorations/headaddress for a party
- Outdoor - Leaf Lions
- Lion masks

### Humanities:

Enquiry, exploration and investigation inspire curiosity about the world, its past, present and future.

- African Role Play Area
- Venezuelan Carnival Celebration

Events and human experiences are complex, and are perceived, interpreted and represented in different ways.

- Digital presentation of my likes and dislikes. (Link to DCF).

Our natural world is diverse and dynamic, influenced by processes and human actions.

Human societies are complex and diverse, and shaped by human actions and beliefs.

- Welsh folk dancing
- Traditions/celebration in our community, Wales and the wider world.

Informed, self-aware citizens engage with the challenges and opportunities that face humanity, and are able to take considered and ethical action.