

Curriculum Map
Year 2
Term 4 2021
The Owl and The Pussycat
By Edward Lear

English

Poetry: The genre of **Nonsense Verse** – with a focus on the writings of Edward Lear. Comparison with a contemporary nonsense poet: Michael Rosen.

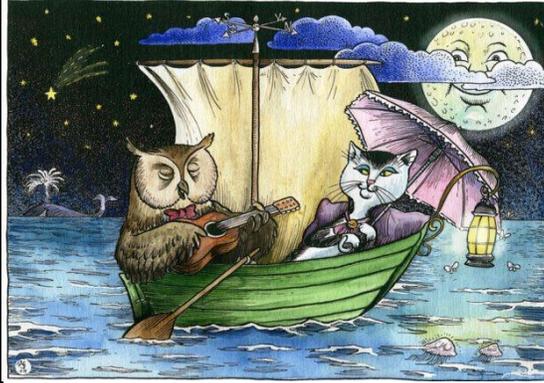
Non-Fiction: Persuasive writing:

Cross curricular link to History: **Emmeline Pankhurst** who was the leader of the British suffragette movement.

Spelling and Grammar

Spelling Patterns: Formation of nouns using **suffixes** such as ness, er. Formation of adjectives using suffixes such as: ful, and less.

Apostrophes to mark contracted forms in spelling. **Commas** to separate items in a list.



Maths

Fractions: Recognise, find, name and write fractions of a shape. We will continue to master the four number operations: addition, subtraction, multiplications and division with an emphasis on problem solving and reasoning. **Useful Games:**

<https://uk.splashlearn.com/fraction-games>

<https://mathsframe.co.uk/en/resources/resource/116/telling-the-time>

Scientific and technological understanding

Focus: Growing plants and observing plant growth.

RE –Big Question! The Easter Story

using The Big Question: **How is Easter Important for The Church?**

Sequencing the Easter Story Speaking and listening-present a poem or prayer to others effectively.

Music

Focus Song: I Wanna Play In A Band

Skills: Learn about singing together and playing together as an ensemble. Develop use of a few key musical notes to play simple songs
 Glockenspiel/Xylophone

Computing

Coding and programming

Scratch Junior Intro

E Safety

PSHE

Jigsaw- Healthy Living
 Outcome D&T Task: Design a healthy fruit kebab

History

Lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national/international achievements: Focus on **Emmeline Pankhurst**
 Answer key questions: Who was she? When and where did she live? Why is she important? Why do we remember her? What is her legacy?

PE

DANCE

-Plan, perform and repeat sequences
 -Hear the beat of music; movement pattern development; to communicate mood, feelings or ideas.

Fundamental movement skills to form one session a week

Things to do at home with your child

Please help your child to learn their times tables, especially 2, 5 and 10 facts the and the related division facts. Practise your set spellings each week.

Explore the genre of Nonsense Verse. Look at your Nursey Rhymes collections. Revisit. Dr. Seuss. Visit these websites:

[Michael Rosen Poems about my Family](#)
[.Read Dr. Seuss stories online](#)

Art & Design

Art: Focus Artist: Vincent Van Gogh-
 By the Sea Seascapes and making our own seaside scenes. Explore how Van Gogh created his distinct style in his oil paintings e.g. creating mood using colour, explore texture using a variety of tools and through technique of brushstrokes