

Year 1: Spring 2 (February & March)

Topic: On the Farm (Science)

- Can you tell me the name of the **seasons** and which months are in each? (*spring, summer, autumn, winter*)
- What is the **weather** like in each season and how does the **length of the day** change? (*fog, frost, snow, cloudy, showers, leaf fall, buds, blossom*)
- Can you tell me which **animals** might live on a **farm**? (*cows, sheep, pigs, chickens, geese, horse, donkey*)
- Where do they **live** and what do they **eat**? (*farm, shelter, field, coop, pond, stable, sty, straw/ hay, grain*)
- Can you **describe** the body of a **mammal** and a **bird**? (*head, beak, lips, tail, legs, wings, feet, hoofs, claws, skin, fur, feathers*)
- Can you tell me the **names** of some **young** farm animals? (*pig/piglet, cow/bull/calf, sheep/lamb, chick/hen/rooster, duck/duckling, horse/foal, donkey/kid*)
- How do **mammals** care for their **young**? (*womb, Birth, Mothers Milk, warmth, protect, feed*)
- Can you tell me which other **food** comes from **animal**? (*dairy, vegetarian, meat, chicken, steak & beef, lamb, pork, bacon & ham*)
- Can you tell me some things that a **farmer** might **grow** on his farm? (*crops, wheat, sowed, harvested, ploughed, tractor, plough, grain, ground/grind/mill*)
- Can you tell me some **foods** that are made from **grains** like **wheat**? (*bread, noodles, pasta, biscuits, cakes, cookies, pastries, cereal bars, wheat, rye, barley*)
- How do you **make bread**? (*bread, flour, wholemeal (multi grain), fibre, dough, knead, rest, roll, bake, oven*)
- Where does **fruits** come from? (*fruit, tree/ bush, bud, blossom/flower, seed/stone/pips*)
- Can you tell me some **fruits** that are grown in **hotter countries**?
- Can you tell me which **vegetables** you **grew** in school and how you **cared for** the **plants**?

Computing: Programming Toys

- What is an **algorithm**?
- What happens if the **instructions** are not in the correct **sequence**?
- How can you find errors in a **sequence**?
- How do you give **Beebots** instructions?

Art: On the Farm - Mixed Media Landscapes

- What different drawing materials can we use? What effects can we make using different drawing materials?
- What is a landscape?
- What colours can you see in the different seasons?
- What are the primary colours? How can we mix primary colours to make the secondary colours?
- What is collage? Which materials can we use to make a collage of a farm?

Music:

- Can you Make long and short sounds with a percussion instrument?
- Can you tell me the name of 3 percussion instruments? (e.g. shakers, maracas, castanets, agogo, tambourine, chime bars, rain sticks)
- Can you name a genre of music and its country of origin that uses percussion instruments (e.g. percussion ensemble, tribal music – Latin America, Asia and the Middle East)
- Can you name up to 4 composers that focus on percussion (e.g. Dave Maric, Colin Currie, TS Nandakumar, Evelyne Glennie)

DT: Textiles (Finger puppets)

- Can you tell me about your design?
- Who is your puppet for?
- What do you like/not like about your puppet?

RE: Christianity (continuation)

- Why do some people like to **celebrate** important events?
- What happens at **Easter**?
- How do **Christians** celebrate **Easter**?
- Can you recall symbols used in the **Christian celebration** of **Easter**?