Medium Term Plan Year 2 Term: Autumn 2022/23 Topic Title: Does the lion sleep at night?

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	Suggested Activities	Enrichment Activities	Writing Opportunities	Numeracy- Application of skills	ICT- Application of skills	Global links	Assessment
Science	Animals including humans: Living things and their habitats, off-spring, food chains and basic needs of survival, inc. exercise and healthy eating	Make a video of animal facts Visit to Northumberland Zoo	Animal fact files Creative writing linked with literacy based texts: The Papaya that Spoke. (Talk for writing) Handa's Surprise Meerkat Mail	Measuring Predict, plan, test	We are researchers	Awareness raising- compose and ask thought provoking questions at the zoo surrounding enrichment activities and animal quality of life.	
STEM	Measure, cut, sticking techniques	Craft and design techniques to develop cutting and sticking - 3D junk modelling	Fact file about an African animal.	Measure accurately			Significant individual who has contributed globally: Nelson Mandela & Rosa Parks -fought for change. continuity & change Respecting similarities and differences Significant event beyond living memory. How the Victorian Era influenced Christmas today and exploring toys from the past. Respecting similarities and differences

History	Continuity and change How did the Victorian Era influence Christmas? Research Victorian Christmas traditions. Enquiry in to the lives of significant individuals. Research and compare the life of Queen Victoria and Elizabeth. Lives of significant individuals who have contributed to international achievements - Significant individual who has contributed globally: Nelson Mandela & Rosa Parks -fought for change.	African chants and Gumboot dancing, learn djembe	Write a letter to Santa as a Victorian child Analyse Nelson Mandela's quotes and share opinions.	Measuring Symmetry Direction	Internet research	
Geography	Map skills - locating continents & countries. Use an atlas to locate Africa on a map and research it's countries- the weather, climate in relation to the Equator. Use an atlas to identify and create African flags. Identify similarities and differences -lifestyles & culture, including empathy in relation to life in the UK.	Make tribal shields, masks & jewellery. African chants and Gumboot dancing, learn djembe Visit to Kirkley Zoo.		Distance Scale on a map Count to ten in an African language. Create symmetrical tribal shields.	Google Earth & Maps	
Art	Study African artists e.g. Stephen Njenga & Guiseppe Archimbolo	Create work in the style of artists				

Music	Listen to African music: Folksongs Create and experiment with sound - African drumming	Create own music using instruments and body parts		Repeated patterns	Use Chrome Music Lab to create percussion and music.	
D/T	Research and design techniques of African masks, shields and jewellery. Research Victorian Christmas decorations Produce creative works - Researching food groups.	Make African shields, masks and jewellery. Design and make a Victorian Christmas decoration. Making a healthy wrap.	Describe African habitats Instructions	Measuring Symmetry Measuring Predict, plan, test		
RE	Judaism Christmas time	The Story of Moses				
PHSE	Getting to know each other Communities	Compare life to that of an African village child			Word	