**YEAR 1 – Term 1 Planning – Dragons, Knights and Castles (History/ Geography)**

**Cross Curricular: Writing:**

Pupils to write a setting and story based around a castle!

**NC Objectives:**

* To write and compose sentences independently to convey ideas
* To write short sentences and sequencing them to form narratives
* To discuss what he/she has written with the teacher or other pupils

**Cross Curricular: Computing**

We are story tellers

**NC Objectives:**

* Use technology purposefully to create and retrieve digital content

E-Safety:

* Use technology safely and respectfully

**Cross Curricular: Reading:**

**Jack and The Beanstalk and George and the dragon**

**NC Objectives:**

* To be able to read aloud accurately with books that are consistent with developing phonic knowledge
* To be able to retell some of a familiar story/rhyme when being read to by an adult
* To develop pleasure in reading, particularly fairy stories and traditional tales

**History NC Objectives:**

* Place known events and objects in chronological order
* Use common words or phrases relating to the passing of time
* Ask and answer relevant basic questions about the past
* Find answers to some simple questions about the past from simple sources of information

**Geography NC Objectives:**

* Ask simple geographical questions e.g.: what is it like to live in this place?

**Educational visit:**

Windsor Castle

**PSHE:**

Safety and Hygiene

**NC Objectives:**

* I know the importance of personal hygiene- regular washing, bathing, showering, brushing teeth
* I know how to look after my body

**Cross Curricular: SMSC**

* Helping students develop personal qualities which are valued in a civilised society - for example, thoughtfulness, honesty, respect for difference, moral principles, independence, interdependence, self-respect.

**Cross Curricular: Music**

Dragon, knights rhyme

**NC Objectives:**

* Begin to understand that the rhythm is a mixture of long and short sounds
* Listen to, copy and repeat a simple rhythm
* Sing a selection of **castle**, **knights** and **dragon**-themed **songs** and rhymes which are perfect to accompany a medieval

**Cross Curricular: Science:**

Pupils will be learning about plants

**NC Objectives:**

* Use simple equipment to observe closely
* Identify and name a variety of common wild and garden plants, including deciduous and evergreen trees
* Identify and describe the basic structure of a variety of common flowering plants, including trees.

**Cross Curricular: Art**

Pupils will be looking at the work of Van Gogh– imitating and creating their own jungle scenes.

**NC Objectives:**

* Explain what he/she likes about the work of others
* Know the names of tools, techniques and elements used
* Use artwork to record ideas, observations and experiences