



Growing our
character:
Pride



Space Jam

Year 3

Start Date **End Date**
8th September 2017 Friday 13th October

Vision:
Now is the perfect time to get outside and try a new sport and be inspired. Our young learners love to take part in a variety of team sports but many do not have the opportunity to play as often as they would like, or the time to perfect the specific skills involved. The rules of team games can be confusing and this experience will enable all the children to develop a real understanding of the more complex aspects of basketball. In this topic the children will be encouraged to spend as much time as possible outside. They will learn the importance of collaboration and cooperation through several team games and activities and will become more confident in controlling and coordinating their bodies and the ball. They will develop physical skills and techniques through observation, evaluation and refinement and use tactics and strategies to enable them to play basketball competitively and with a real sense of achievement. They will work together in teams representing a country and develop a real sense of team spirit as they collaborate to create a 'team cheer'. As they discover and work with each other's strengths to achieve their goal (a place in the final of the BFS Tournament) they will develop a sense of pride in their own progress and in the successes of their team.

Respect	Independence	Creativity	Literacy
<p style="text-align: center;">Show empathy</p> <p>I will develop my sense of pride by striving for my personal best. I will celebrate my achievements, whilst having consideration and supporting others.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">We will:</p> <p>We will learn about famous basketball players and their journey to success. We will consider what it takes to become a good sportsman and how we can demonstrate this.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Face new challenges</p> <p>I will develop my sense of pride by demonstrating resilience and having a positive attitude to risk taking.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">We will:</p> <p>We will provide opportunities for a variety of team tasks, requiring learners to understand the skills involved in practising a new skill set.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Be passionate</p> <p>I will develop a sense of pride by believing I can achieve my goals.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">We will:</p> <p>We will immerse the children in the world of basketball, offering them several opportunities to feel a sense of achievement.</p>	PE
			Maths

Hook:
We will be taking inspiration from the world's greatest basketball player of all time Michael Jordan and his pursuit for excellence. By sharing the book written by his own mother, Deloris Jordan, we will explore the text Dream Big in detail and unpick what it means to us to feel a sense of pride when you achieve your goals. Of course, we will have to watch the journey of Michael Jordan, and what better opportunity can we offer than the chance to watch Space Jam! This will be followed by a series of team games.

Challenge:

Our learners will need to learn and practise the necessary skills involved in playing basketball. They will need to work together as a team, learn to handle the emotional highs and lows of winning and losing and appreciate the experience of participating in a competitive sport!

Outcome:

Team tactics and basketball skills will be evident in our winning team on tournament day! Team cheers, created by the children, will be performed at the tournament to provide both entertainment and encouragement for each other. May the best team win! We invite you all to come and cheer on your learners on Wednesday 11th October at 1:15- 2.45.

Learning through role play:

The Role Play area will be the main playground so they have plenty of opportunity to practise and hone their new skills! They will also study information on the game of basketball and discuss tactics as a team.

Community Impact:

Parents, grandparents and our school community will be invited to the final matches in our basketball tournament. We hope to provide everyone with an enjoyable and entertaining afternoon. Let's hope that the sun shines!

Computing:

During this topic the children will be taught:

- How to use a search engine effectively to research a given topic
- Use formatting skills to type up fact files about famous basketball players

Expert Input:

Year 3 are lucky enough to have input from AFC Bournemouth and planet education to support them with their team game skills. They will advise and lead us in learning basketball skills and techniques.

How you can help at home:

Please visit these websites;

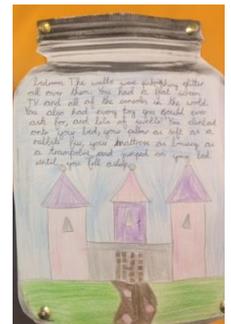
<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/Flash.aspx?e=spelling-grammar01>

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/guides/z9w3g82>

youtube - 3 timestables learn the fun way

**Take Away Task:**

We will be thinking about our dreams and goals that we would like to achieve. We are asking all learners to get creative and produce their own dream jar. This could be an actual glass jar, picture or poem.

**Planning for Mastery in Maths:**

To build on prior learning in year 2, children need to understand what 100 is. Once children understand they will count numbers and objects up to 1000.

Children need to read three digit numbers with 0's in different columns and show them with concrete and pictorial representations. They will apply these skills in place value by really understanding the value of each digit such as 315 will be shown as 300, 10 and 5.

They will apply knowledge in context when analysing basketball statistics. They will represent these graphically using a variety of charts.

Planning for Mastery in English:

We will be analysing the features of a biography. Comparing differences between biographies and autobiographies. Our learners will choose a famous basketball player that inspires them. They will then research and prioritise key information and events by note taking. The Children will then plan and construct the main elements of their biography, applying their spelling knowledge to put words in the past tense. They will construct paragraphs that summarise the main events and use organisational features to present a biography.

Discrete Teaching Programmes (DTP's):

PE - Football

PSHE - Jigsaw - Being me in my world

ICT - E-Safety - My online community

Times tables - 3's

Spellings - Year 3 spelling rules and common exception words

Steps to Success:

- Watch Space Jam to understand who Michael Jordan is and be excited to learn about basketball.
- Share the story of Dream Big by Deloris Jordan.
- Research famous basketball players and select one to investigate further.
- Design our own team names and chant
- Take part in team building games and exercises.
- Consider how we can collaborate and communicate effectively and kindly as a team.
- Receive basketball skills training.
- Practise basketball throughout the topic, trying out and improving new skills and taking on roles which they may find challenging.
- Support team members in making progress (*Growth Mind-set: celebrate the success of others*).
- Produce a biography about their chosen favourite basketball player.
- Take part in the BFS tournament and perform their team cheers.

Evaluating Success:

Using the **yellow** and **black** thinking hats, we will consider our biographies and reflect on their effectiveness.

Using the **white** and **red** thinking hat, we will consider what we have learnt from the topic and how we felt about taking on the new challenges involved.