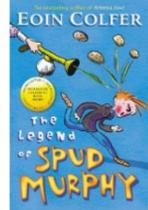
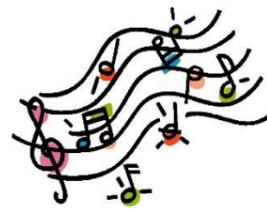


 	<p><b>Theme:</b>  <b>Which will be the best route for Scaredy Squirrel to take?</b>  <b>Driver: Geography</b></p>		<p><b>Year 2</b>  <b>Summer 1</b>  <b>2023-2024</b></p>
<p>As writers we will...</p> <p>be creating detailed descriptions of our make-believe gardens inspired by the classic novel, 'The Secret Garden'. Then, we will invent our own magical machines and write explanations for other people to be able to use it.</p> 	<p>As mathematicians we will...</p> <p>explore use various way to measure objects, specifically focusing on length, mass, capacity and temperature. Then, we will work on telling the time to the nearest five minutes.</p> 		<p>As scientists we will...</p> <p>learn about what conditions plants need to grow. We will discover how seeds grow into plants and plant our own vegetables.</p> 
<p>As geographers we will...</p> <p>develop our map reading skills by identifying where our school is on a map and describing places around it. We will use these skills to devise the best route for Scaredy Squirrel to get to a local park in Rushden.</p> 	<p><b>Reading for Pleasure</b>  <b>Class Novel:</b>          The Legend of Spud Murphy</p> 	<p>Our focus skill for this term will be:</p> <p><b>Listening</b></p> 	<p>As technicians we will...</p> <p>use a computer to identify patterns in music and then make music for a purpose. We will use Chrome Music Lab – Rhythm to create and refine musical patterns.</p> 
<p>As artists we will...</p> <p>be learning about Van Gogh and focusing on his piece called Sunflowers. We will be learning about colour mixing, painting and collage.</p> 	<p><b>Home learning project:</b></p> <p>Plant and grow a sunflower at home and record how tall it grows.</p> 		<p>In RE we will...</p> <p>ask questions about God and find out how Christian's ideas compare to my own.</p> 
<p>As gymnasts we will...</p> <p>develop our balance and co-ordination throughout the theme of Pirate Fitness. We will also be exploring how our heart rate changes during exercise as well.</p> 	<p>As musicians we will...</p> <p>be learning the 'Friendship Song' and will also be listening to songs about friendship and using our voices and instruments to create music for ourselves.</p> 		<p>In PSHE we will...</p> <p>be thinking about relationships within our families and friends. We will learn how to be a good friend and what positive relationships with others looks like.</p> 