

# Tynsel Parkes C.E. Primary Academy

## Learning in Partnership

Topic: Home, Sweet, Home

Term: Spring

Year Group: Year 2

Choose an activity each week.

## English

- *Spellings*
- *Reading*
- *Phonics Play - [www.phonicsplay.co.uk](http://www.phonicsplay.co.uk)*

### First Half Term:-

- Collect newspaper articles about events happening in Uttoxeter.
- Interview a person from Uttoxeter. What changes have they seen over the last few years?
- Create a leaflet about Uttoxeter.
- How would you describe Uttoxeter?
- Write a poem about Uttoxeter.
- Something of your own choice linked with Uttoxeter.

### Second Half Term:-

- Imagine that you are a botanist (plant Scientist). Draw or make a plant that you have discovered. List words to describe it and write a description about the plant.
- Write a set of instructions explaining how to plant and grow a tomato.
- Write a review about a local garden centre.
- Can you make an alphabetical list of healthy foods?
- Something of your own choice linked with health or plants

## Science/ICT

### First Half Term:-

- Look at the buildings in and around Uttoxeter and record some of the materials that have been used to build them.
- Photograph places of interest locally.
- Create a PowerPoint or video of your favourite places in Uttoxeter.
- Make a list of different materials and see which ones you can find on your way to school.
- Something of your own choice linked with Uttoxeter.

### Second Half Term:-

- Keep a food diary for one week.
- Plan and carry out a survey about different foods eaten by different people in your family. Record your findings and make a conclusion.
- Create a healthy menu for a picnic.
- How do you feel before and after exercise? Draw and write captions about how you feel before and after P.E. lessons.
- Plant a seed and record it growing.
- Choose a plant that you see every day and keep a weekly log.
- Something of your own choice linked with health or plants

## Mathematics

- *Abacus online homework*

### First Half Term:-

- Create your own treasure map - draw and label landmarks and give directions using coordinates to your hidden treasure.
- How far is it from your house to school?
- On your journey to school, what do the numbers on the doors that you pass add up to?
- Something of your own choice linked with Uttoxeter.

### Second Half Term:-

- Keep a food diary for one day and record the weight and amount of the food consumed.
- Make a shopping list of healthy foods and record their prices.
- Something of your own choice linked with health or plants.

## Art and DT

### First Half Term:-

- Make a sketch book and sketch places of interest around Uttoxeter.
- Use scrap materials to recreate Bramshall Park.
- Make a model racecourse with moving horses.
- Create a collage of Uttoxeter.
- Pretend you work at Fox's factory and bake some biscuits. Remember to write the instructions for others to follow.
- Something of your own choice linked with Uttoxeter.

### Second Half Term:-

- Prepare a healthy meal.
- Do some observational drawings of fruit.
- Create a 3D fruit bowl containing fruit.
- Design and make a model garden centre.
- Can you design a watering system that will keep a plant watered?
- Something of your own choice linked with health or plants.

## PE/Dance/Drama/Music

### First Half Term:-

- Discover what's on offer at Uttoxeter Leisure Centre.
- Can you make and record a short advertisement for Uttoxeter?
- Something of your own choice linked with Uttoxeter.

### Second Half Term:-

- Create your own jingle for a healthy eating campaign.
- Devise a training programme to help someone to remain fit and healthy.
- If you met a famous sports person, what questions would you ask them?
- Something of your own choice linked with health or plants

## History/ Geography

### First Half Term:-

- What was Uttoxeter like 100 years ago?
- Can you find out about any key events in Uttoxeter over the last 100 years?
- What changes have there been in Uttoxeter since you were born?
- What can you find out about Tynsel Parkes and what might it be like in another 50 years time?
- Record directions from your house to school. What do you see along the route?
- Something of your own choice linked with Uttoxeter.

### Second Half Term:-

- Which plants grow better by the sea and which grow better inland?
- Something of your own choice linked with health or plants.