# Autumn Term 2020

**Key Question**

What is your favourite board game?

Can you make a better one?

## Mathematical Understanding

**Place Value –** We will be learning what each digit in a number means.

**Calculations** – We will continue to build on our addition and subtraction skills by applying this knowledge to solve real life word problems.

**3D shape** – We will be learning the properties of 2D and 3D shapes and how to draw a net.

**Measurements -** We will be learning to measure to the nearest cm.

## Understanding the arts

**Music -** Do you watch the adverts? We will be learning how to plan and compose a jingle to go with our advert just like they do on TV! Both classes will begin to learn how to play the ukulele!

**Dance** - We will be developing our Dance skills through toy based dances.

**Art** – we will revisit work on colour and portraits. Do you know who Roy Lichtenstein is? We will also look at how to use collage to create a new 'Wild' creature!

## Understanding English, Communication and Languages

**Story writing –** We will be retelling and re writing the story of Traction Man and Where the Wild Things Are.

**Questionnaires –** We will be interviewing Foundation Stage children using our own questionnaires.

**Instructions** – Do you know how to play a board game? Our instructions will help you.

We will be writing adverts to go with our board games.

**Author Focus – Mini Gray**

## Historical, Geographical and Social Understanding

**History -** How have toys changed since your grandparents were little? What were toys like 100 years ago? Have toys always been made from plastic?

**Social Understanding -** We will be talking about toys that are special to us and why.

## Science and Technological Understanding

**Science –** We will be learning about materials, their properties and uses and link this to our work on Toys. How have toys changed over the years? Does it link to the materials they are made from?

**D.T.** - Do you like to play board games? We are going to design and make board games for Foundation Stage children.

**Computing** – We will be learning how to film our own adverts. We will learn how and why it is important to stay safe online.

## Religious Education

We are learning about leaders from around the world and how they make decisions that have or can change the way we live. We will also look at Christian symbols.

## Enrichment –

Visitors to school linked to our Toys theme to be confirmed. We hope to have a Victorian Toys workshop visiting school this term.

## Understanding Physical Development, Health and Wellbeing

**PE -**. We will continue to build on our balance, coordination and agility skills both on the floor and on apparatus.

**Health and wellbeing** - We will be learning how to stay safe online.

**PSHE –** We will be sharing our hopes and fears as part of 'Being Me' and understanding that we are all different and valued as part 'Celebrating Differences'.