

# Ellwood Community Primary School – Core Subject Overview

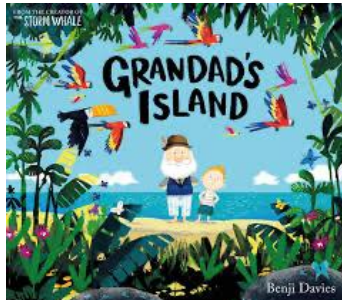
## Year 1 – Spring Term 2

### English

Using the text 'Grandad's Island', children will write a short story. They will also write a letter from their own imaginary island. They will include exciting vocabulary and adjectives to make the writing interesting for the reader.

Children will continue to develop their handwriting style, ensuring that ascenders and descenders are formed correctly.

Children will continue to embed their knowledge of suffixes and prefixes including ing, ed and un. They will also practise using question marks and exclamation marks.

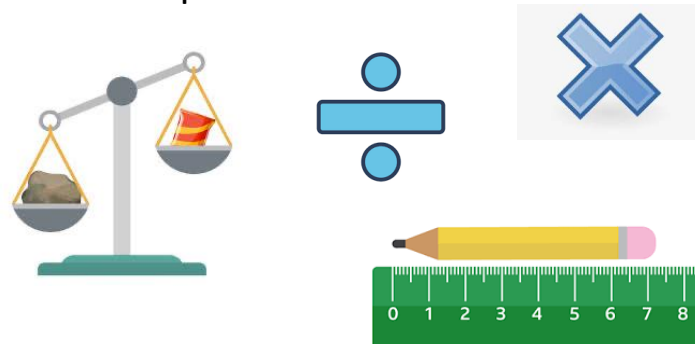


### Maths

Length and Height  
Mass and Volume  
Multiplication and Division

The children will practise using rulers and measuring in centimetres. They will learn about mass and volume and use mathematical vocabulary (e.g longer, shorter, heavier, lighter) to compare.

Children will also learn about multiplication and division. They will use practical apparatus to make groups to multiply and share equally to divide. They will apply their knowledge to solve word problems.



### Science

Animals and Humans

In this unit, children will learn about the different parts of the body and why they are important.

The children will learn about the 5 senses and know the body parts used for each sense.

The children will enjoy a range of practical activities, including nature walks and experiments using their senses.



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## Chestnut Class – Spring Term 2

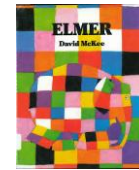
### Geography

In Geography, Chestnut class will learn all about Australia! We will find out about what it is like to live in Australia and how it is similar/different to life in the UK. We will describe human and physical features.



### Life Skills

This term we will learn about how everyone is different and everyone is welcome. We will read stories to celebrate diversity and discuss how we are all unique.



### Computing

#### Year 1 – Beebots

Children will learn how to program a robot using instructions and correct errors which occur (debugging).

#### Year 2 – Make code

Children will explore how programming is used in games. They will plan, build and evaluate a program in MakeCode.

### Art

Children will learn about tone, pattern and drawing techniques. They will practise these skills and create artwork for our ongoing topic of Growth Mindset.

### RE

Children will explore the question 'What is it like to be brought up in a Hindu home today?'



### Music

Children will learn about pitch and how to use a tuned percussion instrument to play a song.



### PE

In PE, children will have a biking session and Prostars athletics session weekly.

