KS2 Connector Pathway

Literacy — Amazing Animals/ Gift Catalogues

In class we are: exploring a range of non-fiction texts, learning how to find and organise information about animals and learning how catalogues help us find information and make choices.
At home please: share non-fiction books, magazines, catalogues and information websites together, talking about the facts you discover and the features you notice.

Design Technology — Seven Continents

In class we are: creating models inspired by famous landmarks and landscape features from around the world.

At home please Look at photographs of famous landmarks together and talk about what you can see.

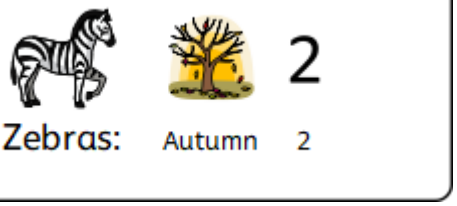
RE — Why are religious stories important?

In class we are: listening to stories from Hinduism and Sikhism, learning about the beliefs, values and lessons they teach.
At home please: share stories together and talk about the messages or lessons they contain.

Physical Education — Dance off!

In class we are: developing our dance skills by exploring movement, rhythm and music. We are learning to copy, repeat and link movements together, responding to changes in speed and direction.

At home please: dance together to favourite songs and move in different ways, such as *fast*, *slow*, *high*, *low*, *big* and *small*. Practise simple movement sequences, copy each other's dance moves and have fun!



Science — Growing Animals

In class we are: learning about different types of animals, including mammals, birds, fish, amphibians and reptiles, and exploring how scientists group animals according to their features and diets.

At home please: talk about animals you see, discussing their features, where they live and what they eat.

PSHE — Self-awareness – Getting on with others

In class we are: exploring friendships, teamwork and positive relationships, learning how to work and play with others in a kind and respectful way

At home please: encourage turn-taking, sharing and teamwork during everyday activities and play. Talk about feelings, model how to solve small disagreements calmly, and celebrate acts of kindness.

Numeracy

In class we are: Focusing on calculation, including addition, subtraction, sharing, grouping, multiplication and place value.
At home please: Practise simple addition and subtraction, encouraging counting forwards and backwards.

Geography — Seven Continents

In class we are: exploring the seven continents and five oceans, developing their understanding of how our world is organised.

At home please: look at maps, globes or atlases together and talk about different countries.