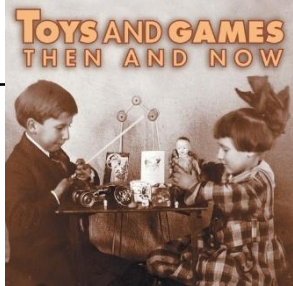
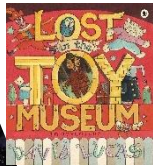




English

We will be reading **Toys in Space** and **Lost in the Toy Museum**.

We will write setting description all about space. We will then plan our own version of 'Toys in Space', changing both the setting and characters. We will then focus on editing and revising our work, before publishing our stories. Finally, look at alliteration and making alliterative noun phrases. We will also look at poetry – writing our own and then performing to the class.



Sparrows Class Topic Map



Maths

In **Year 1** we will be learning about measurement- what is height? What is length? We will look at comparing the heights and lengths of different objects, as well as measuring them using non-standard units and standard units such as centimetres. We will then look at mass – which is heavier? Which is lighter? We will then compare and measure volume, as well as using vocabulary such as full, empty and half full. In **Year 2** we will be learning about measurement and how to measure in centimetres and metres. We will then look at mass using grams and kilograms and volume. Finally, we will learn how to compare and calculate mass and volume.

PSHE

In PSHE, we will learn about growing and changing. We will think about who we can talk to if we need help and how our we are different to a baby and toddler. We will also be looking at girls and boys body parts.

Science

We will be learning all about plants. We will think carefully about the structure of plants and the functions of each part. We will also think about what a seed needs in order to grow into a healthy plant.



RE and World Views

We will learn about why belonging to God and a church family is so important to Christian. We will explore what happens at a baptism and the significance of this event for Christians. We will also look at different items used in a baptism.



PE

We will be working on our footwork and balance and our Up and Under coach, Mr Swift, will be working with us on Tuesdays.



History

In History, we will travel back in time to learn about toys from the past! We will learn about the Victorians and what sorts of toys they had. We will also explore the games they played, and compare them to the games we play nowadays. We will look at books too, comparing them to modern day books. We will also look at various sources of evidence and artefacts, thinking carefully about what they tell us about the past.



Music

We will explore soundscapes and rhythm through our Space topic and develop our understanding of pitch patterns, as well as creatively responding through fun listening activities.



Art/DT

We will be using different sketching and painting techniques to produce pictures of everyday objects. We will then create our own artwork to illustrate the story we are writing in English.



MFL

In French we will be learning how to pronounce different vegetables! will play fun vocabulary games, join in speaking and listening activities to help us recognise and remember new words with confidence and excitement! We will also celebrate Bastille Day!

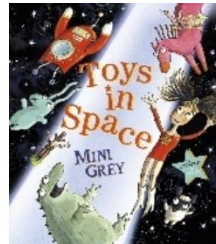


Sparrows Class Knowledge Organiser



Our Big Questions

- What were toys like in Victorian times?
- What toys did my parents play with?
- How have toys changed?
- How do we know about the past?
- How are books different in the past?
- What outdoor games did they play in the past?



Toys have changed a lot over time. In the past, toys were often handmade from wood, metal, or fabric, such as rag dolls, rocking horses, and tin cars. Today, many toys are made from plastic and can use batteries or computers, like electronic games and remote-control cars. Some toys, such as teddy bears, balls, and puzzles, are still popular today even though the materials and designs have changed.

Our Key Vocabulary

- Past
- Present
- New, old
- Chronology
- Artefact
- Source of evidence
- Material
- Poverty, rich
- Generation
- 20th century
- Victorian



19th century

Toys: wooden dolls, wooden doll houses, tea sets, ball and cup, spinning top, toys soldiers, leather footballs.



21st century

Toys: handheld games consoles, virtual reality.



20th century

Toys: teddy bears, Barbie dolls, Action Man, electronic toys, computers, games consoles.

