

Where would we be without the Bee?



As Artists/ Musicians / Designers we can...

- ✓ Practice shading using 3 grades of pencil create a detailed observational drawing of a bee using shading.
- ✓ Printing using nature / leaf painting (Science link).
- ✓ Listen and appraise 'Zootime' a reggae theme.
- ✓ Clay coins art of King Charles III to celebrate his coronation.

As Geographers / Historian we can...

- ✓ Recognise where bees travel and why.
- ✓ Look at different bees comparing African killer bee to the Ethiopian Lowlands with the Manchester bee.
- ✓ Know how our local area (Manchester) is different to the way it was used to be a long time ago.
- ✓ Know the main differences between England and (a non-European country) Africa.
- ✓ Understand the historical importance of the Manchester Worker Bee symbol.

As Readers and Writers we can...

- ✓ Write a non-chronological report on bees.
- ✓ Read a variety of non-fiction and scientific texts and Recognise features.
- ✓ Use a variety of conjunctions - and, but, because, or, that, when and if
- ✓ Write about the history of the Manchester Worker Bee.
- ✓ Use commas in a list.
- ✓ Use paragraphs.
- ✓ Use subheadings.
- ✓ Write factually and technically.
- ✓ Use our spellings / phonics segmenting in

As Computer Users we can...

- ✓ Coding using Bee-bots & Scratch Jr. We will be creating and debug simple programs and predict what the outcome of a simple program will be (logical reasoning).
- ✓ Continue developing our typing skills.

Hooks for learning:

* Planting bee friendly wildflowers to create a bee meadow.

- Honey tasting experience.
- Make a Bee hotel
- Miss dresses up as a Bee.

As Religious Observers / Model Citizen we can... Continuing...

Expressing strand - How and why do we celebrate special and sacred times?
Christians, Jewish people and/or Muslims

Reading Text Links are...

- ✓ The Beeman By Laurie Krebs.
- ✓ Be-&-Me By Alison Jay.
- ✓ The Bee Book By Charlotte Milner.

As Scientists we can... Plants

- ✓ Observe and describe how seeds and bulbs grow into mature plants.
- ✓ Find out and describe how plants need water, light and suitable temperature to grow and stay healthy.
- ✓ Identify and name a variety of plants.
- ✓ Science week (Nature detectives) - connect with local nature using reasoning skills to determine what wildlife needs to survive.

As Sports People we can...

- ✓ Invasion game skills.
- ✓ Gymnastics - stretching, curling and

As Mathematicians we can...

- ✓ Count money - pence, pounds and notes
- ✓ Choose notes and coins to make the same and different amounts
- ✓ Compare amounts of money
- ✓ Calculate with money
- ✓ Find change and two step problems
- ✓ Recognize equal groups
- ✓ Make and add equal groups
- ✓ Multiplication and division facts for our 2, 5, 10 and 3 times tables
- ✓ Use arrays
- ✓ Make equal groups by grouping and sharing
- ✓ Doubling and halving