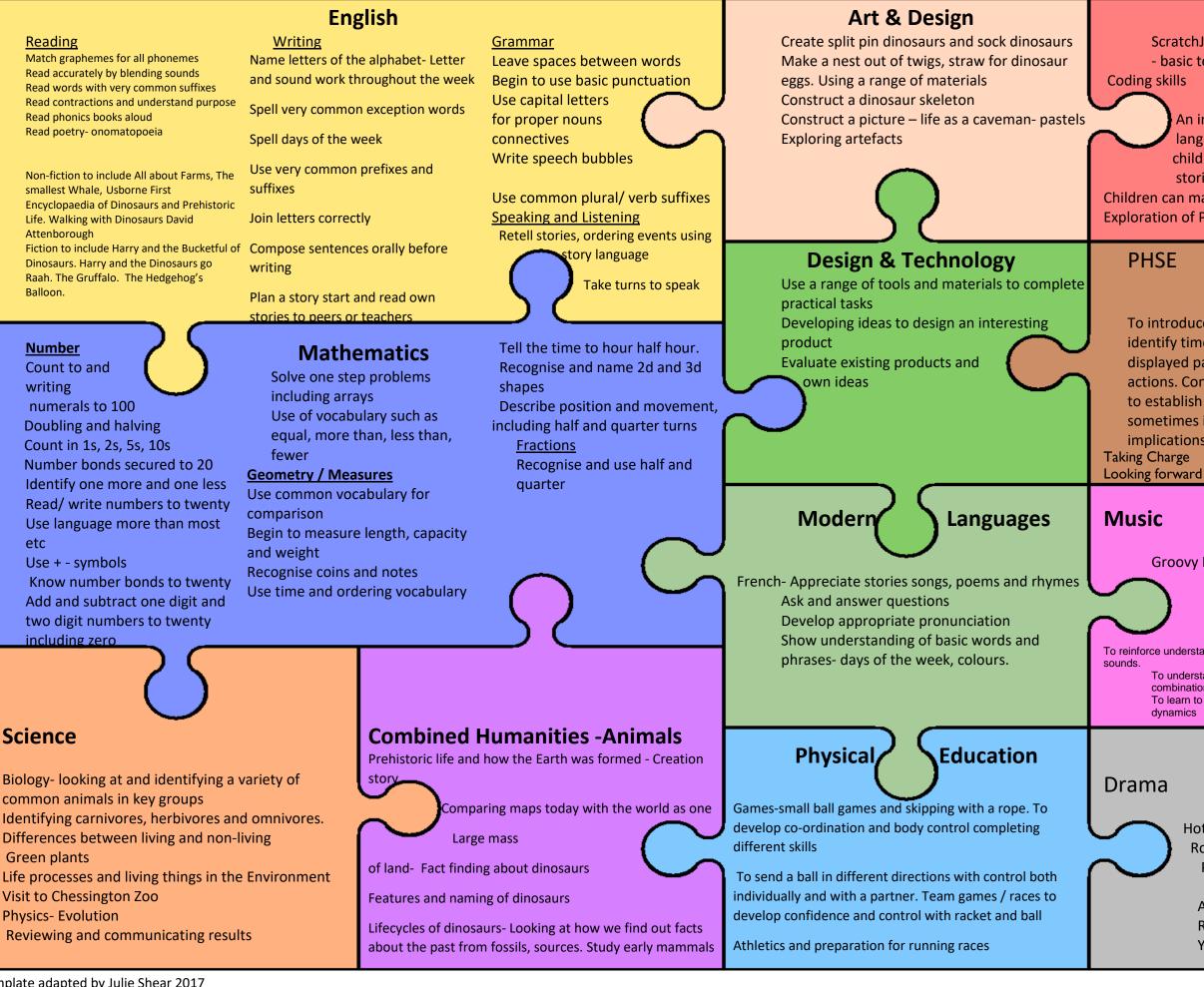# Curriculum Overview for Year 1 Animals (Summer 2017 -Perseverance and Patience. Reflection and Appreciation)

English

Reading
Match graphemes for all phonemes
Read accurately by blending sounds
Read words with very common suffixes
Read contractions and understand purpose
Read phonics books aloud
Read poetry- onomatopoeia

Non-fiction to include All about Farms, The smallest Whale, Usborne First Encyclopaedia of Dinosaurs and Prehistoric Life. Walking with Dinosaurs David Attenborough
Fiction to include Harry and the Bucketful of Dinosaurs. Harry and the Dinosaurs go Raah. The Gruffalo. The Hedgehog's Balloon.

Writing
Name letters of the alphabet- Letter and sound work throughout the week

Spell very common exception words

Spell days of the week

Use very common prefixes and suffixes

Join letters correctly

Compose sentences orally before writing

Plan a story start and read own stories to peers or teachers

Grammar
Leave spaces between words
Begin to use basic punctuation
Use capital letters
for proper nouns
connectives
Write speech bubbles

Use common plural/ verb suffixes

Speaking and Listening
Retell stories, ordering events using story language

Take turns to speak

Mathematics

Number
Count to and
writing
 numerals to 100
Doubling and halving
Count in 1s, 2s, 5s, 10s
Number bonds secured to 20
Identify one more and one less
Read/ write numbers to twenty
Use language more than most etc
Use + - symbols
 Know number bonds to twenty
Add and subtract one digit and two digit numbers to twenty including zero

Solve one step problems including arrays
Use of vocabulary such as equal, more than, less than, fewer

Geometry / Measures
Use common vocabulary for comparison
Begin to measure length, capacity and weight
Recognise coins and notes
Use time and ordering vocabulary

Tell the time to hour half hour.
Recognise and name 2d and 3d shapes
 Describe position and movement, including half and quarter turns

Fractions
Recognise and use half and quarter

Art & Design
Create split pin dinosaurs and sock dinosaurs
Make a nest out of twigs, straw for dinosaur eggs. Using a range of materials
Construct a dinosaur skeleton
Construct a picture – life as a caveman- pastels
Exploring artefacts

Design & Technology
Use a range of tools and materials to complete practical tasks
Developing ideas to design an interesting product
Evaluate existing products and own ideas

Modern Languages
French- Appreciate stories songs, poems and rhymes
Ask and answer questions
Develop appropriate pronunciation
Show understanding of basic words and phrases- days of the week, colours.

Computing
ScratchJr
- basic tools – basic algorithms
Coding skills

An introduction to programming language and a programme where children can make their own interactive stories and games
Children can make their own characters come to life
Exploration of Purple Mash and word banks.

PHSE

To introduce the theme of patience and to identify times when they have/have not displayed patients and discuss reasons for their actions. Consider patience in different scenarios to establish relevance to life and the fact that sometimes it is out of control and consider implications on the lives of living things
Taking Charge
Looking forward

Music
Groovy Music software exploration

To reinforce understanding that different instruments have different sounds.
To understand that instruments can play on their own or in combination.
To learn to plan a composition by choosing timbres and dynamics

Science

Biology- looking at and identifying a variety of common animals in key groups
Identifying carnivores, herbivores and omnivores.
Differences between living and non-living
 Green plants
Life processes and living things in the Environment
Visit to Chessington Zoo
Physics- Evolution
 Reviewing and communicating results

Combined Humanities -Animals
Prehistoric life and how the Earth was formed - Creation story

Comparing maps today with the world as one

Large mass
of land- Fact finding about dinosaurs

Features and naming of dinosaurs

Lifecycles of dinosaurs- Looking at how we find out facts about the past from fossils, sources. Study early mammals

Physical Education
Games-small ball games and skipping with a rope. To develop co-ordination and body control completing different skills

 To send a ball in different directions with control both individually and with a partner. Team games / races to develop confidence and control with racket and ball

Athletics and preparation for running races

Drama
Hot seating
Role play as a caveman, explorers, Palaeontologist

Acting out different verbs
Reading poetry aloud
Year 1 Assembly