**Neston Primary School**

**Creative Curriculum Theme Plan Year1 – Terms 1 and 2 2015**

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| **The Sky Is The Limit** | **Areas of Learning** |
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| **At Neston, learning will be driven by:** |
| **Ambition** | **Respect** | **Diversity** | **As Scientists, we will...** |
| **As ambitious learners we will:**Persevere with new skills and class routines. We will try new things and have a go at our own ideas. We will persist with an activity when challenges occur and be proud of our accomplishments. | **As respectful learners we will:**Explore the similarities and differences between ourselves and others. We will learn to share our classroom space and resources fairly. | **As learners we will:**Ask questions to help us understand the wider world in an open minded way. We will celebrate the range of culture, belief and experience that we explore.  | Be exploring forces. We will discover how to use a force to make objects move, change their shape or change direction. |
| **Core Learning Skills** | **Successful Learner Skills** | **Essential Learning Objectives (CQ milestone specific)** |
| **Literacy** | * Knowing and understanding what, how and why I am learning
* Enjoy exploring, discovering and

unlocking our hidden treasures* Knowing that we shine and reach the stars
* Learning from our mistakes
* Knowing how to improve and being resilient
* Looking after each other
* Learning reciprocally
* Celebrating everyone’s achievements
* Imagining, dreaming and believing for ourselves and others
 | **History and geography**  |
| * Exploring labels and captions to develop our non-fiction writing
* Further develop our understanding of Phonics through daily teaching sessions and home learning
* Use story-making to develop our story telling, speaking, reading and writing skills
 | To investigate and interpret the pastTo build an overview of world historyTo understand chronologyTo communicate historically | To investigate placesTo investigate patternsTo communicate geographically |
| **Maths** | **Science and design technology** |
| * Further develop our understanding of number
* Explore calculation strategies and apply these in a range of role play and problem solving contexts
* Use data handling skills to share information
 | To understand movement and forces To work scientifically | To design, make and improve - Apply practical skills to design, make and improve products safely, taking account of users and purposesTo design, make, evaluate and improve our own inventions - Design products that have a clear purpose and an intended user |
| **RE, PSHE and PE** |
| Exploring friendship and kindness. Learning appropriate ways to express and manage feelings.Learning new class routines. Becoming a considerate and responsive partner, listening carefully and sharing ideas. PE with Ms Sims - exploring movement through games activities.  |
| **ICT** | **Art, music, drama** |
| * Ongoing use of ICT to support learning across the curriculum
* Use of the school website and class web page to share our learning
 | To develop ideasTo refine techniquesTo respond to ideas and starting points.To explore ideas and collect visual information. | To performTo composeTo transcribeTo describe music | To listen carefully and understandTo speak with clarityTo tell and share stories with structure |