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Wk 1 + 2 7+13-1-25 Pirates ahoy	Wk3 20-1-25 Pirate water investigations	Wk 4 27-1-25 Chinese New year
Wk 1 (4 days)- Personal accounts of Christmas (CLD) PSED -Welcome New children –to Nursery PDR questioning –'What' can we do with water? Science- 'Where' does water come from? Outside, look for water- Rain, puddles, ice, snow etc. Inside – taps, toilet. 'What' do we use water for? Science- Ice hands – explore the ice DT-Make a large Pirate ship for Roleplay Maths - Subitising 2 – Show me 1, 2, 3 Wk 2-Music-http://learnenglishkids.britishcouncil.org/en/ Art + DT- Make telescopes (wk1) + treasure maps (wk2) Phonics – A Sailor went to sea,sea, sea. Sounds d + g. Science – Ice in the water tray to explore P.E –Pirate action songs, Ball skills + bowling Books-Pirate Pete, Peppa the mermaid, Pirates love underpants, Cats Ahoy, My Granny is a Pirate Hidden treasure-coins + No.s in sand (Science + MD) PSED –Never giving up- The Hare + the Tortoise story ICT- Cbeebies pirate games-Pirate cannons R.E. + PSED- New Year's resolutions – Setting a goal Baking-Scones. E/S rice krispie buns(MD, PSED, CLD)	Books-The pirates next door, Winne's pirate adventure, All hands on deck, The night Pirates Science- Ice experiment- How can we melt the ice to release the Pirates treasure? Wow! challenge Melt a hole in the giant ice block. Water tray — melting shapes out of ice cubes PDR questioning -'How?', 'Which?' (CLD) Science-Big Garden Birdwatch 24th- 26th Jan Ppt. birds we might see in our gardens. Geography — Show where we found the birds on a field map Maths- Counting 3 — Move and label 1, 2, 3. Hidden treasure shapes in the sand Art — Draw/paint pictures of Pirates movement + loud noises P.EBalance - Walk the plank (PD) Phonics — 1 potato, 2 potato. Sound o Music—Row your boat (Cbeebies) ICT- Cbeebies pirate games-Stepping stones, Baking- Jam tarts (MD, PSED, CLD) PSED- Setting a goal Setting small step challenges to reach my goal Wk 6 10-2-25 Pirate crafts	R.E.+ History-Chinese New Year. Year of the Snake. Chinese story-The Great Race (UW) http://www.topmarks.co.uk/ordering-and-sequencing/chinese-dragon-ordering PDR questioning -'When?', 'Who?' (CLD) Geography- Tasting food from around the world P.E. –Dragon Dance (film then dance) Music children play instruments for Dragon dance Phonics – 1 potato, 2 potato. Sounds c/k. DT-Make Dragon masks - using 2D shapes Make Chinese lanterns Maths- Counting 3 – Move and label 1, 2, 3 Books- Water + Winter Information texts Story of Nian, The magic paint brush Science- Where does our wee go?0-1.20min http://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/p0114f7c Science -What happens to the rain?1.20min-end Baking- Rock cakes (MD, PSED,CLD) PSED-Obstacles and Support I know some kind words to encourage people.
P.E+ Science -Winter walk around School grounds. PSED+ Science-How can we look after animals in winter?-Is the water frozen? How can we leave water for animals? - Make bird feeders DT-Make a Winter home for mini-beasts on the field Phonics – Row, row, row your boat. Sound - e PDR question- 'Where?', 'How?' (CLD) Maths - Shape, space and measure 3 – Explore position and routes Music –5 little men in a flying saucer (Maths) R.E + PSED- Flight to the future-I can start to think of the jobs I might like to do when I am older. Books - Percy - One Winters night, Ridiculous, Jack frost, Owl babies. Baking- Chocolate brownies	ICT- 11.02.25 Safer Internet Day DT- Creative – Pirate hats, Pirate hooks P.E- Pirate action songs(PD) PDR question- 'How?' 'Which?' (CLD) Phonics – Row, row, row your boat. Sound - u Books Snow bears, One Winters day, Pip and Posy Snowy day, The penguin who wanted to fly Maths- Shape, space and measure 3 – Explore position and routes. Ordering Pirates by length/height ICT- Beebots find the treasure on floor map DT + Science - Make a Pirate ship- How will it float in the water tray? Science + Geography- Icy lands – which animals live there and the differences between where we live. PSED-Celebrate goals achieved-certificate Friday 14th – Pirate Party Day	Role play- Pirate ship Small world – Lego Pirate ship Small world - Ice lands –Inuit family + artic animals Water tray— Ice investigations Reading area- Pirate small world + water information and story books. Large construction- Pirates — Walk the plank Maths area-Small sand trays Hidden treasure coins + shapes Dice games –Pirates find the treasure + Dinosaurs find the water ICT- Pirate games + activities