# QUEENSMEAD PRIMARY ACADEMY

# Y2 Term taught: Summer 1st Half Term

#### Core basic skills

**Writing**: The children will learn to **The Enormous Crocodile (Fiction)** - Retell, describe characters and

innovate the story.

**The Polar Bear – Postcard** – To give a detailed account.

Elephants (Non-Fiction) -

To write an information report using headings/subheadings.

**Reading**: the children will learn these reading skills:

Retell stories- story events, character feelings (comment on characters and events)

Inference

Ask and answer questions

**Numeracy**: the children will learn these mathematical skills:

Time

Addition and Subtraction Reasoning, Fluency and number Fractions and shape

**Computing**: the children will learn the following skills:

Programming – Robot algorithms Online Safety Topic Title: Exploring Near and Far

### **Hook for Learning:**

Launch – Enormous Crocodile crime scene

Land - Exotic animals visit

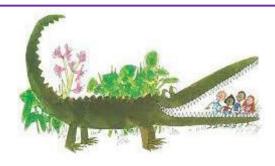
## **Healthy Lifestyles:**

PE - Developing Throwing & Catching skills Mini Racket games

Activity Circuits-Team/Solo Games

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Science: Living things and their habitats



#### **Creative Learning:**

Art: Pattern: Creating patterns linked to a theme (animals)

Experimenting with regular shapes to create tessellating pattern using one or more shapes.

Music: Technology, structure and form

Main subject: Geography
Animals in different locations

Mapping Skills

Name continents and oceans

Use basic vocabulary to describe a less familiar area Weather patterns

Explore the similarities and differences between UK and Arctic region.

Explore the similarities and differences between UK and the Maldives in the continent Asia.

Cross Curricular Writing: Application of skills, 1 piece

per fortnight

Non-fiction – Elephants

Recount - Exotic animals visit

Cross Curricular Reading: Application of skills

Non- Fiction texts based on animals from contrasting climates

**Cross Curricular Maths** – Problem solving

Word problems associated to animals

Forest school: Tiny Forest

Visits: Exotic animals in school

Homework: Queensmead Quests/Little Wandle

ebooks/Daily reading

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