

Key questions:

What are houses made from?

What are the different types of houses?

Where do you live and what is it like?

What are the different features of our homes?

How do we know where we live?



Key vocabulary:

old	older	oldest
new	newer	newest
past	present	future
modern	detached	terraced
semi-detached	map	label

Science Vocabulary

Types of materials: wood, plastic, glass, metal, rock, brick, fabric, paper

Properties of materials: hard/soft, stretchy/not stretchy, shiny/dull, rough/smooth, bendy/not bendy, transparent/not transparent

Verbs associated with materials: crumble, squash, bend, stretch, twist

Houses and Homes

Are all homes the same?

Learning events:

- A special delivery from The Jolly Postman and Three Little Pigs.
- A village walk to identify different types of houses and map our area.
- Making and decorating gingerbread houses.

Cross-curricular links:

Maths: Number (place value within 10), Number: Addition and subtraction (within 10)

Science: Exploring different materials. Properties of materials. Investigating their strengths.

English: The Three Little Pigs by Nick Sharratt and The Three Little Pugs and the Big Bad Cat by Becky Davies. Letter writing, re-telling stories and re-writing a familiar story.

Geography: Locating Wivelsfield on a map, labelling human and physical features of the local area, observing and record information about the local area, creating

PE: Run, jump and throwing skills. Send and return skills.

Art: 'Castle and Sun' Paul Klee interpretations.

Design and Technology: Designing, making and decorating gingerbread houses.

Computing: E safety, Programming - writing short algorithms and programs for floor robots and predicting program outcomes.