

English

The Great Kapok Tree by Lynne Cherry
The Vanishing Rainforest by Richard Platt

This term we will be reading the texts based on the theme of rainforests. We will be focusing on writing persuasive letters:

- Writing a persuasive letter based on impacts humans have on the rainforests.
- The features of persuasive letters
- Continuing our learning on compound and complex sentences using the appropriate conjunction

Geography

By answering the question 'How are humans affecting the world's rainforests?' The children will develop their knowledge of:

- The world's rainforest locations
- The structure of a rainforest (biome)
- The causes and effects of deforestation
- The threats to the rainforests.

P.E

This term the children will be learning the skills of:-

Being creative when exploring basic movement patterns

How to respond to different stimuli

Working in pairs to create formations using unison, canon and different levels.

The children will learn and develop shapes and circles and create sequences of movement with these through partnering and artistry .

Art

This term we are developing our knowledge of the artist Henri Rousseau and Claire Celeste. We will use their work as a stimulus to create watercolour 3D collages using a range of media.

School Value: Determination

We will be learning about the importance of demonstrating determination in school, to the wider community and how we can be determined in our learning.



Where Children Come First

PHSE

This term we will be learning about citizenship, this will include:

- Understanding what human rights are.
 - Caring for the environment.
- What it means to be part of a community

Music

This term we will be refining our composition of our own piece of music for the English National Opera and will practice performing it.

French

This term we will be continuing to develop our speaking, writing and listening skills to learn about how to present ourselves to another person in French.

Maths

Fractions

- Understand the whole
- Fractions greater than 1
- Counting in fractions
- Add and subtract fractions
- Fractions of a quantity

Decimals

Recognizing tenths and hundredths as decimals

Dividing 1 and 2 digits by 10 and 100.

Making a whole with tenths and hundredths.

Comparing and ordering decimals

Round decimals

Reasoning and problem solving using the above.

Computing

This term children will be learning to use 2LOGO. In this unit they will:

- Learn common commands and constructs of the Logo programming language.
- Develop their ability to compose algorithms for drawing mathematical structures and turn these into Logo code.

Religious Education

This term we will be learning about what the Bible says about poverty. Children will learn:

- What poverty is and what Christians are taught to do about poverty
- About people who choose to live a monastic life

Science

This term we will be learning about sound. We will learn:

- How sound is generated
- How sound travels through a medium
- How instruments make different sounds
- How the volume of sound changes

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Core Skills

