



Year 1 & 2
Summer 2 – 2021



In The Jungle!

As Writers we will:

Build on our understanding of non-fiction texts and create non-chronological reports about the jungle. Firstly, we will identify the most important features in the reports and then apply this in our writing. We will also build upon our knowledge of writing narratives and look at the different ways we can use descriptive language in a story to describe the main character.

As Mathematicians we will:

Consolidate our understanding of numbers and transfer this into looking at bigger numbers. Year 1 will focus on numbers up to 100, where they will compare, partition and order a variety of different numbers. Year 2 will be looking at measurement, where they will compare mass and use this to support them when using the terminology such as grams, kilograms, millilitres and litres.

As Readers we will:

Continue to build on our knowledge of the segmenting and blending words and apply this to a range of texts. We will also be comparing fiction and non-fiction texts and discussing their purpose for the reader.

As Scientists we will:

Investigate the different types of animals in our local environment and name some of the groups such as mammals and amphibians. We will then build on this knowledge and sort the different animals that we have learnt about into herbivores, carnivores and omnivores by creating food chains. Finally, we will label the different parts of different animals and then move onto labelling the different parts of the human body.

As Geographers we will:

Apply our knowledge of maps and identify different places in the United Kingdom. We will then explore a contrasting location and compare every day life - such as morning activities, journeys to school and houses. We will then focus on our main topic this term and compare the forests in Ecuador to those in the United Kingdom.

As Artists we will:

Learn about the artist, Henri Rousseau and use the techniques we have acquired throughout the year to re-create his painting 'Tiger in a Tropical Storm'. We will achieve this by exploring the tonal variation in his paintings and create swatches of different colours.

Welcome back - we hope you had a good break! As it is getting hotter, please ensure that your child brings a bottle of water to school everyday. Also, please remember to apply your child's sun cream before school and provide your child with a hat on sunny days. Just to remind you that PE days may move throughout the week so therefore please make sure your child has their kit in school from Monday to Friday. All children will have weekly Spellings, Reading and Maths homework as well as the 'Pick n Mix' sheet - which is to be completed online where possible.