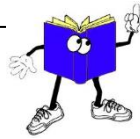


Literacy:



Narrative writing:

Focus on Traditional Tales and authors Christ Van Alsborg, Lynne Cherry. The children will be reading a selection of texts and write character and setting descriptions. We will also be innovating stories.

Non-fiction: Explanation texts and Play scripts
Children will be writing a play script to match our fiction text 'The Kapok Tree' and will write an explanation text linked closely with our topic work on the rainforests of the world.

Numeracy:

This term we will be focusing on place value, written addition and subtraction, multiplication, division and shape.

We will also be focusing on problem solving using all four operations

How you can help at home: please encourage your child to complete all homework tasks and to practise their rapid recall of times table facts.

R.E

Journeys:

They will be focusing on the journey throughout the liturgical year and will learn and develop an understanding of the Christian family's journey with Jesus through the Church's year.



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Computing:

*Creativity and Multimedia – we will be using our school green screen and the Puppet Pals programmes to create our own mini films.

*Coding Part 2

Science:

- Animals and their habitats!

Animals – To identify living and non-living things. Recognise that there is a wide variety of animals. Recognise that all animals need to move, breathe, feed and reproduce. Recognise that different species of animals have different ways of feeding, moving and reproducing. Make observations of living things and use these to inform their studies.



Art/Design and Technology:

IN Art we will be learning about and creating our own Aboriginal Art.

Linked with Traditional Tales, the children will also be designing and making their own shoes in Design and Technology.

Geography:

Rainforest – we will be developing knowledge of Rainforests. This will include map and co-ordinate skills using globes and atlases. We will use secondary sources e.g. ICT.

We will also be learning about the physical features of a rainforest and the deterioration of the environment and its inhabitants.

P.E

Mr Taylor: Netball / Team games
Miss Murphy: Dance

