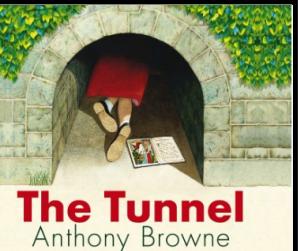


English

Reading

- Continue to decode harder words.
- Retrieve answers from a text.
- Infer meaning from texts.
- Understand the meaning of new vocabulary.
- Make predictions.



Writing focus.

- Setting descriptions
- Alliteration, similes and metaphors.
- Use and spell adverbs.
- Fronted adverbials to start sentences.
- Use direct speech punctuation.
- Join letters in handwriting.
- Write a diary entry

Geography

- Locate the world's rainforests on a world map.
- Understand where the tropics are.
- Know why rainforests are under threat.
- Understand deforestation.
- Know the layers of a rainforest.
- Investigate the climate in rainforests.
- Find out about the people and settlements in rainforests,

Key vocabulary: deforestation, Tropic of Cancer, Tropic of Capricorn, equator, climate, forest floor, understory, canopy, emergent, vegetation.

Computing

- Changing digital images.
- Recolouring.

Key vocabulary: cloning, combining, cropping, rotating.

Art

- Understand the work of William Morris.
- Develop patterns.
- Fabric painting.

Key vocabulary: imagery, mood board, colour pallet, repeating, symmetrical.



Owls Spring 1 Rainforests

Music

- Continue with learning steel pans.
- Know how to follow the music notes to play together.
- Take turns.

Key Vocabulary: notes, scales, pattern, beats, rest stops, orchestra.

Science

- Know the 7 life processes.
- Group living things in a variety of different ways.
- Recognise that some animals have a skeleton and some do not.
- Identify living things in our environment.
- Use classification keys.

Key vocabulary: vertebrate, invertebrate, classification, feature, habitats, reptile, mammal, insect, amphibian, carnivore, herbivore, omnivore.

Maths

- Multiply and divide mentally.
- Multiplying 3 numbers together.
- Inverse operations.
- Solve multiplication and division questions.
- Learning and revising the times tables (2,3,4,5,8,10 for Y3) All times tables for the Y4s.
- Multiplying 2 and 3 digit numbers by a 1 digit number.
- Begin to use formal written methods to calculate multiplication and division.
- Scaling up and down.
- Calculate perimeter.
- Revise calculating area.
- Measure length.
- Use all 4 operations including fractions to solve problems involving length.

RE

- Understand what is meant by duty and responsibilities.
- Understand how siblings show their duty to each other.
- Know the story of Rama and Sita.
- Recognise how Hindu stories explain their ideas about dharma.

Key vocabulary: Dharma, Rakhi, Diwali, Dussehra, Raksha Bandhan.

PE

- Gymnastics.
- Individual and partner balances, rotation jumps, straight roll, barrel roll, forward roll, straddle roll, bridge and shoulder stand.
- Fundamentals.
- Balance, run, dodge, hop, jump, skip.