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Our new learning theme for this half term is...

"Habitats: What lives where?

Our learning will be focused on habitats. Most of our learning will be linked to our main theme, although some subjects i.e. Maths, will continue to be taught separately.

We hope to have an exciting half term of learning!

Reminders:

PE will be on Tuesday and Friday afternoons, so please ensure your child wears their P.E. kit to school on Tuesday and Friday. Our Tuesday afternoon session will be outside.

In Maths, we will continue to learn about multiplication and division. If you would like to support your children at home please work with them on learning the 2, 5 and 10 timetables.

We will then be focusing on measurement; length & height, mass, capacity and temperature. We will also continue to recap prior learning to keep up our number knowledge and skills.

Our English will be linked to our Habitat topic this half term. We will be exploring 'The River' by Marc Martin. We will be focusing on poetry and setting descriptions and continue to develop our descriptive writing.

We will also be using a variety of books to continue our focus on reading skills.

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In Science, we will be learning about living things and their habitats. As part of our 'Engage & Empower' day we are excited to be building bug hotels and hope to entice some interesting guests!

In Art we will be looking at the work of Henri Rousseau focussing on his 'Tiger in a Tropical Storm'. As part of our theme, we will be looking at Geography and identifying the continents. The children will learn about the equator and the differences between hot and cold places.

How to support your child at home:

Regular reading at home would be extremely helpful. I will attach some questions to ask when reading with your child to help improve their comprehension skills.

If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to speak with me. Thank you in advance for your support.

Mrs Stopps

Links to previous learning...

We will be continuing to develop our descriptive writing skills this half term. For our Theme learning, we will be building on the Science knowledge learnt in Year 1 about animals to focus on their habitats.

Dates for your diary:

Skills Lab trip 27th February World Book Day 7th March