



In this topic we will be ...

Class: Argentina

Term: 3

Maths

- Counting in steps of 3, 4 and 8 and learning related multiplication tables.
- Explore different types of angles and lines.
- Add and subtract amounts of money.
- Describe properties of 2D shapes.
- Represent and interpret data in graphs.
- Read and write the time to the nearest minute.

SMSC / PSHE / British Values

- Understand the importance of looking after the environment.
- Understand that other people have cultures and beliefs different to our own. (Article 14)

Writing

- Writing letters using persuasive language.
- Writing adventure stories set in a rainforest using descriptive language.
- Use apostrophes for possession and contraction.
- Understand when to use a/an before a noun.

Geography

- Locate countries in South America and identify physical features (rainforests) using maps and globes.
- Identify the position and significance of the equator and tropics of cancer and Capricorn.
- Understand similarities and differences to the UK.
- Learn about the life of tribes in the Rainforest.

TOPIC

Rainforest Rangers

Novels / Texts

The Great Kapok Tree - Lynne Cherry
Journey to the River Sea - Eva Ibbotson

Art / Design Technology

- Use close observation to create paintings in the style of Henry Rousseau.
- Create a clay model of a rainforest animal.

Computing

- Research information about different aspects of the Rainforest.
- Create a comic strip based on The Great Kapok Tree.

Dance / Drama / Music

- Carnival of the animals - Saint Saens
- Composing our own music to reflect sounds heard in the rainforest.

Science

- To learn about the different types of food needed by animals, including humans.
- To know that humans and some animals have skeletons and muscles for support, protection and movement.

Home Learning Opportunities

At home children can:

- Continue to practice 3,4 and 8 multiplication tables.
- Use money and practice giving change.
- Create their own artwork based on Rainforest life.