

Rainforest

Year
5



In Science we will be investigating animal and plant life cycles focusing on tropical plant-life. We will also be exploring the environment and tropical biomes.

In Computing we will revisit the key e-safety skills that children should be using in the digital world.

We will also become web developers, creating our own websites in Google Sites to give advice to children about staying safe online.

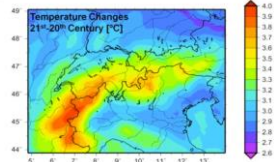
We will continue to use our Computing skills across the curriculum.

Key Maths Learning

- ✓ Place Value – rounding, negative numbers, Roman Numerals
- ✓ Times tables
- ✓ Addition and Subtraction – formal written methods and reasoning and problem solving

P.E lessons run by Nick are on XXXdays. Indoor P.E. taken by Mr Almond and Mrs McCullough is on XXXsdays.

Homework will go out on a Thursday and will be due in on a Tuesday



Challenge:

Where in the world are rainforests located?

How much rain does a rainforest get, when a rainforest does get rain?

Geography

We will describe and understand key aspects of physical geography, including: climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts

Useful Websites:

<http://kids.mongabay.com/>

<http://www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/rainforest.html>

<http://www.mbnqnet.net/sets/rforest/index.htm>

E-safety Parent Information

<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/Primary/>

In English we will be writing non-chronological reports on rainforest animals, as well as setting and character descriptions. Geography will focus on investigating and comparing the physical and human characteristics of the rainforest.



19th and 21st October: Parents Evening
Thursday 22nd October: School closes for half term