

DT

Skills taught and applied for:

Fabric Collage

Designing, making, evaluating, understanding and using different stitches and techniques to join fabric

Art

Skills taught and applied for:

Van Gogh

about a great artist; improve their mastery of painting techniques; record observations in a sketchbook.

How parents can help:

- Ensuring the children are reading regularly, including a mixture of fiction and non-fiction; asking questions to check their understanding and help them increase their vocabulary.
- Helping children learn the Year 3 and 4 spelling words, and any other spellings that may be sent home.
- Helping your children learn the times tables up to 12 x 12 and related division facts
- Look at numbers with 4 digits (including numbers with 2 decimal places) and negative numbers in the environment
- Help with homework. if necessary

Visits:

None this term.

Science

Skills taught and applied for:

Sound

Living Things - Classification

- how sounds are made and travel; what affects the volume and pitch of a sound
- recognise that living things can be grouped in a variety of ways; explore and use classification keys

Music

Skills taught and applied for:

singing; improvisation; expression, dynamics, pitch, musical notation



THE RAINFOREST

Spring Term 2019

Termly Overview Year 4

English

Narrative:

Story settings; Play scripts

Non-fiction:

Persuasive writing

Poetry:

Narrative poems

Maths

Primary Framework for Maths plus cross curricular links to:

Science

Computing

Geography

History

Skills taught and applied for:

The Mayans

compare and contrast a non-European society from c CE 900 to British history of the same period

RE

Skills taught and applied for:

belonging to a community, individual commitment and religious leadership; different ideas about God and creation; communicating through sacred spaces and prayer; Jesus's death and resurrection.

PE

Skills taught and applied for:

Dance; Striking and Fielding Games

French

En Classe

Habitats

Skills taught and applied for:

asking and answering questions with positive and negative responses; animals and environment

Geography

Skills taught and applied for:

Biome - Rainforest

describe and understand key aspects of the rainforest belt, including vegetation, climate, effects on the environment; the lifestyle of people who live there

PSHE

Skills taught and applied for:

Relationships

thinking about how our actions affect the feelings of others; secrets; dares; bullying; working collaboratively with others

COMPUTING

Skills taught and applied for:

Authoring:

using a variety of multimedia software programmes to present information; tools for presentation; adding hyperlinks; copyright rules; using appropriate content; e-Safety.