

Book spine: Running Wild
Picture book: The Black Dog
Biography: Juliane Koepcke
Survival guide: Based on 'The girl who fell from a plane text'.
Persuasive writing: Save the orangutans based on 'There's a Rang-tan in my bedroom'.
Grammar: Standard English verb forms. Expanded noun phrases with prepositional phrases. Fronted adverbials.

Living Things and their Habitats: Understand that all living things can be grouped in certain ways. Classify animals into vertebrates and invertebrates using classification keys. Recognise that environments can change and that this can sometimes pose dangers to living things.
Animals, including humans
 Describe the simple functions of the basic parts of the digestive system in humans. Identify the different types of teeth in humans and their simple functions. Construct and interpret a variety of food chains, identifying producers, predators and prey.

Number: Multiples of 7 and 25. Order numbers within 10,000 Rounding to 10, 100 and 1000. Roman numerals within 100.
Addition and Subtraction: 4-digit formal written with more than one exchange.
Multiplication and Division: Multiply and divide numbers with up to 3-digits using the formal method.
Fractions: Equivalent fractions, add and subtract fraction with same denominator, subtracting from whole numbers, dividing by 10.
Geometry: Compare angles, identify lines of symmetry,
Position and Direction: Plot points to make regular 2D shapes.
Statistics: Bar charts, tables and pictograms.

English

Science

Mathematics

RE: Being modest and listening to others, creating inclusion, identity and belonging. Being merciful and forgiving and responding to suffering.
PSHE: Dreams & Goals
 Aspirations, how to achieve goals and understanding the emotions that go with this.
Healthy Me: Being and keeping safe and healthy.

PSHE and RE

French: Weather phrases and appropriate clothing for different weather conditions; learn and sing song about weather in French speaking locations.

MFL

Year 4 Spring 2023-2024
Title: Saving The Rainforests




*Achieving
Excellence
Inspiring
Dreams*

Children will explore wind instruments, learning to correctly pitch notes, follow musical notation and in a group, create compositions. Develop and understand the history of music.
Music Day: Ravi Shankar. Call and response.
CBSO: Funky climate science and music workshop at Birmingham University.

Physical Education

Music

Handball: Catch with two hands. Work as a team. Build attacking play in games. Describe the defensive positions.
Yoga: Collaborate and create a routine with a partner. Move into and out of different poses, concentrating on breathing. Remember yoga poses when listening to the yoga facts.
Football: Stop a ball using the sole, inside and outside of the foot. Pass a ball with accuracy. Dribble a ball with some control. Kick a moving ball past a goalkeeper with some accuracy. Compete fairly.
Gymnastics: Perform a Teddy Bear roll with control and pointed toes. Perform a matching and mirroring balance in a sequence with control and precision. Perform a bunny hop lifting legs with control, height and pointed toes. Perform a sequence in unison showing body tension and some control.

Geography

Art & DT

Computing

History

Information Technology: Create a fact file with hyperlinks about rainforests using J2e5.
Computer Science: Introduce movement blocks and conditional statements to control events in Scratch3 reinforcing sequence, selection and repetition.
Online safety: Self-image and Identity
 Understand how online identity can be different to offline and how others can pretend to be someone else.
Privacy and Security
 Describe strategies for keeping personal information private, depending on the context.

Anglo-Saxons: Place events from The Stone Age to the Vikings on a timeline. Understand where the Anglo-Saxons came from and where they settled. Know there were 5 Anglo-Saxon kingdoms. Investigate the life of an Anglo-Saxon child.
 Enquiry: What does Sutton Hoo tell us about Anglo-Saxon life? Use sources to investigate Anglo Saxon burials. Know that Anglo-Saxon beliefs changed over time from Paganism to Christianity.

Know where the equator, Tropic of Cancer and Tropic of Capricorn are located on a world map
 Know that rainforests are located between the Tropic of Cancer and Tropic of Capricorn and can suggest some reasons for this
 Know the latitude of the equator, Tropic of Cancer and Tropic of Capricorn
 Know the names of the 4 layers of a rainforest
 Know what deforestation is and I can discuss some pros and cons for this
 Know how to collect and present data to answer a research question (from the Botanical gardens trip)

Art: Children create a composition for a clay tile based on the flora and fauna of the rainforest using joining techniques. Explore Amazon rainforest art by John Dyer.
D&T: Design, make and evaluate a rainforest smoothie. Chn will use a range of techniques such as the bridge and claw, peeling, chopping,