



Mathematics:

Areas to be covered:

- Mental and written multiplication and division and using the inverse operations to check.
- Fractions and decimals
- Measuring capacity and mass
- Statistics bar charts and pictograms
- Daily Mini-Maths arithmetic
- Big Maths weekly challenge on Friday.
- Times Tables by the end of Year 4, the national expectation is that children should know all of their times-tables facts up to 12 x 12.

What is a rainforest? Structure Layers

Where in the World

What lives in a

Animals plants

rainforest?

are rainforests?

Climate

The rainforest under threat.

Rainforests and plants

Saving the rainforest.

Classroom rainforest display.

Food and drink from the rainforest.

Who lives in a rainforest?

Tribal life, homes and settlements.

Rainforest tribal art.

RHE

Diverse Britain – democracy, rules and laws, liberty and rights, tolerance and respect, and being British.

English:

1. Humorous poetry

Texts: Various poems about school Grammar: powerful verbs and adverbs Punctuation: possessive apostrophes

2. Discussion texts (Save the Rainforest)

Texts: The Vanishing Forest by Richard Platt and The Great Kapok

Tree by Lynne Cherry

Grammar: First and third person

Punctuation: colons

Spelling: Weekly spellings focusing on patterns and rules.

Reading: Accelerated reading and quizzes; Weekly group reading session Handwriting – Daily practise sessions

Computing

Data-handling – Purple Mash 2 graph/2 count, Google Sheets

RE

What do Muslims believe and what difference does it make to their daily lives?

Science:

Plants

- Structure and function of parts of a plant – roots, stem, leaves and flowers.
- Photosynthesis
- Water transportation
- Plant life cycle and seed dispersal

P.E.

Ball skills and Cricket Maypole dancing

French

Les Animaux - Recognise, say, read, write and spell the names of common animals.