



THEME: Exploring Habitats

HOMEWORK

Spellings will be sent home weekly. Please practise these in your child's orange homework book.

Please read with your child every day and sign their diary. This is monitored by the class teacher.

Complete one piece of homework from the Pick n Mix menu per week. Either upload photos to Class Dojo or complete the work in your child's orange homework book.

Reading should be completed daily.
Homework will be sent home on a Monday, to be returned the following Monday.

PE

This half term we will be learning:

- Hockey
- Athletics

RE & PSHE

In **R.E.** we will be learning about Relationships – thinking about 'Who is special to me and why?'

In **PSHE** we will be discussing why we think special food and fasting helps people in their faith.

LITERACY

During this half term our literacy will be based around the texts 'The Owl who was afraid of the dark' and 'Owl Babies'.

We will be writing a non-chronological report about owls and continuing to practise using a variety of punctuation and sentence starters to make our writing more detailed and interesting.

We will be writing a recount based on our trip to Marsh Farm.

We will be improving our handwriting focussing on letter formation and sizing and joining letters together.

GEOGRAPHY

In Geography we will be learning about the hot and cold places of the world. We will see how this affects what animals can live in these areas, what people need to wear, looking at the difference in temperatures and focusing on where these places are in relation to the equator.

COMPUTING

Our unit this half term is 'Making Music'.

The children will be using a computer to create music. They will listen to a variety of pieces of music and consider how music makes them think and feel. The children will compare creating music digitally and non-digitally.

MATHS

This half term we will be looking at money and the value of coins and notes. We will be using our knowledge of coins to add amounts together and to make change. The children will be looking at how to make the same amount using different coins e.g. 20p = 5p+5p+ 5p+ 5p or 10p +10p.

They will be also learning about fractions and how to find a fraction of an amount.

CREATIVE ARTS

Art

This half term we will be looking at the artist Van Gogh and how he creates art. We will create our own habitats, using a variety of techniques.

SCIENCE

In science this half term we will be studying Habitats (living things)

Identifying and classifying. Asking simple questions and recognising that they can be answered in different ways. Gathering and recording data to help in answering questions.

Developing key subject vocabulary- habitat and micro habitat.

School Science challenge.