

As a writer we will ...

- Read, interpret and analyse 'The Great Kapok Tree' by Lynne Cherry
- write a setting description of the rainforest
- use metaphors, similes and personification
- write an alternative ending to the story
- write a non-chronological report on a newly-discovered rainforest creature
- Read, interpret and analyse 'Varmints' by Helen Ward
- discussion on deforestation

As a mathematician we will learn:

- Multiples
- Factors
- Multiplication and division
- Fractions
- Consolidate knowledge of place value, addition and subtraction

As a Geographer we will ...

- locate the world's rainforests
- study rainforest climate
- study the layers of a rainforest
- look at biomes
- learn about flora and fauna
- gain knowledge about Brazil and the Amazon rainforest
- discuss the advantages and disadvantages of deforestation

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Teaching Team:

Miss Vickers & Mrs Khan

As a scientist we will ...

- learn about living things and their habitats
- carry out investigations on mould
- learn how about animals and the different characteristics
- take part in the Cambridge energy challenge

As a musician we will ... be developing our rhythm skills through African drumming and singing. We will learn to play a variety of rhythms and will improvise our own. We will sing in a variety of styles including Call and Response and in 2 parts.

As a theologian we will be ...

- learning about Judaism

As an artist and designer we will ...

- learn how to draw using different textures and techniques
- learn how to draw a self portrait
- looking at Henri Rousseau's artwork

As a sports person we will ...

- learn the skills of tennis