

Teachers: Miss Hedley and Miss Jack

Geography: Why are rainforests important to us?

We will be able to describe a biome and its features

understand how indigenous people use the Amazon's

resources. Finally we will look at our local woodland

and understand how that is used.

and explain the layers of a tropical rainforest such as the Amazon. We will learn the term 'indigenous' and

Literacy

Non-Fiction: Linked to 'The Twits', the children will write REVOLTING RECIPES. To do this, they will explore instructional writing and understand the different features of this genre.

Fiction: We will explore the story - 'The Great Kapok Tree'. The children will complete a range of reading, drama and writing activities linked to the story. They will also write their own five part story based on our class text.

Poetry: We will enjoy exploring haikus!

Design and Technology: **British Inventors**

In DT, we will be learning about key events and designs that have shaped the world.

Maths

We will begin the half term learning how to tell the time before moving on to parallel and perpendicular sides in polygons. Then we will continue our work on non-unit fractions before finishing with

statistics



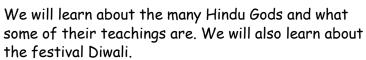
Times tables:

We will recap all of the times tables we have learnt so far and begin our 9 times table!









RE: Hinduism - What do Hindus believe?

Computing: Kodu

The children will be introduced to creating games with Kodu. They will have a go at programming characters, designing 3D worlds and making exciting collecting and racing games.

Music

We will continue to play the recorder and we will consolidate our learning from across the year.

Science: Plants

We will continue to learn all about plants. We will discover what pollination is and we will learn the importance of seed dispersal.



Key Vocabulary									
dispersal	pollination	Brahma	Diwali	Vedas	indigenous	biome	tropical	rainforest	deforestation



PSHE: Britain

This unit is inspired by the idea that we live in a diverse, multicultural and democratic society. The children will learn about British people, rules, the law, liberty and what living in a democracy means. They will also learn the importance of being tolerant of differences within their society.

French

We will continue learning about animals in French this half term. We will be able to name different animals and describe them

PE: Striking and Fielding

We will be playing rounders on the field and practising our throwing and catching skills. We will also practise some of the events we will take part in during Sports Day!