

Spring Term 2015

Dear Class 2,

Welcome back, I hope you had a lovely Christmas and New Year.

Our topic this term is The Rainforest. We will be focusing on what rainforests are and where they can be found. We will be investigating and learning about the people that live there, how they live, their traditional tales and what jobs they do. The children will also be learning about the animals that live in the Rainforest and why many of these animals are endangered.

In Art and Design we will be learning and developing painting techniques and designing and making a soft toy of an endangered animal from fabric.

In Music we will be looking at tribal music and the sounds from the Rainforest and creating our own compositions with our very own 'junk' instruments.

Science this term will focus on plants to find out and describe what they need to grow from seeds/bulbs into adult plants.

We will start the year by looking at 'time' in Numeracy..... it is always useful for children to develop this 'life-skill' of reading and understanding time by referring to it in the home environment too.

May I take this opportunity to thank all our parent helpers who supported in class last term, you were a great help! If any parents are able to support again this term please come and speak to me. If anybody could spare 10 minutes at the beginning of the day to hear readers this would be really helpful as providing opportunities for children to read to people is a great way to develop their confidence and fluency.

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to ask.

Many Thanks for your continued support.

Mr Lightowler