

BIG Question: Why is it important that we protect our rainforests?

This topic is all about learning to appreciate the diversity of our planet, portrayed through the millions of plants and creatures in the rainforests.

The children will learn all about habitats, life processes of plants and animals and the sustainability of rainforest regions. A trip to Eden will enable the children to gain an understanding of the importance of the forests for many of our everyday products. There will be an emphasis on geography, by describing key aspects of a tropical climate and comparing with UK forests. There will be a historical study of ancient forest dwellers and a look at how their lives changed and continue to change with influences from the western world. A study of the Amazon River will enable the children to get an insight into the diversity of cultures in different places along the river and how the river is a vital transport link. A project, printing rainforest animals will transform the classroom inspiring creativity and imagination.



Practise at Home:

Children are expected to read EVERY night. They are now expected to know their times tables 2, 3, 5, and 10s if they don't they must continue to practise using Rockstars.

They will have homework on Showbie.

on Mondays, which will include reading comprehension, maths practice and a topic activity, to be returned by the following