



Frodsham St Luke's Catholic Primary School

Following in the footsteps of Jesus, we learn, love and laugh together

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W/C 8.06.2020: Learning Project - The Rainforest

Age Range: Year 1

Weekly Reading Tasks	Weekly Phonics Tasks
Monday- Create a sock puppet based on a favourite story character. Show your child how to use the puppet to retell the story the character appears in.	Monday- Can your child think of an animal or plant that begins with each letter of the alphabet. How many of these can be found in a rainforest?
Tuesday- Watch Eric Carle's Slowly, slowly, slowly, said the Sloth or Rumble in the Jungle . Once your child is familiar with the story, they can read along or join in with familiar sentences.	Tuesday- The tree frog, spider monkey and boa constrictor are just some of the animals that can be found living in a rainforest. Ask your child to list verbs (action words) to describe how each animal moves. How many can they think of?
Wednesday- Ask your child to go and read in a sunny spot in the garden. How did it make them feel reading outside?	Wednesday- Your child could visit this interactive game and play Forest Phonics .
Thursday- Some of our everyday food comes from the rainforest. Your child can look in the kitchen cupboards and identify foods with the 'Rainforest Alliance' logo.	Thursday- This game helps your child to practise the 'tricky' words for their year group in a fun, interactive way.
Friday- Help your child to look through cookery books for a recipe involving chocolate. Ask them to use decoding skills to read some of the ingredients. They can learn about where chocolate derives here . EXTRA: Reading for pleasure and comprehension skills BUG CLUB has a variety of online books to read with lots of comprehension questions. Children can gain gold coins for these. (use active learn log in) https://www.activelearnprimary.co.uk/login?c=0	Friday- The word 'rain' contains the sound 'ai'. Ask your child to list as many words as they can containing the 'ai' sound. Your child might identify words that contain an alternative spelling for 'ai' such as ay/a-e . Daily Phonics sessions on YouTube. You can watch these live between 10 and 11 am or go back over these anytime. (Letters and Sounds for home and school) https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCP_FbjYUP_UtldV2K_niWw/featured?disable_polymer=1
Weekly Writing Tasks	Weekly Maths Tasks-

<p>Monday- Your child could start a nature diary. At the same time each day, they could record the animals that they can see in the garden or from their window and describe the weather and plants. What differences do they notice over the week? Or a month?</p>	<p>****White Rose Maths – Check out the activates on our website via this link. There are video clips, daily activities and answers **** http://www.stlukesfrodsham.org.uk/page/summer-week-7-wc-8th-june/74282</p> <p>Monday- Oak National Academy Number Bonds https://www.thenational.academy/year-1/maths/to-apply-knowledge-of-number-bonds-year-1-wk5-1</p>
<p>Tuesday- Oak National Academy St George and the Dragon https://www.thenational.academy/year-1/english/saint-george-and-the-dragon-year-1-wk3-1</p>	<p>Tuesday- Oak National Academy adding 2 digit numbers to ones https://www.thenational.academy/year-1/maths/to-add-two-digit-numbers-to-ones-year-1-wk5-2</p>
<p>Wednesday- Your child could write a short description of the rainforest. Ask them to think about what they can see, hear, feel and smell. This live stream may help.</p> <p>Oak National Academy https://www.thenational.academy/year-1/english/to-commit-a-story-to-memory-year-1-wk3-2</p>	<p>Wednesday- Cut pieces of paper into different shapes or food that can be sliced, then work with your child to find half by cutting or drawing on the shapes or by slicing the food. Make sure both sides are equal and if they aren't, talk about why it is not half. Repeat for finding a quarter.</p>
<p>Thursday- Many trees in the rainforest are chopped down to use for paper. Ask your child to create a poster about saving and reusing paper at home.</p>	<p>Thursday (theme)- Get a chocolate bar and work with your child on how it could be split into half, quarters and thirds. You could investigate whether the size of the chocolate bar affects how much they get. Does $\frac{1}{2}$ always look the same?</p>
<p>Friday- Visit the Literacy Shed for this wonderful resource on Caterpillar Shoes. Or, write an acrostic poem about a rainforest creature.</p> <p>Friday alternative – BBC bitesize daily lesson Curly Caterpillar and the suffix ly https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zrk6pg8</p>	<p>Friday- Select an even number of some of your children's toys (e.g. toy cars, marbles). Work with your child on splitting the total amount in half by sharing out into 2 piles. Repeat this to find a quarter but share the amount into four piles.</p> <p>Friday BONUS -using my maths https://www.mymaths.co.uk/ explore some of the homework activities set by Mr Taylor</p>

Learning Project - to be done throughout the week

The project this week aims to provide opportunities for your child to learn more about the world's rainforests. Learning may focus on the plants, animals and insects that inhabit the rainforest, food that originates there and weather patterns. It could look at plants and animals that can be found in the garden too.

- **Fascinating Forest Floor-** Can your child create their own replica forest floor? Task them with collecting materials from the garden or during your daily exercise. Why not share a photograph of your child's creations online using _____

- **The Sounds of the Rainforests-** There are many wonderful and intriguing sounds that can be heard in the rainforest. You can listen and watch real footage from a rainforest [her e](#) or watch [this BBC Our Planet clip](#). Which animal makes the most noise in the rainforest?. Ask your child to record what sounds they can hear and to predict what animals the sounds have come from. Can your child replicate these sounds using objects from around the home?
- **Where in the World are the Rainforests?-** Using an atlas or online map, can your child locate the continents (Africa, Asia, Australia, Central America and South America) where rainforests can be found? If this is too challenging, can your child locate one country with a rainforest, and then locate the UK. Ask them to describe the similarities and differences between the UK and the country they have located.
- **The Big Garden Tidy Up-** Why not work together as a family and have a Big Garden Tidy Up? Task your child with pulling out weeds, raking up the leaves or just having a general tidy. Take before and after photographs.
- **Sketch a Spider Monkey or a Tree Frog-** Can your child create a detailed sketch of an animal that inhabits the rainforest? Using pencils, crayons or whatever else you have, ask your child to copy an image of a rainforest animal, thinking carefully about the patterns and tones.

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Rainforest Insects

- Watch [this video](#).
 - There are lots of insects/mini-beasts in the rain forest. You can see some pictures of them [her e](#).
 - Look for mini-beasts living in the garden or on a walk. What are these mini beasts called? Which one do you like the best and why?
- Try drawing pictures of the mini-beasts you find.

Additional learning resources parents may wish to engage with

- [The Rainforest Alliance website](#) is packed full of information, resources and games which may support some of the above activities.
- [White Rose Maths](#) online maths lessons. Watch a lesson video and complete the worksheet (can be downloaded and completed digitally).
- [Numbots](#). Your child can access this programme with their school login.
- IXL- Click here for [Year 1](#) There are interactive games to play and guides for parents.
- [Mastery Mathematics Learning Packs](#) Learning packs with different activities and lessons. Includes notes on how to do these activities with your children.
- [Y1 Talk for Writing Home-school Booklets](#) are an excellent resource to support your child's speaking and listening, reading and writing skills.

Link to White Rose Maths on our website

<http://www.stlukesfrodsham.org.uk/page/summer-week-7-wc-8th-june/74282>

These White Rose Maths activities link directly to the BBC bitesize lessons. They are great as they contain videos, activities and also the answers to check at the end. There is an activity to check out each day and also alternative activities as well.

BBC BITESIZE DAILY LESSONS

https://bam.files.bbci.co.uk/bam/live/content/z769whv/pdf#sa-link_location=blocks&intlink_from_url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.bbc.co.uk%2Fteach%2Fbitesize-daily-schedules-teach%2Fzdtwjvh&intlink_ts=1591527554124-sa

The new **online Bitesize Daily lessons** in Maths, English and other core subjects. Created in collaboration with teachers and other education experts, they combine the best of Bitesize, BBC Teach and other education providers.

The lessons include videos, educational games, articles and practice tests. They also have advice for parents or guardians or anyone who is home-schooling.

Oak National Academy

<https://www.thenational.academy/online-classroom>

Oak National Academy is a new collection of high-quality lessons and online resources. Backed by the Government, it has been created in response to the coronavirus lockdown.

They offer free access to great teachers, delivering video lessons, quizzes and worksheets. It covers a range of subjects. All of the lessons are ordered so your child can learn along a clear plan. New lessons and sessions are uploaded each week.

Feel free to use these resources and activities to supplement your child's learning at home.

Please also refer to the letter with website links that was sent out previously. If you are unsure of these, please contact us – we can re send these!

Classroom Secrets Learning Packs - These packs are split into different year groups and include activities linked to reading, writing, maths and practical ideas you can do around the home.

Twinkl - to access these resources click on the link and sign up using your own email address and creating your own password. Use the offer code UKTWINKLHELPS.

My Happy Mind - Please remember that you have access to our mindfulness and wellbeing programme via the parent app. See letter sent out last term.

Support for children's wellbeing and to understand why school is closed <https://www.elsa-support.co.uk/>

Code studio <https://studio.code.org/courses> Children can continue to work through their code studio programme using their individual login details.

Super movers <https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/supermovers/ks1-collection/zbr4scw>

Additional Year 1 phonics support can be found here: <https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/reading/learn-to-read-phonics/>

Espresso <https://www.discoveryeducation.co.uk/what-we-offer/discovery-education-espresso>

Joe Wicks the body coach will be delivering a daily physical workout for all children <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCAxW1XT0iEJo0TYIRfn6rYQ>

If your child requires more of a challenge, or you believe that there are some gaps in their learning then [Century Tech](#) is a fantastic resource that is currently free for home learning. The app is designed to address gaps and misconceptions, provide challenge and enables children to retain new knowledge. It uses artificial intelligence to tailor the learning to your child's needs. Sign up [here](#).

Please remember to share any activities that your child completes with @stlukesfrodsham and @Y1StLukesFrod or log onto the Pupil Area of the website and create a Scrapbook

Thank you to those who have been sharing what they have been up to!