

Spring Term Planning 2023 -2024 – Rec/Year1
Theme - Rainforests

| Language, Literacy & Communication | Maths & Numeracy | Health & Well-being |
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| <p>Stories – Rainforest animals, The Rainforest book, Up in the canopy, Amazon Rainforest, Saving the rainforest, Rumble in the jungle Role-play – Rainforest Explorer Hut Writing genres – Recount, acrostic, shape poems, list poems, postcards, diaries, fact files, rainforest word mat, posters, riddles – what animal am I?, Phonics and spelling – (Rec/Year 1) Step 2,3,4 Jolly Phonics Individual reading (all class) Guided reading (Year 1) Welsh – Flic a Flac, Tedi Twt, Bevan Bear Weather recap daily, Where do we live (Ble wyt ti’n byw?) Names of animals in the rainforest. Tric a chlic weekly (year 1)</p> | <p>Place value Addition and subtraction Repeated patterns using 2D/3D shapes Positioning (Rec) Length and height</p> | <p>Outdoor Learning – Dukefield weekly sessions Meditation down the woods Getting outside with Nature RSPB Birdwatch Healthy eating – making tropical fruit salad, Healthy snacks How to look after our bodies, minds Mental health week Being kind to each other PE- Dance, music and movement, Learning new Welsh folk dances, Pause Points yoga.</p> |
| Science & Technology | Humanities | Expressive Arts |
| <p>The layers of the rainforest Classification of the different animals e.g what is a mammal? Reptile? Bird? Insect? Food chains Life cycles, Habitats Endangered animals</p> <p>Using Roamer to create routes around the Rainforest. Continue to Use JIT and J2E packages to draw and write a sentence about rainforests. Use BBC Bitesize to find out about animals.</p> | <p>Where are the rainforests? Amazon rainforest etc Looking at world maps/globes. Physical features of Rainforest Weather/climate What animals live there? What can we do to protect the rainforest? Looking at our forest and comparing it to the rainforest. Famous explorers Holi Chinese New Year Easter</p> | <p>Making Rainforest using junk modelling Textile animals Silk paintings Animal collages Paper mache animals Listening to the Carnival of the animals music – how does it make us feel? Dancing/moving like an animal that lives in the rainforest.</p> |