



Year 4 Curriculum Overview Summer Term 1



Miss Evans & Mrs Williamson

Geography

The Rainforest:

- Location of the rainforest
- Map and atlas skills
- Climate
- Physical geography of the rainforest (biomes, vegetation, mountains, earthquakes, water cycle)
- Comparing physical and human characteristics with the UK
- Importance of the rainforest



Literacy

- Setting Description
- Character Description
- Narrative adventure
- Spellings, Punctuation and Grammar including: prefixes, determiners, adverbs, direct speech using inverted commas, conjunctions and fronted adverbials.
- Whole class reading: Fiction, Non-fiction and Poetry text.



R.E.

Christianity

When Jesus left, what was the impact of Pentecost?

- What is the Holy Spirit
- Symbols of the Holy Spirit
- How does the Church help people today?

Maths

- Decimals
- Money
- Preparation for times tables check



Science

Living things and their habitats

- What are habitats
- How do environments change?

Spanish

Taught by Mrs Salcedo

Art

Fabric of nature – inspired by the Rainforest



PSHE - Myself and

My Relationships
Managing change

- Physical
- Social
- Emotional



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Designing and making a helmet



Homework expectations in Year 4

- 1) Read with an adult at least 4 times a week and discuss the text using the questions in the front of reading diaries/ on 'Doggy' bookmarks. Also write 4 of their own comments.
- 2) Weekly homework practice of target times tables (Garage) for test each Thursday.
- 3) Log on to your Times Table Rockstars account (logins in reading record) and complete 30 minutes of activities per week. (Play in the studio to improve your speed).
- 4) Log on to your EdShed account to practice common exception words and the current spelling pattern being taught.

***If there is a problem with your child accessing their Purple Mash, TTRockstars or Edshed account at home please speak to your child's class teacher.**

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Tuesday 14th April **only**

Swimming

Wednesday – Cricket (outdoors)

