

Writing

Focus texts:

The Rainbow Bear, by Michael Morpurgo

There's a Rang-Tan in My Bedroom, by James Sellick and Frann Preston-Gannon

- Exploring the texts, making predictions, discussing vocabulary and text type to gain a deeper understanding.
- Exploring the features of non-fiction text and writing fact files.
- Exploring the features of a letter and writing a real

Phonics

Most children will be working on phase 5b and 5c phonics looking at alternative pronunciations and spelling rules.

Interventions will be in place for children who need to continue with phase 3,4 and 5 phonics.

Maths

This term, we'll be focusing on Multiplication and Division. This will include:

- Recognising and making equal groups.
- Using arrays to understand multiplication.
- 2, 5 and 10x tables. Some children will use 3x table.
- Making equal groups – sharing and grouping
- Dividing by 2, 5 and 10. Some children will divide by 3.

We will then move on to learning about measuring length.

Reading

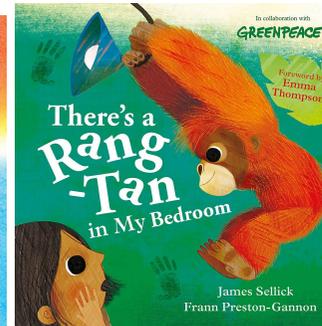
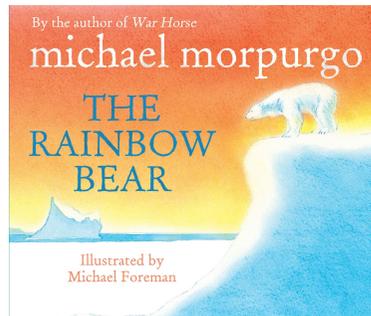
Our two guided reading texts this term are 'Leaf' by Sandra Dieckmann and 'Voices in the Park' by Anthony Browne.

We will be focusing on a range of skills, such as: making predictions, exploring vocabulary, retrieving information from the text and making inferences.

Our class novel this term is 'The BFG' by Roald Dahl.

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Amazing Animals



Science

Our Science lessons this term will be focused animals and their habitats.

- Exploring polar and rainforest habitats.
- Learning about polar bears and orangutans in more depth.
- Finding out more about orangutans and the impact of deforestation.
- Finding out about the impact of global warming on polar animals.
- Exploring the ways that polar and rainforest animals have adapted to their habitats.

Geography

We will be learning more about polar and rainforest animals. We will be making comparisons between different areas and exploring the features.

We will also be learning about the impacts of global warming on polar habitats.

Art & DT

This term we will be using a variety of materials to visually explore the habitats and animals of Polar and Tropical regions. We will investigate how animals have adapted to their habitats through Camouflage and other visually stunning examples! We will work towards creating a large-scale display for our classrooms.

PE – Please wear PE kit to school on Tuesdays.

This term we will be focusing on gymnastics. This will usually take place indoors.

PHSE

This term, our focus is "Healthy Me" – We will be thinking about how to keep our mind and body in good shape, and how we can help each other to stay healthy too!