

Maths

Kestrels will continue their work on fractions- simplifying, subtracting, adding, multiplying and making links to decimals and percentages. They will be developing their skills as well as their reasoning and problem solving abilities.

Kestrel Class

TERM 3: Rainforests



**Spirituality. I wonder ...
Is God a musician?**

Science

Our focus will be understanding and comparing lifecycles of mammals, amphibians, insects and birds.

Children will need to classify animals describing similarities and differences.

In **Music** we will be composing a 'Jungle' tune.

PE Mondays and Wednesdays.

English.

We will be studying at extracts from *Running Wild* by Michael Morpurgo and *Journey to the River Sea* by Eva Ibbotson.

Our writing will engage the audience through our Rainforest stories, explanations of lifecycles, survival guides as well as radio adverts and the opportunity to work on a personal project.

There will be regular lessons on spelling, punctuation, grammar and handwriting; Learning new ideas and revising those from previous terms.

Have you seen the posters for World Book Day? There are lots of activities in the week beginning 4th March.

In **Computing** we will be researching information about the Rainforests, deforestation as well as publishing writing from our personal projects.

Religious Education.

The value this term is Forgiveness.

We will be considering- How can following God bring freedom and justice during our BIG RE Week

Look out for the date to come and work with us.

Geography

We will be developing our mapping skills by locating different parts of the world with an emphasis on the Rainforests.