

Topic - As Geographers, we will be exploring the country of Brazil with a special focus on the River Amazon and the rainforest. We will travel the length of the river, finding out how it has shaped the landscape and how people have used its features to build communities. We will then venture into the rainforest itself to explore its wonders before finally considering what can be done to protect the rainforests of the world.

English - Our work in English will include fiction and non-fiction writing. In our narrative writing, we will be investigating stories of rebirth and overcoming the monster stories which we will use as models for our own writing. In non-fiction we will be reading and then writing reports and persuasive texts; much of this work will be linked to our work in Science and Topic.

Our class novel for this term will be 'The Explorer' by Katherine Rundell.

Maths - Our work in maths will include calculating area and perimeter of compound shapes, exploring and calculating with fractions, decimals and percentages, developing our knowledge of multiplication and division to solve ratio and proportion problems and finally, Year Six will begin to use simple formula and equations in algebra. We will also continue to practise arithmetic skills.

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Science - Our topic for the Spring Term is 'Material World'. In this very practical topic, we will learn about materials and how they change. First we will be testing the properties of materials, before looking at how materials dissolve, what a solution is and evaporation. Finally, we will compare reversible and irreversible changes. We may even have the opportunity to make a new material of our own!

PE - In our indoor PE sessions, we will develop our skills of control and balance through gymnastics.

Art and DT - As artists and designers, we will design and make our own textile product, using our own templates. We will also develop our making and finishing skills to enhance the quality of the product we make.

Computing - We will continue to develop our programming skills, learning how to write programmes to make things happen on screen using Scratch.

Values - Our Values for the Spring Term are 'Perseverance' and 'Thankfulness'

RE - We will be exploring the key questions of 'What does it mean if God is holy and loving?' and 'Why is the Torah so important to Jewish people?'

French - In our French lessons, we will be expanding our vocabulary to include homes and numbers, places in a town and learning how to ask for and give directions,