

Class One - Here is your home learning menu for our topic – The Rainforest – by Marfe Ferguson Delano

Language, Literacy and Commnication	Mathematics and Numeracy	Science and Technology
<p>Practise reading and writing your alphabet sounds on a daily basis. Sound pronunciation guide</p> <p>RWI - Set 3 sounds are being uploaded to Flipgrid. JIT Read Write Inc folder has games to help develop your child's reading skills.</p>	<p>Practise writing your numbers</p> <p>How many different ways can you practise writing your numbers.</p> <p>Pre-reception to 10 Reception to 20 (and beyond)</p>	<p>Just2Easy JIT – The Rainforest</p> <p>Paint: - Create a picture of the rainforest and its animals.</p> <p>Mix: Read the non-fiction books and answer the questions.</p>
<p>Imagine you have discovered a new rainforest animal or plant. Draw or write about it.</p> <p>Challenge: Use some adjectives to describe your animal.</p>	<p>Scan the QR code and listen to the story The Great Pet Sale by Mick Inkpen. Please see the Powerpoint.</p>	<p>Cbeebies - animals that disguise themselves</p> <p>Some animals camouflage themselves. What does camouflage mean? Find a place around the house/garden where one of your toys can be camouflaged? Challenge: Research what is a chameleon?</p>
<p>Write a postcard about what you have seen on your journey to the rainforest.</p> <p>Challenge: Please remember your capital letters, fingers spaces and full stops.</p>	<p>Can you make a necklace with 10 leaves? Use a hole puncher (carefully with a grown up) to make holes in leaves. Thread them onto some string to make a necklace. Can you think of ways of attaching flowers?</p> <p>Challenge: Use 20 leaves. Write numbers on them?</p>	<p>Look at the Powerpoint which is uploaded under this planning. Talk about the plants which grow in the rainforests.</p> <p>Challenge: Discuss what a plant needs so that it can grow.</p>
<p>In our book of the week the author told us about the Rain forest layers. There are four layers in the rainforest: Emergent layer, Canopy layer, Understory and Forest floor. Research this and create a non-fiction book. Challenge: Can you use descriptive language in your fact file?</p>	<p>Help your child to look through cookery books for a recipe involving cocoa/chocolate.</p> <p>Challenge: Can you use the weighing scales to measure the ingredients?</p> <p>BBC - Baking with children recipes NHS Change for life pudding recipes</p>	<p>Can you research some different types of frogs from around the world? What is the same/different about them? What do they eat? Do they always live near water? Please look at the Powerpoint for the life cycle of a frog activity.</p> <p>Cbeebies - Andy's song explains the life cycle of a frog</p>
<p>Oracy activity: Investigate where rainforests are in the world. Make a list of the countries where you will find them. Can you find the countries on your globe or in your atlas?</p>	<p>Subtraction: Practise counting backwards from 10. This can be done through playing hide and seek, singing number songs, chanting, board games etc.</p> <p>Challenge: Count backwards from 20.</p>	<p>Which animals make the most noise in the rainforest?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Why does the Howler monkey howl? Why do the frogs make a noise? Do all frogs make the same noise? What is a Gibbon? Who makes the most noise in the rainforest?
<p>Listening skills: Cbeebies - I spy sound detective - Rainforest</p> <p>Play 'I Spy in the Rainforest'. 'I spy, with my little eye, something beginning with t'.</p> <p>Challenge: Change it to 'I spy, with my little eye, my word includes the digraph ee' - 'Tree'.</p>	<p>Make a list of animals that live in the rainforest. Which ones live in water? Which ones live on land? Which ones live in the trees?</p> <p>Challenge: Can you find another way of sorting the creatures?</p>	<p>What is the weather like in the Amazon rainforest. Can you create your own weather broadcast to describe today's weather? You could film yourself.</p> <p>Challenge: Can you make a weather map and symbols to include in your film?</p>

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<p>There are four layers in the rainforest. Please see the Powerpoint. Which layer would you like to live in and why?</p>	<p>Can you make up a jungle dance? Make up some dance moves! Challenge: Can you draw or write any of them down so you don't forget. Can you teach your dance to a grown up.</p> <p>Weather sounds (Rainmakers) Provide your child with either a plastic container, bottle or other junk modelling item. Pour in a spoon or two of rice or lentils and secure with a bottle lid or sellotape. Decorate with stickers, glitter and sequins if you have them available. Have fun exploring making rain sounds.</p>	<p>Gather and paint leaves to create some leaf-printing pictures. (Only if your family say that it is fine to do so!)</p> <p>What plants can we find in the garden? Can you name the different parts of a plant? Stem, leaves, branches, roots, flower? Try using some of the material found in your garden to make something useful. For example, a nature paint brush.</p> 
<p>Religious Education: Read the story of Creation. Challenge: Write a a thank you prayer to say thank you for the wonderful things that God created.</p>	<p>Enjoy the workout which has be shared with you on Dojo! Can you learn it and send us a Flipgrid video of yourself completing the dance?</p>	<p>Can you mix jungle colours? Can you use paints to mix orange for a tiger? Green for the leaves, brown for tree trunks? Purple or pink for a tropical flower? Challenge: What happens when you add black or white to a colour?</p>

If you would like any additional work to complete at home, please send me a Dojo message. I enjoy seeing the work that you have completed at home. Please upload it to Just2Easy on Hwb or send me a photo on Dojo. Thank you.

Please remember this is only a guide and some ideas! I completely understand that everyone has different commitments and really do fully appreciate your support during this unprecedented time!

Jungle and Rainforest



tiger



python



anteater



butterfly



ant



panda



termite



fruit bat



orangutan



sloth



ocelot



piranha



macaw



iguana



tree frog



tapir



lemur



caiman



gorilla



leopard