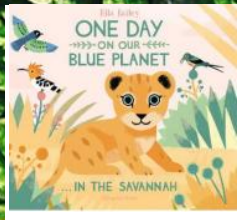


Summer Two Term Year 1

English

This term in English we are turning our eyes to Africa! We will imagine ourselves as lion cubs living on the savannah, and use drama to help us create a diary entry of a day in our lives. We will also revisit poetry, and use our learning from across the term to create an exciting animal themed poem!

We are reading...



Maths

In maths, we are moving onto our final four units. In this term, we will explore position and direction, place value within 100, money, and time. It will be an action packed term for maths with all these exciting topics!

Science

In Science this term, we will be joining together with our larger topic of Africa, looking at some African animals, and comparing them with the kinds of animals we might find in the UK. We will research mammals, reptiles and birds living in the African savannah and create fact files to show our learning.

Art

This half term we will be exploring Tinga Art and how patterns are represented in African Art. We will be focussing on the artist Edward Tingatinga, and the amazing movement he inspired across the world! We will explore African patterns and animals with a keen focus on the skills of drawing, painting, and some weaving. We will also be using charcoal to show light and dark areas and make colours lighter and darker with watercolour to explore sunsets. This links to our Geography learning about Zambia.



Geography

In Geography this term, we will be examining the Zambian village of Mugurameno. We will look at where it is in the world, and what life is like in a radically different place! We will learn about continents, countries, and direction, as well as thinking about all the amazing things which make a place like Mugurameno unique!

DT

In this term's DT learning we will be heading to the kitchen! Year 1 will be making a healthy breakfast bowl using the rhubarb we have watched grow over the year in our school garden. We will be thinking about what it means to create something 'healthy', how to choose ingredients, and how to bring everything together to make a delicious meal!

Music

Our music learning this term will continue with last term's topic of mood and tempo through musical stories. We will then move on to practising our dance skills, thinking about how we can interpret music and its emotion through movement and drama.

RE

In our RE learning this term, we will be learning about symbols, and how they are represented by Sanatanis. We will also be creating our own symbols and explain why they are meaningful to us.

PSHE

Our current topic in PSHE is 'Changing Me'. In this unit, we will explore what it means to change, and think carefully about what changes we might experience in life, and how they might affect us. We will look at this concept from a variety of different perspectives including physical and emotional changes.

PE

In PE this term, Year 1 will be focussing on fitness. We will be learning about ways we can keep fit, and the reasons we may choose to. We will also be practising our skills in athletics, getting ready for our upcoming sports day!

Computing

This term in computing, we will be programming animations! We will be comparing Scratch Junior to Beebots, choosing commands for given purposes and adding sprites. We will also look at online bullying and online relationships.