

Year 4 tasks for week beginning 22.06.20

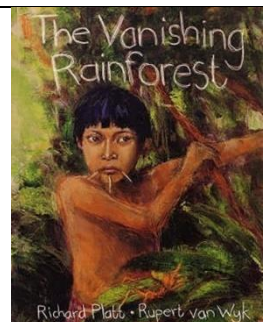
Below is a list of tasks and activities to work on over this week. Your child should be able to work on these tasks mostly independently, although it's always nice for them to discuss their ideas and share what they've achieved with someone. We do not expect every single task to be completed, rather it is a list of ideas to keep them busy and learning, in line with the National Curriculum. Whilst it is important to keep learning key facts, knowledge and skills this is also a great opportunity for your child to explore their interests further and be creative.

Please share a sample of their learning with us every week – a piece of English, Maths and perhaps another piece they are very proud of – by emailing it to admin@fleet.camden.sch.uk with the class teacher's name as the subject.

English - writing

This week we are starting a new unit based on *'The Vanishing Rainforest'* by **Richard Platt**. It's a story seen through the eyes of Remaema, a child in the Yanomami tribe. The tribe are trying to protect the Brazilian rainforest in which they live.

You can watch a film of Mrs Benbetka reading [The Vanishing Rainforest](#). We will be doing some *persuasive writing* and *recapping apostrophes*.



English - reading

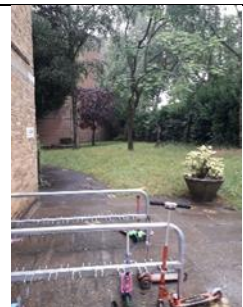
We are learning about Ruby Bridges this week. Read the article in the resource page and then answer the questions.

Maths

This week we're focussing on calculation: looking at compact method for subtraction, word problems and there's an investigation for you to do. Have a look at the slides to find out more.

Science

Redesign this area from school! Read the notes carefully to see what should be included. All the guidance is in the resource page.



Geography

We've been learning about countries in South America and this week we're going to focus on Brazil. Start by reading the PowerPoint with information. Then you're going to write a postcard imagining you've been to Brazil. You could write about: which city you were in, what food you ate, what you did, what you saw (landmarks or animals), what the weather was like.

RE

We're going to be learning about Wesak, a Buddhist festival celebrated in May or June. Watch the video and read the information here:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zh4mrj6/articles/zbsp92p#:~:text=Wesak%20celebrates%20the%20Buddha's%20birthday,is%20also%20called%20Buddha%20Day.>

Then click the link at the bottom to try making your own Wesak lantern!

PE

It's Sports Week - why not try one of the fun activities on the sheet we've saved. Let us know how you get on!



Music

Imagine your very own fantastical creature. Follow the link to listen to Anthology of Fantastic Zoology and see how the music can inspire creative ideas. We look forward to seeing your drawings.

PSHE

The Black Lives Matter movement has been in the news a lot recently. Read the article here to find out more: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/52965984>

Try one of these two activities:

1. Not many of you tried the statue task we set last week. Can you look back last week's task list and try it if you haven't already?
2. This week the Premier League announced that they would be changing their shirts to reflect the movement. Read about that here: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/53033886>. What do you think the new shirts should look like? Create a design to show us.

Class Photo Task

Important: if you haven't done this already!

As we have missed getting our class photo taken this year we would love to make a class collage of everyone in the class. It could be a way to pass on a message to each other too about something we wish we could say to each other in person or something we've been thinking while we've not been able to come to school and see each other or something you are looking forward to doing together.

Please take a picture of yourself holding your message and then send the picture to Lisa via email at: admin@fleet.camden.sch.uk