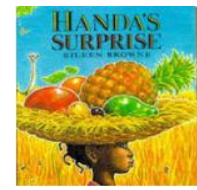


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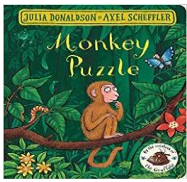


Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope you all had a lovely Christmas and that your children had a well-deserved rest. Although our learning has reverted to online teaching, please be reassured we will be here to help and support your child through this new stage of learning. The theme for our work will be **'A Walk on the Wild Side'**. We will be looking at books associated with wild animals in English. In Topic, we will have a Geography focus where we will be looking at animals around the world. In Science, we will be identifying and naming a variety of animals. In Art; we will be looking at 'Tinga Tinga' art. We hope your children will enjoy the topic as much as we do! **Miss Dean & Miss Farmer**

Our Curriculum

Subject Area	January/ February	March/ April
English	Book Focus: 'Monkey Puzzle' by Julia Donaldson <ul style="list-style-type: none">Adding suffixes to words (s & es).Writing short narratives.Using 'and' and other conjunctions in our writing.	Book Focus: 'Handa's Surprise' by Eileen Browne <ul style="list-style-type: none">Writing short narratives.Using question marks and exclamation marks.Looking at compound words.Recount of our safari trip.Informative and persuasive letter writing.
Maths	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Counting in multiples of 2s, 5s and 10s.Adding, subtracting.Place value to 50.	Measurement: Capacity, Length, Height, Weight, Volume
RE	Christmas, Forgiveness	Lent and Holy Week
Science	Animals: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Identify and name a variety of common animals including fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals.Identify and name a variety of common animals that are carnivores, herbivores and omnivores.Describe and compare the structure of a variety of common animals.	Plants: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Identify and name a variety of common wild and garden plants including deciduous and evergreen trees.Identify and describe the basic structure of a variety of common flowering plants and trees.
Topic	Geography: Name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of the United Kingdom and its surrounding seas, understand geographical differences between Worcester and Africa. Use basic geographical vocabulary to describe human and physical features, identify seasonal and daily weather patterns, use local maps, atlases and globes, simple compass directions, simple fieldwork and observational skills. Art: Tinga Tinga Art Music: African drumming, songs and chants.	
Computing	E-safety and algorithms. <ul style="list-style-type: none">What algorithms are/ how to implemented as programs.Use logical reasoning to predict the behaviour of simple programs.	
PE	Fundamental movement skills throughout the week.	
	Team Games	Yoga



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