

Tynsel Parkes CE Primary Academy

Year 2
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Mrs Webb

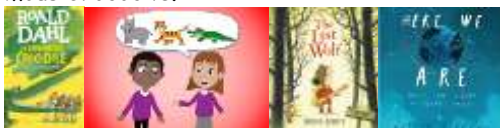


Curriculum Overview - Let's go to the Jungle!

English

This half term we will be writing setting descriptions based on our focus book, *The Tin Forest*. We will also re-tell the story. We will explore the Tin Forest in our art and DT lessons too.

In Guided Reading we will be looking at *Here We Are*, *The Last Wolf* and an Ebook, *Ned and The Jungle Animals*. We will also be looking at Roald Dahl's *The Enormous Crocodile*.



Science, History, Geography, Art, D&T and ICT

Geography: We will locate different types of forests around the world and begin to describe them. We will also compare British woodland to a tropical forest.

Art: We will create different types of forests using different medium and looking at the work of Rousseau.

RE: We will be learning about Mosques and what we can learn from them.

PSHE: Happy and Healthy Me - where the children will be learning about their bodies and how to keep them healthy.

ICT: Children will be learning how to create pictograms and ask and answer questions.



Mathematics

Multiplication and Division: We will be learning our 2, 5 and 10 X tables and use that knowledge to divide by grouping and sharing. We will use our multiplication and division knowledge to solve problems and explain our reasoning. We will investigate doubling and halving and odd and even numbers.

Geometry: We will be investigating 2D and 3D shapes and using the language of shape - sides, vertices, faces, edges and symmetry.

Measures: Recognise and use symbols for pounds (£) and pence (p); combine amounts to make a particular value, compare amounts and make change.

Physical Education

PE - Mondays and Wednesdays - Please ensure PE kit is in school. Please ensure earrings are removed and hair is tied back.

Science

Living things and their habitats:

We will be identifying things that are living, dead and never lived. We will look at how a specific habitat provides for the basic needs of things living there (plants and animals).

How you can help at home

- **Reading:** Please read at least 3 times per week with your child and record it in their diary.
- **Maths:** Encourage your child to practise number bonds to 10 and 20 and learn their 2, 5 and 10 X tables.

Homework

- Each Friday your child will be given homework. Please help your child to complete the task and return by the following Wednesday.
- Spellings will also be given out each Friday and there will be a test in school on the following Friday
- Sometimes there will be tasks on Purple Mash to complete online.