

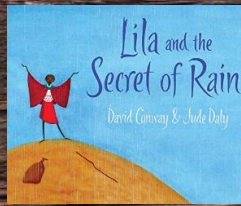
Spring One in Year 2

English

We will be focussing on:

- Using descriptive and expanded noun phrases.
- Retelling stories in our own words.
- Writing similes to describe the weather.
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- Writing an explanation text about our own creatures

We are reading...



Reading:

We will be working on our reading accuracy and fluency through Read Write Inc. and VIPERS reading comprehension tasks.

We will work on applying phonic knowledge, segmenting and sound-blending skills to tackle texts with increasing independence.

Maths



We will be exploring:

- properties of 2d and 3d shapes
- symbols for pounds (£) and pence (p)
- combinations of coins to make amounts
- solving simple problems involving addition and subtraction of money, including giving change

Science

Animals including humans.



We will be investigating:

The basic needs of animals
Revising the animal groups, we found out about in Year 1 e.g. amphibians, reptiles, birds, mammals and fish

How animals and humans increase in size as they grow into adulthood

Taking measurements and comparing – height, forearm etc.

Art and Design

- Explore the art of Henri Rousseau.
- Exploring how to make shades of green
- Recreating our own version of Rousseau's 'Tiger in a Tropical Storm'



Geography

What is the geography of where I live like?

We will be exploring:

- what geography is.
- how the land is used in the local area.
- human and physical features of where we live.
- maps of our local area
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RE

How do some Muslims show Allah is compassionate and merciful?

We will be finding out:

To be able to understand that Muslims see Allah as merciful compassionate and the Creator.
To be able to understand that a prophet is a messenger and Muhammad is a prophet.
To be able to understand about what happens during Ramadan and Eid.



Music



We will:

- Keep the pulse and repeat rhythms.
- use our voices expressively and creatively.
- listen to a variety of music styles.
- Have the opportunity to accompany music with tuned percussion instruments.

PE

Gymnastics

We will:

- develop agility, balance and coordination, individually and with others
- use simple movement patterns



PSHE

Dreams and Goals

We will be looking at:

- choosing realistic goals
- persevering when things feel difficult
- working well with others
- sharing success with others



Computing

Word processing

We will explore:

- which are the home row keys and how to find them for typing.
- using the spacebar and backspace correctly.
- typing and making simple alterations to text using buttons on a word processor.
- modifying text in a document.
- using copy and paste to copy text.
- what information is safe to be shared online.