

Home Learning Ideas for Summer 1

Our topic this term is "Rainforests".

Please see the Curriculum Plan to find out more about what will be learning this term.



What will you choose to do?

Try one activity a week or go for more if you want!

Please be ready to share what you have done throughout the term.

Either bring it in, share a photo or picture or just talk about it.

- Visit a library and borrow a book about something that interests you about the topic, such as rainforests and animals.
- Go on a walk and look for different types of trees. How many can you spot? Can you name any? Are they evergreen or deciduous?
- Make a picture of your favourite rainforest animal.
- Try eating some different fruits that grow in a rainforest.
- Create a rainforest scene in a box and add trees and animals to complete your scene.
- Move and make sounds like a rainforest animal.
- Make a rainmaker. (see instructions below)
- Can you find a rainforest on Google maps or Google Earth.
- Find out some facts about the rainforest and the animals that live there.
- Make perfume using flower petals.
- Build an indoor den under a table
- Grow a plant from a seed or look after a plant/flower.



Easiest Cardboard Rainmakers Ever!

- Grab an empty kitchen roll.
- Stick a paper circle over 1 end of the tube and secure with tape or elastic band.
- Fill with a handful of dried rice.
- Put a paper circle on the other end of the tube and secure it with tape or elastic band.
- Now it's time to decorate your rainmaker! You may find it easier to do this by decorating a piece of paper first and then wrapping it round the tube.
- Have fun making rainforest sounds with your rainmaker.