


Year 4 Parent Learning Overview: Enquiry/Term 6

Enquiry 1: What effect does palm oil have on the world? Being Geographers and Scientists	Being a Writer	PSHE/RSE
<p>In our newest enquiry, the children will be exploring what effect palm oil has on the world. They will do this by learning about biomes around the world before focusing on Rainforests. The children will use map skills and research to find the necessary information. The children will explore about what impacts humans have on different habitats and the impact of global warming.</p> <p>The children will be looking specifically at certain rainforests such as Borneo to assist their understanding of the effect palm oil has on the world.</p> <p>In Science, children will explore animals and how they can be classified, considering appropriate questions when using classification keys.</p>	<p>In Term 6, the children will be using their knowledge of Rainforests to write their own non-chronological reports. They will use research and knowledge from enquiry lessons in order to produce their texts. When writing, they will consider the targets they need to use, including how the text is presented and what language they need to use.</p> <p>The children will also be writing their own persuasive letters and leaflets in order to raise awareness of Palm Oil and the environment issues it use can cause.</p>	<p>In Term 6, children will be learning about their personal development as individuals. The children will explore bodily changes and scientific vocabulary linked to this. They will also learn about relationships and what a supportive and healthy relationship should look like.</p>
 	Being a Reader	Being a Theologian Why do some people think life is a journey?
<p>In maths, children will be revising the four key operations of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. This will be using written and mental methods.</p> <p>In weeks 3 and 4, children will have assessments. Following these assessments, gaps will be identified to allow children to take part in revision based on these identified areas of need.</p>	<p>Throughout Term 6, the children will continue to develop key reading skills in fluency lessons. The children follow texts, read in pairs and as part of a class, recognising how punctuation is used when reading and recognising how to read with the correct prosody. The children will continue to develop their retrieval and inference skills in extended reads, using class texts to answer key questions.</p> <p>In weeks 3 and 4, the children will complete assessments which will indicate where gaps in learning need to be addressed.</p>	<p>In Term 6, children will explore why some people view life as a journey. They will look specifically at Christianity and Judaism and learn about the different milestones they celebrate in each religion, such as marriage, baptism and becoming an adult.</p> <p>They will then use their knowledge to compare the two religions by looking specifically at the similarities and differences between their life journeys.</p>
Being a Mathematician	Being an Artist/Engineer	Being an Athlete
<p>This term, children will be using coding to create shapes and eventually animate their name. They will then progress their skills further by modifying an existing game before they move on to designing and creating their very own game.</p>	<p>The children will be both artists and engineers in Term 6 using a range of skills. In art, the children will be exploring 'The Thinker', which is a piece of art by Marc Allante. An exploration of the work will happen before children use their sketching skills and use of water colours to create their own pieces containing an important message about environmental dangers posed to animals. When being engineers, the children will use their understanding of Palm Oil to design and create their own products.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Sports Day Practice and Rounders</p> <p>At the start of Term 6, the children will continue to use a range of skills in preparation for Sports Day. They will work in houses whilst practicing their running, jumping and throwing skills.</p> <p>In rounders, children will explore batting, bowling and fielding skills and apply these to small group activities. Children will build on their skills to eventually play a matches.</p>

