



Our theme for this final half term is: African Adventure!

Summer Term 2 2018

We will be:



English

- Writing coherently in different styles ensuring that we include:
 - Different sentence types
 - A range of conjunctions
 - Words with suffixes (e.g. _less, _ment)
 - Correct punctuation
 - Neat & well-formed handwriting
 - Correct spellings

Maths

- Reading, writing and ordering numbers to at least 100.
- Revisiting all 4 calculation strategies.
- Calculating amounts of money or change using all coins.
- Using calculations for measuring and handling data.
- Problem solving!

Science

- Learning about minibeasts
- Learning about a variety of animal habitats.
- Learning about different animal groups and their features.

Computing

- Creating a short PowerPoint about an African animal.
- Perfecting typing skills and mouse control.

R.E.

- Exploring what 'creation' means.
- Comparing versions of the creation story in different religions.

Music

- Exploring timbre, tempo and dynamics within musical compositions and tuned instruments.
- Developing vocal technique and performance skills.

Art/DT

- Looking at African print and designing our own block to print onto fabric.
- Designing and making a safari vehicle.

P.E.

- Games - developing skills and creating own games.
- Enjoying our last few weeks of swimming!

Geography

- Looking at how the continent of Africa is different from Europe.
- Learning all about a contrasting location in Africa - Lesotho.
- Comparing the similarities and differences of human and physical features between UK & Lesotho.

How you can support your child.

- Help your child to complete some Topic Homework suggestions.
- Use the internet to learn more about African animals or countries.
- Continue to read with your child, little and often encouraging them to answer questions by looking back at the text and explaining how they know.