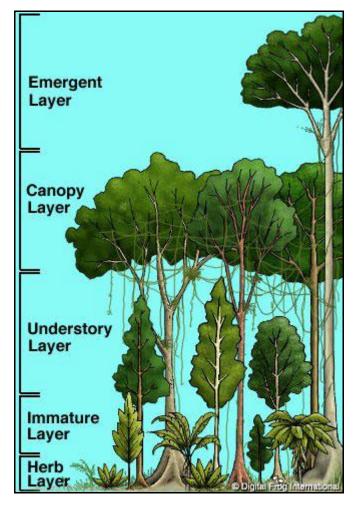
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Year 4 Summer Term 1 2015

Over the next few weeks, your child will be working on the topic of RAINFORESTS!

They will be taking part in a series of exciting activities, including:

- Using a key to sort a variety of animals by a range of criteria
- Writing reports about fascinating rainforest animals
- Investigating plant growth and animal habitats
- Finding out why rainforests are so important
- Trying to understand why the rainforests are disappearing and what we can all do to help

Your child needs your help and involvement! Please get involved by:

- □ Take your child to the library & get a book about the topic
- Help them choose a rainforest animal and research it on the internet, by watching television programmes etc.
- □ Find out what they know about <u>global warming</u> and <u>deforestation</u>

What does your child know about RAINFORESTS?

Before the Topic...

After the Topic...

Sit down with your child and help them record what they know about the topics, BEFORE and then AFTER they have learnt about it at school.

What else is happening?

Religious Education

Most of our teaching of religious education takes place in separate 'mini-topics'.

This half-term, your child will be will be learning about religious leaders.

Values Education

The Value for April is Peace. The Value for May is Quality.

Homework

Please support your child by making sure that they read and practise times tables on a daily basis.

| MONDAY | |
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| TUESDAY | |
| WEDNESDAY | |
| THURSDAY | Homework to be handed in |
| FRIDAY | Homework set |

Clubs

| Breakfast Club | Every morning 7.45 – 8.50am |
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| Tree House After School Club | Every day 3.15 – 6.15pm |
| Skills 7 Football | Mondays 3.20 – 5.00pm |
| Family Learning | Mondays 9.00 – 10.00am |
| Credit Union – Dining Room | Tuesdays 3.15pm |
| Lower Building Games Library | Fridays 8.50 – 9.10am |
| & Shared Reading | |
| Identity Dance – Lower Hall | Fridays 3.00 – 4.30pm |
| Family Lives Coffee Morning | Every Thursday morning |
| Lower Building Family Room | 8.30 – 11.00am |
| All parents/carers & babies/toddlers | |
| welcome | |

| Forthcoming Events | | |
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| Tuesday 21 st April | Start of Summer Term 1 | |
| ТВА | Year 4 WoW Day | |
| Monday 4 th May | Bank Holiday | |
| Wednesday 6 th May: 1.30 – 3.30pm | Parents of Children with Additional Needs | |
| Family Room | Support Group (run by Sara Hassell) | |
| Thursday 7 th May: 9.00-10.00am | Parent/Carer Forum | |
| Family Room | Mrs Yendell & Miss Verlander | |
| Friday 22 nd May | End of Summer Term 1 | |
| Monday 1 st June | Start of Sumer Term 2 | |