



The Priory Church of England Primary School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome Back! We are so excited to welcome you all back in the classroom this half term.

Our new Geography topic is called 'Amazon Adventure'. The children will be learning where rainforests regions are located in the world, the layers of the rainforest, life in the rainforest and protecting the rainforests. We will be focusing specifically on life in the Amazon Rainforest.

In other areas of the curriculum we will be focussing on the following:

In Maths, we will be learning about:

- time
- decimals and
- money

In English, we will be:

- reading, learning and writing 'faraway fiction' based on 'Cloud Tea Monkeys'.
- tasting a variety of flavours of iced teas. Please let us know if for any reason your child cannot take part.
- reading 'Kensuke's Kingdom' by Michael Morpurgo as a whole class and discuss the text in-depth.

In Science, we will be:

- learning about how we can care for our planet and it's ecosystems.
- learning about key figures including David Attenborough and Greta Thunberg.

In Computing, we will be:

- collecting data and recording our findings using PowerPoint software.
- exploring how to present data, aesthetics of a slideshow and how to engage our audience.



In RE, we will be:

- focusing on Christianity and Understanding Christian Salvation.
- learning about what Jesus did for Christians at Easter and the events that took place over The Holy Week.

In PSHE/Heartsmart, we will be:

- learning the motto, 'Don't Rub It In, Rub It Out'.
- exploring the idea of Forgiveness and how we incorporate British Values into our understanding.

In PSHE/Heartsmart, we will be:

- studying the work of, Henri Rousseau. He is known for his intricacy and being a 'self-taught genius'.
- learning specific skills and techniques related to sketching and watercolour painting.

In PE, we will be:

- learning invasion games e.g. tag Rugby.
- learning about the idea of space through Dance.

PE will take place every Wednesday (outdoor) and Thursday (indoor) and will need to wear the correct P.E. kit to school on these days.

It is very important that your child has the following when they return to school on Monday 8th March:

- Maths No Problem Workbooks
- All 4 CGP '10-minute test' Books
- Your child's contribution to the class book about what they have learnt over the lockdown period (this has been discussed during Google Meet).

Yours faithfully,

Miss Kelly & Miss Ridley