

The Priory Primary School – Dip And Do Home Learning



Get Electronic:

If you enjoy creating new worlds online using Roblox or Minecraft why not try to build a world where animals and humans can live in perfect harmony? You will need to think about what each species needs to survive and how they will share the resources.

Get Researching:

As humans we have caused much destruction of different animals' habitats. Can you research the effect of man on either the polar ice caps, the oceans or the rainforest? How many animals have been affected by man? What are the measures now being put in place to help the animals?

Get Experimenting:

We rely on electricity to power lots of our devices at home and school. Can you find a way of making a battery from an usual source? Try potato power: <https://www.upsbatterycenter.com/blog/make-potato-battery/> Could you generate electricity at home using pedal power only?

Get Cooking:

Because it is thought that meat production is causing some of the world's global warming, can you find a recipe for and cook a vegan meal? Share it with your family, what does it taste like? Can you find any other tasty recipes? Would you be able to give up eating meat?

Get Writing:

Compare and contrast the different wildlife found in one of the states of North America compared to those found in the UK.

Use your information to create a 'Wildlife Brochure' to attract nature lovers to your chosen area. What would they expect to find living in the environment? Are they prey for some animals and predators of others? What would be the best time of year to visit?

Into the Wild

- Will life ever be the same again?



Get Mathematical:

HART Wildlife Rescue is a registered charity which runs a wildlife hospital in North East Hampshire. If their badger cubs need daily feeding of 250 Kilocalories per 1kg of weight of the cub, How much would a 3kg badger cub need in 1 week? How much would it need in 1 month?

Rescued foxes need a pen size of at least 12msquared. What shape could the pen be? What is the length of the perimeter fence needed to keep the fox safe?

Get Thinking:

Could the actions of man cause to extinction of all life on earth? Looking back in history – what actions have caused the most destruction of our planet? What could man have done differently?

Get Creative:

Nature is a wonderful thing! There are many environmental artists who work with the materials that nature provides to create wonderful sculptures. Look at the work of Andy Goldsworthy and Chris Drury. Find a piece you like best and describe why you like it. Can you create something similar in your back garden?

Get Active:

Wild animals need to be fast and agile to escape their predators. Why not show how fast and agile you are by building a mini assault course in your garden? Try to give yourself challenges to climb over /under/ dodge. When your course is complete, you can time yourself completing it. How quick are you?

Get Performing:

Take time on your daily walk/ outdoor exercise to listen to the natural sounds around you – birds singing, babbling brook or stream, wind whistling through the leaves, animals rustling in the woods etc. Record some of the sounds. Can you put them together to make a piece of music?

Year 6 – Spring Term 2 - DIP INTO THE ACTIVITIES ABOVE WITH YOUR CHILD. YOU DON'T HAVE TO **DO** THEM ALL! YOUR CHILD CAN PRESENT THEIR LEARNING IN A WAY THAT THEY WOULD LIKE (BE IMAGINATIVE!) AND BRING IT INTO SCHOOL AS THEY COMPLETE IT TO SHARE WITH THEIR CLASS. ALL ACTIVITIES ARE OPTIONAL.