

**Art and D&T:**

Designing and making felt bean bag frogs – using blanket stitching to create a seam.

Henri Rousseau – exploring works and creating own rainforest painting

**Geography:**

Identifying the location of the world’s tropical rainforests using maps and atlases. Using the correct terminology for geographical terms – equator, tropics, Layers of plants and shrubs found in the rainforest. Exploring the impact of deforestation on biodiversity and the survival of species.

**Literacy:**

In line with Write Stuff units.

**Maths:**

In line with White Rose scheme.

**Science:**

Summer 1 -States of Matter – sorting materials, investigating gases and explaining their properties, investigating materials as they change state, exploring how water changes state, evaporation, water cycle, cooking experiment

Summer 2 – Electricity – explaining electricity, identifying appliances, complete and incomplete circuits, conductors and insulators, creating switches



**The Amazing Amazon  
Year 3/4**

**History:**

Exploring the changes of time to the rainforest and the civilisations which have called it home.

**PE:**

Net and Wall & Striking and Field

**Music:**

Summer 1 – Blackbird

Summer 2 - Reflect, Rewind and Replay

**French:**

**Les sports et les passé-temps** - revising opinions, learning how to say different sports and hobbies, conjugating verbs, using adjectives for descriptions  
**Jacques** - reading Jack and the Beanstalk in French, looking at key vocabulary, using French dictionaries, answering comprehension questions and creating our own storyboards

**Computing:**

**Year 3**

Summer 1 – Soundscapes

Summer 2 – Combining Text and Graphics

**Year 4**

Summer 1 – Multimedia Presentations

Summer 2 – Mad about Ads

**RE:**

**Year 3**

How can Brahman be everywhere and in everything?

Would visiting the River Ganges feel special to a non-Hindu?

**Year 4**

What is the best way for a Jew to show commitment to God?

Do people need to go to church to show they are Christians?

**PSHE:**

**Year 3**

Money Matters

**Year 4**

VIPs