

Overview of Optional Activities Week beginning 25.1.21 Jungle Animals

This week to support learning you could...

Literacy

Watch and listen to Jungle facts Powerpoint.



Read stories about the Jungle some stories such; as Monkey Puzzle by Julia Donaldson, Walking Through the Jungle by Julie Lacombe and There's a Tiger in the Garden by Lizzy Stewart. Share and read Jungle Facts above.

Staff will add a story every day to Tapestry.

Writing- Write a fact about a jungle animal. See template in Remote Learning Pack.

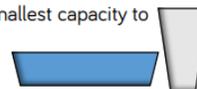
Daily phonics presentations sent out.

Maths - Capacity

Continuing from last week ask your child to explore and compare different quantities of water. This week explore different sized containers and explore the following questions.

Which Holds More?

Provide a tall narrow container and a wide shallow one. Ask the children to predict which will hold more water? How could they check? Encourage the children to try different methods. More containers could be added and the children asked to order them from smallest capacity to greatest.



Task-Order three different sized containers and order from the smallest capacity to the greatest. Take a picture and put on Tapestry.

Outside Maths Challenge - You can use any small container or pot to hunt for items.

Outside

Provide a small matchbox for each child. Ask them to hunt for things to put inside. Points could be awarded for specific criteria such as the most items, the prettiest leaf, the smallest pebble, the largest item, the softest item, something yellow etc.

Cooking- Have a go at making a Chocolate Jungle Jam Jar

<https://www.bbcgoodfood.com/recipes/chocolate-jungle-jam-jar>

Creative

Share this jungle picture by Henri Rousseau (copy in learning pack).



Can you make your own picture using paints, colouring pencils or crayons? You can add your tiger to your jungle background.

Tiger Collages using coloured paper or tissue paper



Hand Drawn Giraffes- draw around your hand and arm and decorate to make a giraffe.



Please can you upload photos of any of your child's work onto Tapestry.

Physical

Ball Skills- This week we are going to work on our kicking skills. Using a medium sized ball practice kicking between you and a partner. Remember to use the side of your foot when kicking a ball and aim to get your ball to your partners feet.

Yoga- Jungle Yoga

<https://video.link/w/rFUGb>

Scissor skills- Scissor jungle snakes

Spiral Snake Cutting Skills

Cut along the thick black line to create a long, spiral-shaped snake.



Understanding the World

Where do jungle animals live? Discuss the environment. Is it warm or cold? Watch some of this video clip. How is it different to where we live in Harrogate?.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JEsV5rqbVnQ>

Creative(Music) Can you listen and join in with the Down in the Jungle song?

<https://video.link/w/aHUGb>

Please make sure if watching clips on YouTube your child is supervised as some adverts may not be appropriate.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Can you think about how you have changed? What can you do now that you couldn't do when you were a baby? (Think about walking, riding a bike, writing your name).