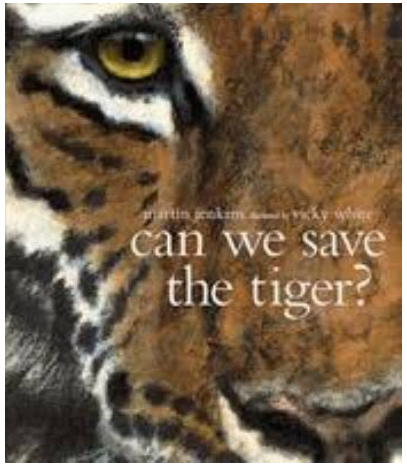
Big issue: How has trade affected the population?

Text: Can We Save the Tiger? By Martin Jenkins

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Maths

The children will use their known facts and strategies to solve problems involving the four operations, including the correct order of operations (BIDMAS). They will also deepen their understanding of what fractions represents and how to work with them.

Science – The circulatory system

Children will learn about the transport role of the human circulatory system, its main parts and primary functions. They will learn about healthy lifestyle choices and the effects of harmful substances on the body.

Computing – Web page creation

Children will be introduced to creating websites for a chosen purpose. They will identify what makes a good web page and use this information to design and evaluate their own website using Google Sites.

RSHE—Mental health and emotional wellbeing

Children will explore the importance of mental health and emotional wellbeing. They will learn about self-care, managing emotions, maintaining positive relationships and understanding feelings of loneliness.

Metacognition – growth mindset

Children will be recapping what it means to have a growth mindset and learning about how mistakes can help them learn.

English

The children will write an independent version of a booklet based on an amazing animal (hybrid text type including information, explanation and persuasion).

History

Children will explore Africa, past and present and will learn about the development of slave trade. Pupils will be using their increased chronological understanding and skills to build on their learning about Columbus and world food to consider the impact of the slave trade.

Music - Advanced Rhythms

Children will be building on their knowledge of rhythm.

RE

Children will be looking at the demographics in our local area and the different religions that populate our local area. They will be discussing 'What will make our borough a more respectful place?'

French

Children will learn to express their food likes and dislikes.

Art

The children will research and explore the works of significant black artists. Through this exploration, they will gain insight into the impact these trailblazing artists have had on the world of art.

PE

Outdoor: games, tag rugby

Indoor: dance

Ways in which you can support your child at home...

Below is a list of activities available on the websites we subscribe to as a school, for which your child has their own login and password. These activities have been selected for your child to complete this half term, as they support learning in class. There are also some other helpful websites which can be accessed for free.

LGFL

http://sos.lgfl.org.uk/topic-menu.html?y=6

Switched on Science

http://mathsathome.lgfl.org.uk/

Maths at home

http://mitrw.lgfl.org.uk/index.html

Maths in the real world

TT Rockstars

Children have access to times tables challenges to support fluency in

multiplication and division facts.

http://mitrw.lgfl.org.uk/index.html

Purple Mash

Here are some suggestions that link with topics for this half term.

https://www.purplemash.com/#tab/pm-home/science

BBC Bitesize

https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/guides/zhnk7ty/revision/1

https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zpvckqt/articles/z3n7mp3

Places to visit as a family:

To support your child's learning this half term, why not consider taking a trip to the Science Museum to support their learning about the circulatory system.

Reading

In Year 6, we expect the children to read for at **least 30 minutes six days a week.** Children should change their reading book when they have finished reading it and should ensure that they sign their reading record daily.