

# Westlands First School – Medium Term Plan – Year 4 Spring Term 2 2021

### Writing:

We will then be researching and using what we have discovered to write a balanced argument about the protection of the rainforest.

We will be reading and creating "found poems". We will take our inspiration from the rainforest work we have completed.

We will also use the skills learnt in our Read Write Inc and SPAG sessions in our writing work.

#### Maths:

We will be then focusing on finding fractions of amounts and shapes. We will be reasoning and solving problems with the skills that we have learnt. We will also be interpreting data that has been presented in lots of different ways. We will then use this skill to help us with comparing and reading information about the rainforest.

## Welcome to the Jungle!



#### **PSHE:**

#### We will be using the following skills...

Develop and maintain a healthy self-concept (including self-confidence, realistic self-image, self-worth, assertiveness, self-advocacy and self-respect).

Strategies for identifying and accessing appropriate help and support.

Making decisions

#### Art

We will be planning, designing and modelling a piece of 3d art work based on a reptiles eye. We will add detail from real life observations and also our imagination.

We will learn how to join clay correctly and ensure that our finished piece follows and creates a replica of our plan.

### Science: -

We will also be looking at habitats and how different animals are suited to different surroundings. We will also discover that when habitats change they can pose a threat to the things that live there.

We will also be exploring how living things can be grouped and classified depending on their features, behaviours and appearance.

#### Geography

We will be comparing the UK with a distant location – South America!

We will research the names of rivers and mountains in both locations and compare them.

We will also learn about the different biomes of the world and which biomes are in different continents- This will link to our science work on animals and their habitats (3)

### Computing:

We will be using scratch as a tool to help develop our coding skills. We will write algorithms and learn how to de-bug programs.