

Aboyne Lodge - 'Curriculum Drivers' Planning Sheet

Y5 - Autumn 1

The Arts

- Henri Rousseau study
- colour mixing based on rainforest colours
- rainforest paintings
- listening to music and rainforest sounds
- Shakespeare workshop and theatre trip
- Christmas assembly

Learning Powers

- Making links with their lives and the lives of children in other countries - Squirrel
- Working well in a team (PSHE) - Buddy Bee
- Daily references to the Learning Animals
- Class motto - 'Be brave, take risks, make mistakes, learn'



Topic

Rainforests

Sustainability

- deforestation of the rainforests - class debate
- endangered species of the rainforest
- switching off lights

Cultural Diversity

- Being Me in My World (PSHE)
- Celebrating Differences (PSHE)
- Action Aid workshop - children living in the favelas in Rio and children living in the rainforests
- RE topic of love: different faiths' approach to showing love for their religion.
- Anti-bullying Week