



Topic:
Conservation and
Animals

Class: 6 DICKENS

Important Dates:

23rd April - St. George's Day
7th May - Bank Holiday
Week of 14th May - SATS Week (no absences)
18th May - Celebration of Royal Wedding (Tea party afternoon)
25th May - Wear sport clothing in support of World Cup

28th May-1st June - HALF-TERM
4th and 5th June - Inset day for staff, no school for pupils
6th June - Pupils return
22nd June - Summer Fair, 3-6pm
2nd July - Sports Day (3rd July as wet weather backup)
5th July - Y6 trip to Whipsnade Zoo
10th July - Y6 production for parents (1:45-3pm)
11th July - Y6 production for parents (6-7:15pm)
12th July - Y6 pupils visit to secondary schools
13th July - Reports go home
17th July - Y6 Prom (6:30-8pm)
23rd July - Final day of school, Y6 pupils go home at 12pm

Questions we Asked about our Topic:

- Who is Jane Goodall and how has she impacted the view we have about conservation today?
- What is conservation and how can we help conservation efforts in our local neighbourhood?
- How do charities help with conservation efforts worldwide?

Rights Respecting School
CLASS CHARTER

We have the right to:

- Be safe in school
- Receive a good education
- Be treated fairly
- Be respected
- Not be bullied
- Be in a fun and happy working environment

We have the responsibility to:

- Follow school rules
- Listen to adults and instructions
- Try our best and work hard
- Be honest when we have made a mistake
- Treat everyone with respect at all times

Reading is a lifelong skill. Please help us encourage your child to read every day!:

Children have access to the online Reading Plus programme. The children will earn certificates for completing tasks to a high standard. These certificates will be presented in assembly. House points will also be awarded for signed entries in Reading Records

Parent/Carer Partnership

Please encourage your children's hard work by speaking to them about what they are doing in school. Marvellous Me messages sent out from me are intended to help start these conversations. Please remember to sign reading records. Reading Plus incentives will carry on after SATS, so please continue to support your child's reading online at home.

Shared home learning

ENGLISH

- Your child should be reading regularly (30 min, 5 x week). Remember to sign their reading record, even when they read on Reading Plus

In our class we earn:

- Marvellous Me app awards

- Occasionally, we will send home GPS worksheets for your child to complete.

MATHEMATICS

- Help them to learn their times tables up to 12x12.
- To complete all mini-maths, paper homework and/or Mathematics

TOPIC/SCIENCE

- Year 6 summer term topic/science project details to follow
- Question your child about what they know - see if they can teach you something new!

- House points
- Golden Time
- Handwriting Awards
- Presentation Stickers
- Star Student
- Headteacher Awards

Year: 6	Half term: Summer 1 Leys KS2 Creative Curriculum Topic Planner	
Project Title: Conservation and Animals		
Focus Subjects: Topic and Science		
<p>Subject: English After SATS, we will be continuing our focus on writing including all non-negotiables such as: high-level punctuation, correct sentence structure, and grammar/punctuation rules and use of paragraphs in various forms of writing. Your child will need to focus on presentation in all writing across history/science and maths as well as English. Please ensure homework is written to a high standard as well.</p>		
<p>Subject: History/Geography/Science Science: Animals Including Humans Geography: Conservation</p>	<p>Subject: Computing/Art/DT Art: Animal sketches and different mediums Computing: To combine all computing skills</p>	
<p>Skills Science: Understanding how circulatory systems work within the body and how to keep the body healthy Geography: Understand the effect of conservation locally and worldwide, and ways to get involved</p>	<p>Skills Art: Sketch, paint, evaluate and improve Computing: research, manipulate data, blog and communicate using IT software</p>	
Knowledge		

Science: To know the main circulatory vessels and the way that blood and nutrients travel through the body
Geography: To know where conservation efforts are needed and why humans need to be involved in taking responsibility in reducing the number of animals who are losing habitats.

Knowledge
Computing: history of world wide web, internet safety, how to communicate electronically

Metacognition Lesson Focus: Growth Mindset

The idea of growth mindset is to instil in the children methods to persevere in the face of challenge, to thrive on feedback; to be inspired by the success of others; to learn from criticism; how to take risks to learn and reach even higher levels of achievement.

Leys Link Learning Value: Self-belief

Inspirational Person: Jane Goodall

Super Starter/Marvellous Middle/Fantastic Finish:

Fantastic Finish: A visit to Whipsnade Zoo at the start of July to witness first-hand conservation efforts locally.