

One big question: How can we help look after our immediate environment?

One big product: Making a bird feeder (Christmas Gift)

One big community deed: Promote Recycling and reduce litter through posters and leaflets for parents, grandparents, school kitchen, staffroom. (Don't be a litterbug display for the children in school)

One big trip: Dibbinsdale Woods

VIP: (Very Inspirational Person): Steve Backshall

Understanding The World –The World

As geographers we will...

- Learn about where we live
- How they travel to school? The impact transport can have in the environment.
- Make a pledge to reduce the impact of our actions on the environment.
- Create simple maps for their journey to school.
- Learn how to behave in the indoor and outdoor environments

Understanding The World –People and Communities

As historians we will...

- Learn about different jobs that help to look and care for the environment.

Understanding The World

As scientists we will...

- Learn about different materials and sort them into different categories for recycling
- Learn about garden and woodland animals and their habitats.
- Learn about nocturnal animals
- Learn how birds prepare for the winter and how to use recyclable material to make nests.
- Making compost and planting bulbs in garden for spring
- Look at different Autumnal objects

Expressive Arts and Design

As artists we will...

- Create leaf print art using collage and leaf rubbings
- Explore the work of Andy Goldsworthy and create observational drawings of natural objects
- Use natural objects from the environment to make a natural sculpture
- Make a book to illustrate the song What a wonderful world by Louis Armstrong

F2 Environment topic – How can we help to look after our immediate environment?



To inspire, motivate and challenge our learners to explore the environment, value its purpose and feel empowered to become a responsible global citizen.

Expressive Arts and Design

As designers we will...

- Design, make, evaluate our own recycled musical instruments
- Create 3D stickmen linked to the book
- Plan, design and make bird feeders for Christmas gifts
- Make binoculars

Understanding The World –Technology

As computer scientists we will...

- To use websites to find out information e.g. watching barn owl webcams
- To use a camera to take photos of the natural environment and their art work.

Expressive Arts and Design

As musicians we will...

- Explore sounds that different instruments make
- Perform using instruments to make sound effects for a story
- Make recycled instruments
- Listen to Louis Armstrong's 'What a wonderful World' and respond

As writers we will...

- Make marks and give meanings
- Write labels

As mathematicians we will...

- Look at shapes and numbers in the environment
- Counting, sorting natural objects and give reasons
- Make and talk about patterns using natural materials
- Create simple walk to school pictograms
- Measure and weigh different autumnal objects using non-standard measures