



'Amazon Adventure'



Homework

CLASS 1LC/1LCE/1EB

DATE SET
Friday 31st March

DATE DUE
Friday 19th May

Dear children and adults,

Our topic this half term is Amazon Adventure. We will be learning about the geography of the Amazon and finding out about the rainforest habitat and animals who live there.

Homework can be completed by the children on their own or with an adult.



Remember to revise your weekly number facts to earn your reward and reach your rocket target!

We will be looking specifically for:
Number bonds to 10, 15 and 20 (e.g. $6 + 4 = 10$, $3 + 7 = 10$)
Double a number and half of a number up to 20
Counting in multiples of 2, 5 and 10
Don't forget to log onto **Mathletics!**

READING



Remember to read each day and get an adult to sign your reading card /book.

Don't forget to log onto reading eggs!

SPELLING

Don't forget to learn your spellings each week!

We will be sending these home in the book bags.



WRITING AND TOPIC

You have a scrap book to use to complete your homework project. Over the next six weeks complete some of these activities or make some up of your own. Please let a member of staff know if you need a new one. **Please only use this for topic homework.**

TRY TO COMPLETE AT LEAST ONE OF THE WRITING TASKS

1. Write some questions about what you would like to know about the Amazon rainforest.
2. Find out about an animal which lives in the rainforest and write some facts about it.
3. Write a diary entry from the point of view of an Amazon explorer on an adventure.

NOW CHOOSE SOME OR ALL OF THESE

1. Look around your house and make a list of things that are made of wood. Why it is important that we stop cutting down the rainforest trees?
2. Think about the animals we see in England and the animals you would see in the Amazon. How are they different?
3. Make a picture of the Amazon rainforest.
4. Visit a local woodland and describe what you can see and hear, Take photos of the animals and plants you see there.
5. Classify some toys from around your home by the materials they are made from.

Topic Words

Do you know what these words mean and how to spell them? Can you put them in a sentence?

rainforest

animal

habitat

plant

logging

tribe

Challenge

Can you have your photo taken with an animal that lives in the Amazon? This could be the real thing or a model in a museum. Stick the photo into your diary with a description of the animal.

Places you could visit

*The Natural history museum

*Library to research more about the Amazon

* Local woodlands

* London Zoo