

## English

**The Tin Forest by Helen Ward** Creating a Rainforest setting description

**The Great Kapok Tree by Lynne Cherry** Reinvent 'The Great Kapok Tree' changing the setting and the characters to the Amazon river

**Taking Flight (Film Unit)** Independent narrative

**A Midsummer's Night Dream by Andrew**

**Matthews** To write from a character's view point

**I am a Seed by Fiona Waters** Poetry about

## Music

**SingUp Unit: Latin Dance** Listen to a range of Cuban pieces; Sing the syncopated rhythms in Latin dance and recognise a verse/chorus structure; sing a call-and-response song with an invented drone accompaniment; Play a one-note part contributing to the chords; Compose a 4-beat rhythm pattern.

## Geography

### Rainforests

Locating on world map, climate, four layers of the rainforest, comparison of us and the children of the Awa tribe; threats to the rainforest

## Computing

### Data Handling

Microsoft Excel, linking data to rainforest animals.

## Maths

**Fractions** fractions of amounts, adding and subtracting fractions

**Time** Recap O'clock, half past, quarter to, quarter past, 5 minutes, 1 minute, a.m, p.m., months and years, 24 hour clock, duration

**Properties of shape** Turns, angles, 2D and 3D shape, horizontal/vertical, parallel/perpendicular

**Statistics** Interpret and draw pictograms; Interpret and draw bar graphs; collect and represent data; two way tables.

**Money** Compare & measure mass, capacity and volume, add and subtract

## Curriculum Map

### Summer Year 3 – Rainforests



## PSHE

**Relationships:** Family roles and responsibilities; friendship; keeping myself safe on line; global citizenship; celebrating my relationship web.

**Changing Me:** How babies grow; more about babies; outside body changes; inside body changes; family stereotypes; looking ahead.

## Science

### Plants and Animals inc. Humans

Flowering parts and functions, plant requirements, water transportation, plant life cycle and seed dispersal, animal and human nutrition, skeleton types, muscle strength

## Art

**Artist study: Henri Rousseau** Explore Artist's work, using different media to create texture, pencil markings to create texture, collage compilation

## PE & Games

**Athletics** Running, throwing, jumping and catching skills

**Cricket** Tracking, retrieving, aiming, throwing, marking, hitting, hand-eye coordination

### Outdoor Adventurous Activities

School orienteering, teamwork, map reading

**Yoga** breathing, balance, flexibility, strength, coordination,

## D&T

**Paper making:** Properties and characteristics, Purpose, how it is made, recycling, the process, evaluation and use.