

News

Great Gorillas Newsletter

W/c 14th September 2020

In **English** our focus will be based on the picture book *Gorilla* written by Anthony Browne. We will carry out various activities based on this book, using the pictures as stimulus for our work. We will script a conversation between Hannah and her father, describe what a character is thinking at different parts of the story and compare ourselves to an animal because of its characteristics like A. Browne compares his father to a gorilla.

In **Maths** we will be continuing our work based on place value. We will be splitting numbers into tens and units.

In **P.E.** we will be continuing our gymnastic work.

In **Geography** we will be learning about the village of Toucaro by labelling physical and human features on a map.

In **Science** we will be learning about the plants and animals that live in our local woodland habitat.

In **Music** we will be working with Mrs Cooper.

In **Computing** we will continue with our coding work, and will be discussing key vocabulary used in coding.

In **Art** we will be taking photographs of natural forms, then sketching these forms by studying the shapes and patterns.

In **R.E.** we will be continuing our work on the story of Jonah and will be reflecting on what the story teaches us about God.

Notices

My Maths homework is set from Friday 18th Sept to 2nd Oct. This homework is based on place value / tens & units.

If you have any queries, please don't hesitate to contact either of us.

Many thanks.

Mrs S. Chadburn & Mr A. Townsend



Picture News

at Home

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What's going on this week?



A number of charities, including Streets Kitchen and the Glass Door Homeless Charity, are campaigning for empty commercial buildings to become makeshift shelters this winter. They are predicting that there will be an increase in the number of people who become homeless over the coming weeks and months due to increases in job losses caused by the Covid-19 pandemic.

Things to talk about at home...

- 🍎 Do you think that using empty buildings to help homeless people is a good idea?
- 🍎 Can you think of any other ways in which we could help the homeless?
- 🍎 Are there any homeless shelters or charities in your local area? Can you find out about the work that they do?

Please note any interesting thoughts or comments here...



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