



# Great Gorillas Newsletter

W/c 12<sup>th</sup> October 2020

Our **English** focus will be based on the story book 'The Tiger and the Jackal'. In this story a tiger gets trapped in a cage and convinces a hunter to let him free, however he tricks the hunter and threatens to eat him. The hunter asks various animals for help but they refuse until a clever jackal tricks the tiger back into the cage, saving the hunter. We will be writing our own stories, thinking of different jungle characters, remembering to think of reasons why they wouldn't help the main character.

In **Maths** we will continue our work based on addition and subtraction. We will be learning about the inverse relationship between addition and subtraction and how we can use this to check calculations.

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

In **Art** we will continue with our 'Tiger in a storm' collage.

In **Geography** we will be thinking about how places change, due to technology and money. We will be learning about the traditional method of washing in Tocuaro and comparing this method with our modern version of using a washing machine. We will be discussing whether the people living in this Mexican village should have washing machines to make life easier and consider the pollution they would create to the local river.

In **Science** we will be learning about food chains.

In **Music** we will be practising our Nativity songs.

In **R.E.** we will be continuing to discuss what we think God is like and learn how Christians put their beliefs about God into practice.

## Notices

My Maths homework is set from 16.10.20 to 30.10.20. The homework is based on estimation.

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

Many thanks.

Mrs S. Chadburn & Mr A. Townsend



# Picture News

at Home

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What's going on this week?



Sir David Attenborough has celebrated the efforts of young people who have “woken up the world to the threat of climate change.” Sir David became the fastest person to have one million followers on Instagram recently after he joined the social media platform to reach out to younger people, many of whom support his message of protecting the natural world.

*Things to talk about at home...*

- Have you ever watched any of Sir David Attenborough’s documentaries? If you have, what were they about? What did you learn? If you haven’t, would you like to?
- Why do you think at 94-years-old, David Attenborough has decided to join Instagram? Do you think it is a good way for him to spread his message?
- Do you think it’s important for young people to care about the environment and wildlife? Why?

*Please note any interesting thoughts or comments here...*

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