



Year 1 Summer 1

All creatures great and small.



Science

The focus of this topic is to learn about animals including those that we keep as pets and wild animals. Children will learn to name and compare parts of the body and will learn terminology including herbivore, carnivore and omnivore. They will learn to ask and answer questions following their own interests and will learn to group animals according to different criteria. Children will visit 'Woodside Falconry Centre' near Lincoln to further their knowledge about animals and to give them the opportunity to ask their questions to animal experts.

ICT: children will learn to use information technology for communication including sending emails and contributing to the school blog. They will also be developing their keyboard skills alongside this. Cross-curricular links using Maths, Science and Phonics games.

Maths: ongoing daily maths lessons will focus particularly on repeated addition and multiplication. They will be learning to read and write numbers to 100 in numerals and words. They will be applying their knowledge of maths into problem solving activities.

Cross curricular maths

- Sorting animals.
- Recording information in tables.

Literacy: ongoing daily guided reading session, daily phonics session, grammar and composition taught through daily literacy hour. Handwriting taught discretely. Children will learn to use description as a tool in their writing. The main focus will be on non-fiction texts. Children will read these texts, locate key information and use this to create their own information books, leaflets and posters. They will learn to use commas correctly within a list.

Creative: Animal printing in art.

PE: Weekly multi skills lessons with a PE coach. Weekly PE lesson with the teacher, based around gymnastics. Children will be learning jumps such as tuck, pike and star.