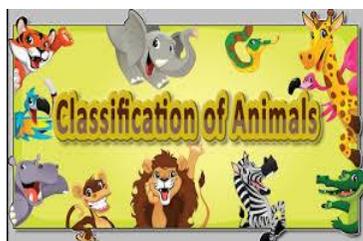


Quest Title:

Carnival of the Animals



As historians we will...

Learn about Anglo-Saxon Britain and its impact on us today.

As geographers we will:

Discover and learn about the counties of England and their formation during Saxon times.

As mathematicians we will:

Further our place value knowledge and apply this to rounding and ordering and comparing numbers beyond 1000.
 Practise counting in various multiples and backwards through zero to include negative numbers.
 Focus on the written methods for the four number operations.
 Measure, compare and convert lengths (m/cm/mm) and calculate perimeter.

As technologists we will:

Create and construct Anglo Saxon dwellings, forming a Saxon village.
 Use coding programme 'Scratch', to design our own animal quizzes.
 Design and make moving animal mechanisms.

As scientists we will:

Look at the classification of animals and food chains including predators, producers and prey.
 Learn about animal habitats and how environmental change is affecting these.
 Identify the different functions of the skeleton and learn the names of certain bones.
 Learn how muscles enable the skeleton to move.
 Look closely at the type and variety of teeth in the animal kingdom.

As writers we will:

Use our 'Author of the Term' (Roald Dahl) to inspire our fiction writing.
 Write animal-based poetry and non-fiction texts.

DRIVERS: Teamwork and Effective Participators

We will:
 It is an expectation that all children will participate whole-heartedly and have full access to the creative curriculum this term. We will also give all children the opportunity to work in a variety of situations as part of different sized teams.

Learning Outside the Classroom and ECO schools

We will :
 Develop knowledge of our eco topic 'Litter and Waste', by engaging in a 'Fantastic Plastics' workshop hosted by a visitor from Carymoor. Experience Forest School mornings throughout the year with Mr Wedderkopp. Visit Paignton Zoo as a Wow starter to our Quest, linked closely with our Science focus. Visit the Museum of Somerset and participate in their Anglo-Saxon dramatization.

The Arts

We will:
 Listen to Camille Saint-Saëns 'Carnival of the Animals' and create our own animal music.
 Create animal masks linked to the theme 'carnival'.
 We will develop skills in sketching and take inspiration from a range of artists to produce to our art work.

Diversity

We will:
 Study the biodiversity of animals around the world.
 Learn about the French language and culture.
 Look at art in different cultures and create animal paintings inspired by Aboriginal artwork.

