

Year Group: 5/6 Topic: Our Changing World: Mapping Our Future



Previous Learning Links

The seven continents and five oceans

The names of some key rivers around the world

The climate of a place is impacted by its location

The effects of climate change

Adaptation to habitat

Some of the human and physical features of other areas of South America

The climate of South America and how it differs from the UK

Location



Essential Knowledge



The impact of global issues: climate change

World mapping and navigation skills: langitude, latitude and time zones

The physical geography of our local area

South American focus region

Biomes and vegetation belts

Climate bands and weather

Types of settlement - human activity

Use of aerial photos

Historical changes in living memory

Practical field work skills

The role of government and parliament

Learning in Other Subjects



English: Discussion, persuasive leaflets, newspaper reports and narrative writing linked to The Explorer and The Tin Forest.

<u>Maths:</u> Fractions Decimals and Percentages & Ratio and Proportion

<u>Science</u>: Life processes, classification of plants and animals and the life cycle of flowering plants.

Computing: Spreadsheets & E-safety

REAL PE: Cognitive and Physical, net and wall games, athletics and REAL Gym.

RE: Why do some people think God exists?

Heart Smart: Don't Forget to Let Love In

DT: Cooking and nutrition - Healthy Meals.

Art: Sculpture inspired by Sayaka Ganz and Courtney Mattison

Music: Gaining confidence through performance

MFL: Language linked to school life and food.



Photos and Enrichment







Useful websites to explore:

https://climatekids..nasa..gov/kids-guide-to-climate-change/

https://www.britannica.com/place/Amazon-Rainforest

https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/clips/z fp34wx

https://www.natgeokids.com/uk/disco ver/geography/physicalgeography/amazon-facts/

https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/48 836955

https://kids.britannica.com/kids/article/parliament/353600

Talk like a Historian



government parliament influence

source

Talk like a Geographer



biome pollution

climate sustainability

deforestation tropics

distribution vegetation

equator

Talk like a Scientist



classification processes
life cycles germination

pollination dispersal

photosynthesis stimulus

Talk like an Author



grimacing brusquely

sceptical undulating

coax tenacious

arrogantly foliage

Talk like a Mathematician



numerator denominator

equivalent improper

ratio proportion

coordinates quadrant

Quality Texts

The Explorer by Katherine Rundell

The Tin Forest by Helen Ward

Journey to the River Sea by

Eva Ibbotson