

# Year One

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you to Year 1 parents who had the most responses to the parent survey! As Year 1 won we have earned ourselves a mufti day. We have chosen to do this mufti day on **Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June**. Thank you to all those parents who took the time to complete the survey, your feedback is invaluable.

### English

The children have started their new book this week; One day on our blue planet: In The Rainforest by Ella Bailey. The children have been looking at fiction and non-fiction books and discovering the differences between the two. The story is set in the Amazon Rainforest and children have found where this is on a map and researched the rainforest using non-fiction books. Armed with lots of new information the children then created a poster. We were so impressed with what the children created. Well done! The children finished the week by drawing a picture in the style of the artist Henri Rousseau who was famous for drawing jungle scenes.

### Maths

In maths this week, we have been learning the place value of digits in numbers up to 100. We have counted forwards and backwards to 100 using a 100 square. We have also use dienes to partition and combine numbers. We have recorded our place value sentences as  $43 = 4 \text{ tens and } 3 \text{ ones}$ .

Talking point: Choose a number between 0 and 100. Ask a family member to ask questions in order to guess the number you are thinking of.

### Topic

In **Geography** this week the children have looked at the seven continents of the world. They have found them on a map and labelled them.

In **Science** the children have been looking at Carnivores, herbivores and omnivores and sorted animals out according to what they eat.



### Deputy Headteacher's Award

#### Cornflower

Emmy

Jacob

#### Foxglove

#### Lavender

Joseph

Akshita

**PE Kits:** We know it's nearing the end of term but please could you make sure that your child has a FULL PE kit with them in school every day. Thank you.