English:

- First, we will be finishing our work on fables, writing our own narratives.
- Next, we will linking our English to our theme about rainforests. We will be looking at poetry with a rainforest theme and writing our own poems. We will also be writing adventure stories set in a rainforest. Our guided reading text is 'The Vanishing Rainforest.'

Maths:

- We start with some more fractions work, calculating fractions of quantities.
- In measures work, we will learn about perimeter. We will recap converting between units of measure
- We will learn properties and names of 2D shapes including different quadrilaterals. We will use co-ordinates.

Science:

- This half term we will be continuing our topic on sound. We will be learning about changing the pitch of sound. Then we will be planning an investigation onto muffling sound.
- After this, our next topic is all about plants.
 We will investigate what plants need to grow and survive. We will also look at the structure of a plant and function of the parts.

RE:

 In RE lessons, we will be looking at how religious groups contribute to society. We will find out the meaning of compassion and how individuals and groups might show compassion.



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PSHE and RSHE:

 This half term's PSHE work will focus on our mental health and wellbeing. We will talk about ways to keep our minds healthy. We will learn about strategies to support ourselves and others.

Theme (History or Geography):

 This half term we have another Geography focus, with our theme of 'Into the Woods' and more specifically rainforests and the climate.
 We will learn about the Earth and the lines of longitude and latitude. We will find locations of rainforests and the climate there. Finally, we look at climate change and the impact of deforestation.

Creative Arts (Art and Design, Design and Technology, Music):

- This half term we have an art focus and will be looking at rainforest art. We will create our own animal pictures, looking at textures.
- Our music lessons will continue to be taught by Helen and will take place on Wednesdays.

Other Subjects:

- PE lessons will be on Tuesdays, led by Mrs Bloomfield. Year 4 also go swimming on Wednesdays.
- In computing, we will continue our work on stop motion animation.
- We will also still be learning French, continuing an animal theme.

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