Literacy

In Literacy we will be reading 'One Plastic Bag' by Miranda Paul. This is a book about a lady who finds a solution to the waste problem in her village in Africa. Using this book we will learn how to write instructions, setting descriptions and recounts.

We will also explore poetry this term using Judith Nicholls Barefoot book of Earth poems. We will write poetry about the beauty of nature around us and begin to explore personification in poetry.

Non - Fiction text will be used to investigate our planet and how it is changing.





Art

In Art the children will be learning how to print using a variety of natural materials such as leaves and bark.

The children will follow in the footsteps of the story 'One Plastic Bag' and weaving their own plastic creation recycling used plastic bags and also make and sell recycled crayons.





Music

In Music we will continue to learn about different instruments and how to play them by reading the book 'One love' by Cedella Marley. This book is a song about the Earth based on Bob Marleys song 'One love'. The children will learn about beat and pitch and will join in singing to perform this song.

TOGETHER we can



change the WORLD

Geography

In Geography we will use our class books, 'One Plastic Bag' and 'The Great Kapok Tree' to identify and compare the climates in each book setting. We will take a closer look at the rainforest and plants and animals that are found there and compare these to Africa. We will examine the jobs, cultures and customs of the people living in these countries and record the similarities and differences. We will also use maps and compasses to navigate ourselves around our local area.

Design Technology

The children will support the schools wildlife by make bird houses/feeders. They will learn how to plan and design their project. Choose suitable materials, learn to measure accurately. Make cuts and holes. They will be cutting and joining wood too.



Computing

In Computing the children will use their maths and design technology knowledge to create a profit and loss spreadsheet for their recycled crayons business. They will learn how to create simple formulas and grafts to help them keep track of their expenditure and profit.

Science

In science we will be looking at the environment in many different ways we will look at rock and soil and wildlife habitats.

