

Hello Nursery, the topic this week aims to provide opportunities for your child to learn more about the world's rainforests. Learning may focus on the plants, animals and insects that inhabit the rainforest, food that originates there and weather patterns. It could look at plants and animals that can be found in the garden too.

DAY	MATHEMATICS	ENGLISH TASKS FOR THIS WEEK	OTHER SUBJECT TASKS
Monday	<b>Length</b> using lego or blocks can you make towers of different sizes? Which is the tallest? Which is the smallest?	<b>Phonics</b> Teach the <b>h</b> sound. Watch Mrs Johnston's phonics video on Seesaw. Listen to the <u>Jolly</u> <u>Phonics rhyme</u> which goes with the <b>h</b> sound	<b>PSE</b> watch the YouTube video 'While we can't hug' with your child and answer any questions they might have. While We Can't Hug
Tuesday	<b>Ordering big, small and medium sized objects.</b> Can you put your family in size order? Who is the tallest? Who is the shortest?	Writing Using Read, Write, Inc. resources – teach how to write 'h' - Show picture card. Say "Down the head, to his hooves and over his back". Ask the children to use their finger in the air, on the table, on grownups back etc. to practice writing 'h'.	<b>UW</b> Learn about which animals live in the rainforest. Watch this video about animals in the rainforest. <u>Rainforest Animals</u> Can your child tell me about some of the animals that live in the rainforest or remember any facts and post a short video telling me about them on Seesaw?
Wednesday	Measuring Length in Squares (assigned activity in Seesaw)	<b>Speaking and Listening</b> Listen to Mrs Johnston read the story ' <i>Mog the Forgetful Cat</i> ' (on Seesaw)	<b>UW</b> Watch Go Jetters: <u>Amazon Rainforest</u> . Can your child tell you where the tree frog was found? What sound did it make? Which rainforest insect steals the picnic? What happens when the tree frogs aren't there to eat the ants or picnic? What happens when the tree frogs aren't there to eat the ants?
Thursday	An interactive game which focuses on the comparative vocabulary of biggest, smallest, shortest, longest and tallest animals. <u>Let's Compare Game</u>	Read ' <i>In the Jungle</i> ' together with your child, discussing the contents and pictures on each page and talking about the print and what it means. <u>In the Jungle</u>	<b>UW/EAD</b> Draw a picture of a rainforest animal on the computer/tablet. Can they use computing software to recreate their picture? Try Paint
Friday	Log in to the PURPLE MASH MINI-MASH website (see instructions on Home Learning page). Then follow <u>this link to the Measuring Games.</u>	Write a list with your grown up with the names of the animals which you spotted in the ' <i>Walking Through the Jungle</i> ' song (worksheet attached)	<b>EAD</b> Sing along to <u>Walking Through the Jungle</u>