

Places to visit



You could visit Blackpool Zoo, or travel a little further to Knowsley Safari Park or Chester Zoo. Here you can see a variety of African animals such as Lions, Elephants and Giraffes.



Liverpool World Museum has an African gallery with lots of artwork and artefacts. The Museum is free of charge.

Useful Websites

Take a look at Africa using Google Earth. Look carefully at the different habitats, such as desert, savannah and rainforest.

https://www.google.co.uk/intl/en_uk/earth/

Keep practising the different phonics sounds using free games at Phonics Play.

<https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/>

Things to do



African animal mask or a tribal style mask.

You could try making an

Try learning some phrases with your child, such as, 'Hello' and 'How are you?' in Swahili. You can use google translate to help you.

Hujambo! Habari za asubuhi! Vizuri!
Swahili
Ninapenda kula ugali! Tunasema Kiswahili.

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Parent Showcase: 17th March—
2.30-3pm



An African Safari

Year 1 Spring Term

We are learning ...

Maths

During the Spring term we will be improving our knowledge of number by focussing on Addition and Subtraction to 20, Numbers to 50 and measures including length and height, and weight and volume.



English

In English this term we will be doing different writing based on these texts; Handa's Surprise, We All Went On a Safari, Africa Information Books and The Enormous Turnip.



Science

The Science topic this term is Plants and Seasonal changes. During the topics we will look at different types of plants, and discover the parts of the plant. We will also look at the different seasons.

Geography/History

Our Spring topic in Year 1 is An African Safari. We will find out about different parts of Africa and compare it to our local environment, collecting information in different ways.

Art/Design Technology

For Art and Design Technology this term we will be looking at Weaving, Printing and Healthy Food. We will weave with different materials, use different blocks for printing and design a healthy lunch box.

Computing

In computing we will be start to use software to make pictures for a story and look at finding pictures off the web to sort.

PSHE

During PSHE we will be looking at Healthy Lifestyles and Growing and Changing. We will look at different ways to stay healthy and think about what happens when we grow up.

Music

In music we will be looking at our two new units of work; In the Groove and Round and Round. We will improve our singing and work together to sing in rounds.



PE

Children in year 1 will be looking at gymnastics in the Spring term. We will move with control and start to copy sequences using rolls and balances.

RE

In RE we will be finding out about Judaism and Islam. We will learn about the importance of the planet to Muslims and find out about some celebrations in the Jewish faith.

