

# The Blue Planet:

## How will what I do today impact tomorrow?

During the Spring term, KS1 children will embark on an expedition to learn more about how their everyday activities impact the world around them.

Following their previous expedition, How can I be a hero in my community?, the children will continue developing their understanding about the pressing climate change agenda and how small collective actions, such as creating a wildflower meadow, litter picking and providing food sources for birds, animals and insects in their immediate locality can impact positively on this.

The expedition will focus on **science**, **geography** and **art**.

As **scientists**, the children will look at habitats, adaptations, survival needs, lifecycles and food chains.

As **geographers**, they will investigate weather patterns, climate change, oceans and continents and compare the UK to a non-European country.

As **artists**, the children will continue developing their art skills, while also looking at the technique of collaging and sculpting.

### Experts and Fieldwork:

Across the case studies we are looking forward to inviting in experts such as ornithologists, The Tree Council, carpenters, vets and Greenpeace activists.

Our field work will see us visiting The Deep to learn more about sea creatures and habitats under the water.

### Key Texts:

Someone Swallowed Stanley

The big book of birds

Omar, the bees and me!

### Family Learning:

We are looking forward to inviting you to work with your children to create some animal themed arts and crafts.

### Final Product and Celebration of Learning:

Our final product will see the children's help to develop a mini eco-garden in the KS1 area. We will be working with the Tree council to plant trees, wildflowers and hedges before adding bug hotels and bird feeders to help care for our local wildlife, insect and bird population.



# Not all heroes wear capes: How will I be a hero in my community?

## Home Learning

Please try to complete one piece of learning each week

Expedition	Mindful Movement	Community	Life Skills
Create a fact file poster about your favourite animal	Go orienteering at Sandall Beat Woods <a href="#">Map Link</a>	Litter pick in your local area.	Learn to tell the time.
Paint or draw your favourite animal in the style of the artist Steven Brown.	Colourful Scavenger Hunt Go for a walk in the local area and find natural objects to match the different colours	Visit the local library.	Grow and care for a plant.
Create a weather diary to record all the different weather across the spring term.	Each day learn to move like a new animal .	Make a mini-bug hotel for your garden <a href="#">Instructions Link</a>	Learn to change your bed.
Build a rain gauge and measure the rain throughout the Spring term	Go on a walk to collect natural elements to create your own animal collage.	Participate in the RSPB Big Garden Birdwatch <a href="#">Bird Watch Link</a>	Learn how to wash your clothes





# Welcome to Key Stage 1

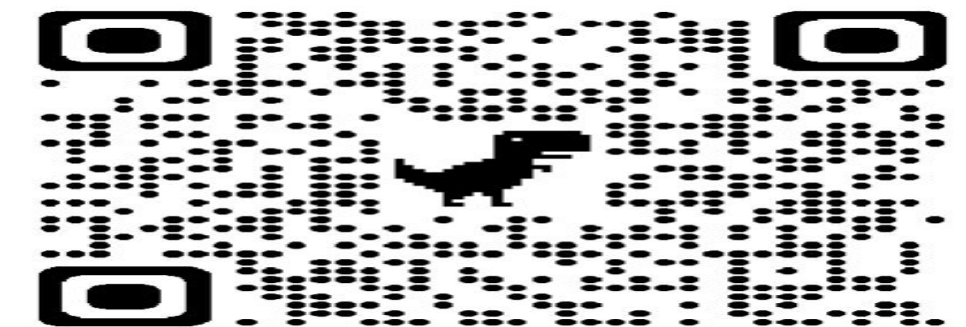


## Year 2's Blog

Scan the QR code to visit **Year 2's** blog

## Year 1's Blog

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## Messages

Scan the QR code to visit the **KS1 Message Board**

## PE Days

1M - Wednesday & Monday

1C (was 1LI) - Monday & Thursday

1/2 K - Tuesday & Thursday

2P - Monday & Thursday

2L - Monday & Wednesday

**Please can children wear their PE kits on these days**

## Reminders

**Each day please remember:**

Water bottle

Homework and book bags to be returned on a Friday

## Key Dates

**1st February**

KS1 Movie Night - Bee Movie

**13th or 14th March**

Trip to the deep

**27th March**

Celebration of Learning

