

# Chacewater School – LEAP into Learning

Term: Spring 2<sup>nd</sup> half

Class: Year 2 (Buds)

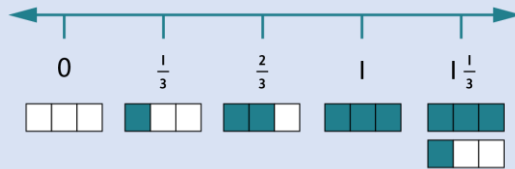
Theme: An African Adventure!

**On this page you will find an outline of our learning this half term in Buds.**

## Maths:

### Fractions

- recognise, find, name and write fractions  $\frac{1}{3}$ ,  $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  $\frac{2}{4}$  and  $\frac{3}{4}$  of a length, shape, set of objects or quantity
- Children will learn simple fractions for example,  $\frac{1}{2}$  of 6 = 3 and recognise the equivalence of  $\frac{2}{4}$  and  $\frac{1}{2}$ .



- Revision of all four operations: addition, subtraction, division and multiplication

## Geography: Africa, Zambia

We will learn all about the location of Zambia in Africa and compare this to Cornwall. We will explore the village of Muguranmeno in Zambia and understand its human and physical features.



## Design Technology:

We will be making our own puppets from felt, creating our own designs to follow and learning the cross stitch before evaluating our product.

## English:

### Fiction: Fatou, fetch the water

Writing outcome: write a story using pattern and a familiar setting.

- Use capital letters and full stops (Y1/2).
- Sequence sentences to form a short narrative.
- Use compound sentences (Y1).
- Expand nouns to describe (Y2).
- Use question marks and exclamation marks (Y2).



### Non-fiction: Big Cats

Writing outcome: write a non-chronological report

- Conjunctions
- Verbs
- Noun phrases
- Punctuating sentences

## Music:

Children will be creating their own music on Chrome Music Labs and focusing on beat and rhythm.

## Religious Education:

This term we will be learning all about Muslims and the religion of Islam.



## RHSE:

This sequence of lessons will be exploring the importance of a healthy body and healthy mind.

## PE:

Outside: Striking and fielding/ Tennis and Cricket

Inside: Unit 5: Sending and receiving

## Computing: Chrome music lab

Learners will explore how music can make them think and feel. They will make patterns and use those patterns to make music with both percussion instruments and digital tools. They will also create different rhythms and tunes, using the movement of animals for inspiration.



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## HOME LEARNING

Term: Summer 1<sup>st</sup> Half term 2024

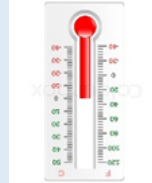
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Alongside regular reading, spelling practice and maths home learning choose at least one of the following to complete over this half term. You might even be inspired and choose more than one!

Research an African animal and make a poster about it! Can you include pictures or a labelled diagram?

Many places in Africa are very hot. Use a thermometer to measure the hottest place in your house.



Make a collage of an African animal. You could choose a lion, an elephant or a snake. Use different materials and stick them down to create your image.



Find a recipe for some African food and make it with your parents or carers! Take a photo or write the method about how to make it and share it with Buds.

Write a list of lots of animals. Can you sort them into groups by their habitat?



Maths: help with cooking a meal/baking at home and practise weighing ingredients. Look at the quantities you need when cooking and using the scales for grams and kg. Order the ingredients from lightest - heaviest.

We will be reading many stories based in Africa. Here are some recommended reads for you.

[HERE](#)

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/shows/tinga-tinga-tales>



**Research**

Your own choice!

Create/design/make/plan/draw/write based on one of our learning areas outlined above.



Geography: What can you find out about Africa? Can you locate it on a map of the world? Which Oceans surround it? Can you find Zambia? Create a poster or fact file to share what you have found.