

English

In English we will be looking at writing poems, story writing and biographies.

In SPaG we will be looking at words from the statutory word list, words ending in 'cious' and 'tious' as well as looking at a range of homophones. We will also look at grammar linked to the genres

In reading we will be digging deeper into texts looking at features and understanding key vocabulary as well as continuing to discuss Skellig in book club.

Maths

In Maths we will be looking at comparing, simplifying and finding equivalent fractions and looking at understanding decimals. We will also continue with addition and subtraction involving problem solving as well as multiplying by multi digit numbers. We will also be working on our times tables fluency.

Science

In science we will be researching different animals and their environments. Collecting and recording specimens. We will also investigate how adaptations evolve through natural selection. We will also investigate through scientific investigation.

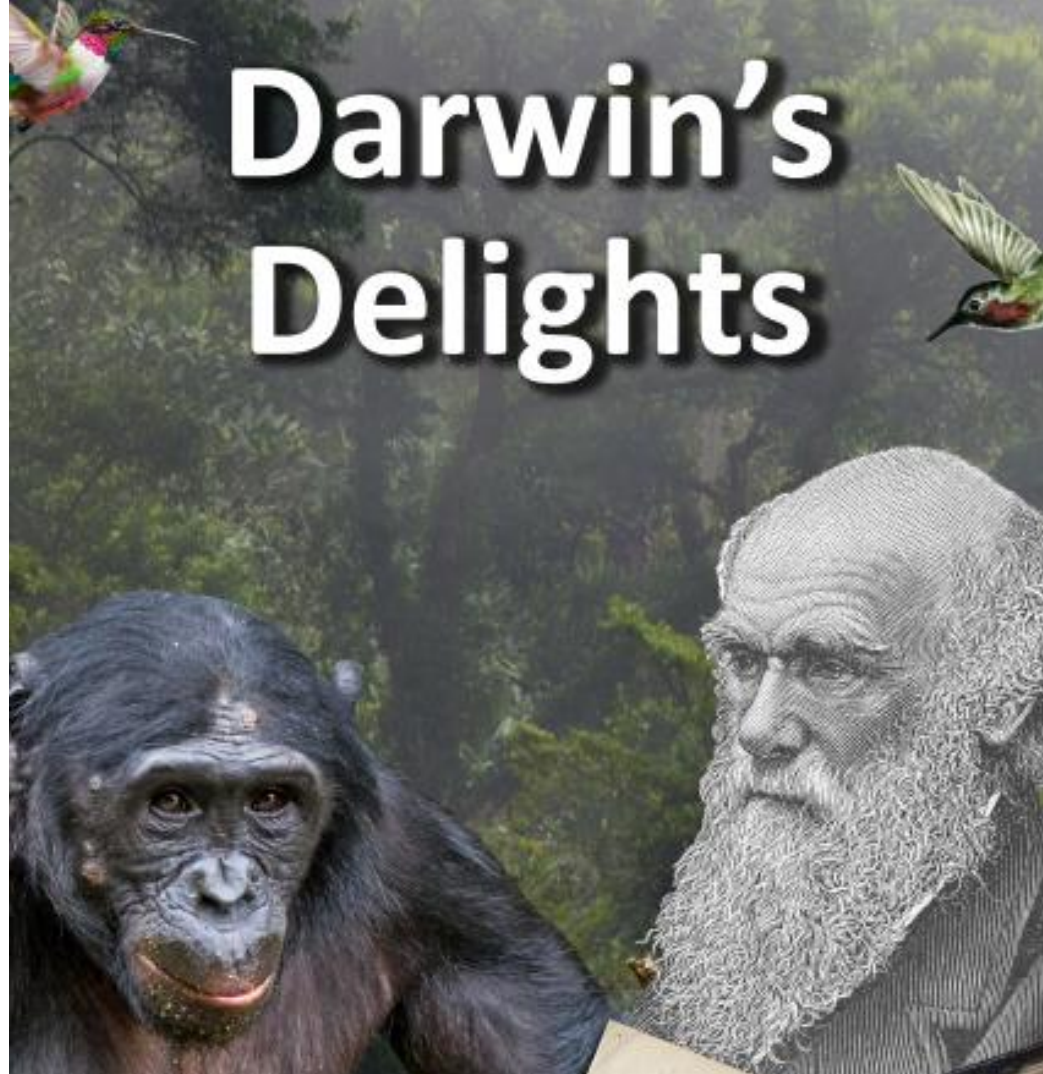
History

In history we will be learning about Charles Darwin and his greatest achievements as well as the work of Mary Anning.

Geography

We will be exploring the Galapagos islands, using maps as well as researching animals under extinction answering geographical questions.

Darwin's Delights



Art and Design

In art we will be developing our sketching skills by doing observational drawings to aid our scientific discoveries.

Music

In music we will be learning new songs for Christmas as well as creating a piece of music linked to an animal.

PSHE

In PSHE we will be looking at family and friends and how to deal with different situations and anti-bullying.

French

In French we will be developing our speech and looking at vocab linked to French food.

PE

In PE Mr Slaney will be taking the children for PE every Friday and they will be learning invasion games. The children will also be taking part in weekly Forest School.

Computing

In computing Ms Ella will continue to build on previous skills. They will also look at handling data and reading and making different charts.

RE

In RE we will be looking at and investigating the question, what does it mean if God is holy and loving?

WE'RE OFF ON AN EXCITING EXPEDITION WITH CHARLES DARWIN AND HIS CREW ON HMS *BEAGLE*. CAN YOU TRACE HIS ROUTE ACROSS THE VAST OCEAN? STOP AT THE MAGICAL GALÁPAGOS ISLANDS TO SEE THE AMAZING SPECIES THAT HELPED CHARLES DARWIN TO DEVELOP HIS THEORY OF EVOLUTION BY NATURAL SELECTION. DO YOU KNOW WHAT'S SO SPECIAL ABOUT A LAVA LIZARD, OR WHY THE BLUE-FOOTED BOOBY HAS BLUE FEET? SEE HOW ANIMALS ADAPT TO THEIR ENVIRONMENTS OVER TIME AND MEET SOME OF THE WORLD'S GREATEST EXPLORERS AND

NATURALISTS. IMAGINE HOW HUMANS WILL EVOLVE IN MILLIONS OF YEARS. IT'S A