

Foundation Subjects: Science, Art and Geography

Please look at the powerpoint for other at home activities and ideas for PE.

This week is mythical beasts week! We will be creating new habitats for your mythical beasts, creating dragon art as well as exploring the world to find out where our mythical beast could live.

Teach		Activities
Science	<p>Outcome: To create a new habitat for mythical beast.</p> <p>Look at the slides on habitat. Do the children know what a habitat is? It's a natural environment where animals live. Habiter in French means to live in English! Read the slides on what a frog and a bird needs to survive in their habitat. Can you think back through the different topics at Stillness and think of which animals you have learnt about and which habitat they live in? show the slide on different habitats. Do they recognise any? Can they name anymore? Show picture of the forest floor and ask your child what animal could possibly live there. They may have other ideas and suggestions but I have chosen woodlouse. These creatures love to live in forest areas and eat on rotting leaves and fruits! Children can choose a mythical beast and create a habitat for where they feel it may live.</p>	<p>Design a habitat for your mythical beast. Draw your ideas and label where it is and what is in the habitat. Eg trees or plants. Perhaps you can write a little explanation as to why your mythical beast will choose to live there? Does it like hot sunny places or damp and cold environments. What does it eat and will it be able to find it there?</p> <p>Have a look at the ppt for an example of a unicorn.</p>

<p>Art</p>	<p>Outcome: To design and make a dragon</p> <p>This week we have given some ideas as to how you may wish to create your dragon art. We have given some ideas on the powerpoint but please feel free to be creative!</p>	<p>Please also find some drawing activities on mythical beasts:</p> <p>Dragon - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KRAarF177Y4 Mermaid - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jBfMs-YskHo Unicorn - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=r6cJI89axqY Troll - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZkBODLrJkMw</p>
<p>Geography</p>	<p>Outcome: To create a factfile on your chosen mythical beast.</p> <p>Have a look at the world map on the ppt. Can you recognise any countries? Do you know the names of the continents and oceans? For this activity you are going to create a fact file on your mythical beast. You will have to think creatively as these creatures are mythical! You may wish to link this with your science and think about what country the habitat would be found in. Have a look at the example on the ppt for help. You can use Google Earth to help you explore the different</p>	<p>Activity - create a fact file for your mythical beast on where it lives. You can include:</p> <p>The country, continent, nearby ocean, country flag, any famous monuments nearby and if you know any interesting facts about the country.</p>

	<p>countries around the world. You may wish to do a mermaid and find the ocean that they live in or find the sea and the nearest country to that. Perhaps they live in the <i>Great Barrier Reef</i> off Australia or the <i>Hana waterfalls</i> in Maui, Hawaii. The world is your oyster - go off, research and explore!</p>	
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