

Spring Term 2022 Year 1 (KS1)

Connected Curriculum Theme: Social Justice

Attitudes: Commitment to social justice and equity

Topic: Comparison between cultures (Great Britain and Africa)

Context: The life of an animal (Term 3) and human rights (Term 4)

Trip: Noah's Ark Zoo Farm on Tuesday 1st February 2022

Term 3 Mini Product Outcome: Artwork inspired by artist Atta Kwami.

Our Big Question: Is it fair?

Term 3 Learning Questions:

What is the difference between fair and unfair?

Can I identify African animals?

Where is our local area?

What are the 7 continents?

What are African habitats like?

Is it fair that animals live in zoos?

Why do people poach? Is this fair?



Some Facts (Knowledge & Understanding)

There are seven continents on Earth and together they cover one third of the world, with the oceans covering the other two thirds. Ordered from largest in area to smallest, they are: Asia, Africa, North America, South America, Antarctica, Europe, and Australia.

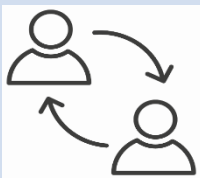
Africa is the continent that has the most countries. There are 54 countries on the African continent.

In Africa, the Big Five game animals are the lion, leopard, rhinoceros, elephant and Cape buffalo. The term was coined by big-game hunters and refers to the five most difficult animals in Africa to hunt on foot but it is now also widely used by safari tour operators.



Skills

Communication - Children will be able to participate in discussions that affect self, others and the wider world by stating opinions and starting to give reasons for these in addition to listening carefully to others.



Making decisions - Children will be able to contribute actively and constructively to the life of own class and school. They will be able to take action when something is unfair.



Vocabulary Dozen

Poachers	A person who hunts or catches animals illegally.	Habitat	The home of an animal or plant.
Welfare	The health/ happiness of a person or animal.	Employment	Having paid work.
Continent	One of several large landmasses.	Motive	A reason for doing something.
Endangered	A species at serious risk of extinction.	Captivity	Being imprisoned.
Extinction	A group of species that have no living members.	National Park	An area of countryside that is protected for the public or the preservation of wildlife.
Illegal	Not allowed by the laws or rules.	Savannah	A grassy plain with few trees in tropical and subtropical regions.

Subject	Term 2 Learning
Core Text & Writing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Narrative: The Hunter - Non-fiction: Write to inform
Reading Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continuation of phase 5 Use phonics skills to decode words Make predictions and inferences about the text
Mathematics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Place value (within 20) Addition and subtraction (within 20)
Geography	Locate the local area and the seven continents on a map. Understand the geographical similarities and differences between the UK and Africa.
History	Significant events in national life.
Computing	Media
Physical Education (Wednesday & Thursday)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Invasion games (Wednesday with sports coach) Dance (Thursday with Miss Adams)
Art/DT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Drawing and mark making Painting and use of colour Textiles
Jigsaw	Dreams and goals
Religious Education	Who is Jewish and what do they believe?
Music	In the groove
Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Seasonal changes (winter) Animals including humans

