

Class 1 Writing activity

Week commencing 8th February 2021

We are going to end our learning this half term by writing our class letter to David Attenborough. I would like us to tell him what we in Class 1 are going to do to help protect the Earth.

Start by watching this clip: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/p091pr73>

Talk to your grown up about the animals you see on the clip and what their habitats might be. I think my favourite is the swinging monkey through the trees! However, if all the trees are cut down where that monkey lives, what will happen? The monkey will no longer have a habitat to enjoy.

Over the past few weeks in Class 1 we have learnt a little bit about Amazing Animals: we have met Pete the Badger who learnt that "tidying" the natural world was not the best thing to do as it stopped him getting into his home. We have investigated hedgehogs and found out lots of interesting facts and joined in with the Big Schools Birdwatch to look for the birds in our gardens. I hope you have enjoyed this learning and finding out about different animals, just as David Attenborough does.

So, what can we in Class 1 do to protect the Earth? You might already do things like recycle paper and plastic at home, or by turning lights off when you are the last person to leave the room. When we are in school we reuse paper and bring in water bottles each day so we don't waste plastic. All these things will help protect the Earth. Or you might tell him about feeding the birds in your garden or building a hedgehog house.

Can you write a letter to David Attenborough telling him what you do or what you might start doing to help protect our natural world? It need only be a sentence or two.

Remember to start your letter with Dear David Attenborough and to write your name at the end. Use your phonics to sound out the words and segment them to help you with your spelling. I can't wait to see what you come up with on the class Dojo!!

(I have attached some special paper for you to use if you have a printer at home, otherwise why not decorate your own).