

# Diamond Class Newsletter

16.10.20

#### **English:**

The children have put themselves in Michael's shoes, the main character in Kensuke's Kingdom, and have written a letter to his parents about his time on the island. They spoke about his feelings, described the island and described the activities he has done whilst being stuck there. Throughout this letter, they used expanded noun phrases and fronted adverbials. They have also done a setting description about a rainforest using all of their senses. The describing words they used in their work have improved significantly after having done some work with a thesaurus.

#### Maths:

In maths, we have carried on with addition and subtraction problems, but have moved onto challenging themselves through completing addition and subtraction worded problems.

### Science/geography:

The children have been writing, practising and performing their speeches on the rainforest layers. They all worked really hard and produced some great presentations.

#### Pe:

We have carried on with 'Giraffes can't dance' whereby, they improved their sad part of the dance. The children have come up with some very creative dances and they will be performed to the rest of the class next week.







## Reminders:

- Spellings have been set and there will be a test on them next Friday.
- Mathsletics tasks have been set and the children are expected to have these completed by next Thursday.
- An assignment linked to our topic has been set on google classroom which needs to be completed by 2<sup>nd</sup> of November.
- Please make sure you read at least 5 times a week at home.