



# Year 3 -Climate and Biomes- Focus on India

## Summer 1 Homework



CLASSES 3SB, 3LM and 3CB

DATE SET  
Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March

DATE DUE  
Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> May

Dear children and adults,

We are very excited to commence our new geography topic; Climate and Biomes - Focus on India. This is a geography-based topic where we'll be looking at Climate and Biomes with a focus on India. We will explore climate maps, compare landscapes and look at some of the trade links (current and historical) that we have with India.



### MATHS

Maths homework will be uploaded to google classroom week by week. Please complete at home. Mathletics can also be used at home on a laptop/pc and as an app. All children have a password but please ask your class teacher if you don't.

### SPELLINGS

Spellings will be uploaded on Fridays, to be learnt by the following week. A full list of spellings covered in Year 3 will be added to google classroom.

### READING

Remember to read **each day** to develop and improve your reading skills. Remember the more you read, the more rewards you'll earn!

*The following books are fantastic for helping with our Geography learning this term:*

- Cloud Tea Monkeys by Elspeth Graham and Mal Peet
- The Girl of Ink and Stars by Kiran Milwood Hargrave
- Tamarind and the Star of Ishta by Jaspinder Bilan
- Tiger Boy by Mitali Perkins & Jamie Hogan
- The Time Traveller and the Tiger by Tania Unsworth
- Gobble You Up by Gita Wolf
- The Jungle Book by Rudyard Kipling

Scan the QR code below for more:



### WRITING AND TOPIC

You have a scrap book to use to complete your homework project. Over the next few weeks you could complete some of these activities or you can make some up of your own. You can also upload completed work to Google Classroom:

**Have a go at completing one of the following tasks:**

- Create a fact file about India.
- Create an acrostic poem using the words 'Incredible India'.
- Produce a tourism advert, all about a famous Indian landmark: eg: The Taj Mahal, Mehrengarth Fort, Hampi - Can you find any more?
- Create a 3D map with different biomes.
- Research an Indian animal and create a fact file.
- Find out about the Himalayas.
- Create a map of India. Can you add labels and a key?
- In what biome is the UK located?
- Create an information report on a biome of your choice.
- Explore the impact of the climate change on different biomes.

**Or these art-based tasks:**

- Make a 3D model or 2D picture if an animal found in India
- Create a traditional Indian pattern using materials (eg: chalk, paint, colouring pens etc).
- Create a diorama of a particular biome.
- Create a sketch of a biome
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Some other interesting art ideas can also be found here:

<https://thecraftyclassroom.com/crafts/india-crafts-for-kids/>

### TOPIC WORDS

Do you know what these words mean? Use a dictionary to find out:

Irrigation  
Climate  
Tropic of Capricorn  
Rural  
Urban

### Places you could visit:

- \* The V & A museum
- \* The British Museum
- \* Kew Gardens for plants you might find in India
- \*The Vaisakhi festival, Trafalgar Square - 16 April 2022.