

Year 1 Writing Knowledge Organiser

Summer 1



Core text: One Day in our Blue Planet - in the Savannah by Ella Bailey

Key Knowledge

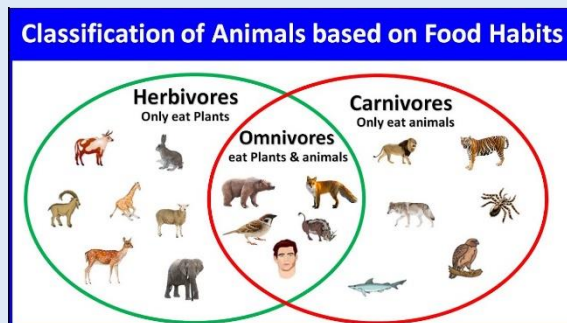
By the end of this unit pupils will..

Orally compose, plan and write a narrative of 4/5 sentences, sequenced to form a short story about an animal making its journey through the Savannah. They will use correct punctuation for statement sentences, along with adjectives to describe their chosen animal and the setting. They will also verbally generate and scribes words with prefix “un” and suffixes “er” and “est.




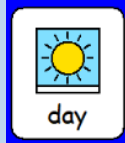


“One Day in our Blue Planet – in the Savannah” is a fiction story about a small lion cub living in the African Savannah. As the sun rises, the lion cub follows his mother through their savannah home. Surrounded by all manner of animals and birds, he plays, chases and explores as life goes on around him.

Links to other curriculum areas:

Science – identifying and naming common animals and grouping them into carnivore, omnivore or herbivore based on their diet.



Key Vocabulary

<p>Setting</p>	<p>The place and timing of a story. Examples: in a hot, dry desert early in the morning late at night on a sunny morning</p>
<p>Prefixes and Suffixes</p>	<p>A prefix is a group of letters that can go before a root word to change the meaning. Examples: untie unlock unhappy</p> <p>A suffix is a group of letters that can go on the end of a root word to change the meaning. Examples: faster/fastest slower/slowest braver/bravest</p>
<p>Key Vocab from “One Day in our Blue Planet – in the Savannah”</p>	<div style="display: flex; flex-wrap: wrap; justify-content: space-around;"> <div style="border: 1px solid blue; padding: 5px; margin: 5px;"> lion</div> <div style="border: 1px solid blue; padding: 5px; margin: 5px;"> lioness</div> <div style="border: 1px solid blue; padding: 5px; margin: 5px;"> night</div> <div style="border: 1px solid blue; padding: 5px; margin: 5px;"> day</div> <div style="border: 1px solid blue; padding: 5px; margin: 5px;"> Africa</div> <div style="border: 1px solid blue; padding: 5px; margin: 5px;"> savannah</div> </div>