

Creative Home Learning Ideas

Predator!



Below are some ideas based around our new topic. Please read the ideas to your child and let them choose which activities they would like to complete at home with you or on their own.

- Learn how to spell the names of some of the weird and wonderful predators of the world – the weirder the better!
- Make a mini fact file or short digital presentation about your favourite predators and bring it to school to share with the class.
- If you could be a predator for the day, what kind of predator would you be, and why? Where would you live? What features would help you hunt, catch and kill your prey? Record your ideas in your home learning book and bring them in to share with the class.
- Use the web to research what different predators eat. Create food chains for a variety of different predators using materials and tools of your choice.
- Devise a 'What am I?' quiz about predators and try it out on your friends and family. How many questions does it take for them to get to the right answer?
- Write a short, imaginative story or poem from the point of view of either a predator or its prey.
- Write a set of instructions (a program) for how to care for your ultimate predator!
- Research and record a predator from each of the subgroups: mammals, birds, insects, arachnids, reptiles, fish and plants.
- Create a predator mask.
- Go for a walk, what predators can you find? Make a list and draw a picture of each predator and their prey.
- Make part of a skeleton using string and card.
- Make a predator foot print using playdough/salt dough.

Have fun and send a Class dojo to any of the Year 3 team if you have any queries regarding the home learning activities.

Please read at home with your child as much as possible (at least 3 times per week) and sign your child's reading record. Please ask them questions about what they have read to help develop their comprehension and understanding.

Thank you for your continued support, it makes such a difference to your child to work together as a 3 way partnership – Parent, Child and Teacher.