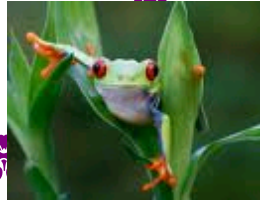


# Just to let you know...

After our fantastic day out at Wisley the children are now experts on plant adaptation. We have also done our own Amazon rainforest research.



After experiencing the tropical zone at Wisley, the children will be completing their beautiful descriptive writing; imagining what it would be like to be in the Amazon Rainforest. They are writing a descriptive piece thinking carefully about choosing adventurous and imaginative vocabulary.

## Bikeability 2015-16

Bikeability sessions start next week. Your child will be bringing home a letter concerning Bikability. Please return your permission slips to your year 6 teacher as soon as possible.

Children need helmets and should check bikes over the weekend. They will be informed by Friday 18th, if they are in the group for next week.



## Layers of the Rainforest

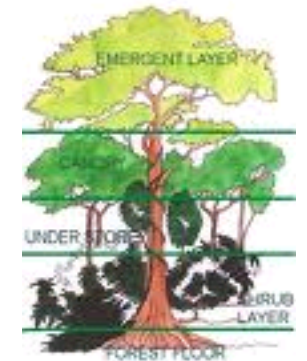
See if they can tell you about what lives where:

Emergent layer

Canopy

Under storey

Forest floor



Please could you sign in your children's reading journal when they've read three times in the week.

## HOMWORK ACTIVITIES

Children will bring home any topic work that is unfinished, as well as a Maths activity to complete. The children must return homework on Monday morning.

Spellings: referring, referred, referral, preferred, transferred, inferring, inferred, reference, referee, preference, inference transference

The children will be tested on Friday 25th September.

In maths this week we have looked at mental and written strategies for addition. The children discussed partitioning, adjusting numbers, near doubles and counting on. They also reviewed formal methods and solved addition problems with whole numbers and decimals.