Theme: World Week - Eco focus

Duration: 8 hours

Rationale: A week to focus on a current issue which will impact on the children's futures, providing the children with a deeper understanding and mechanisms to make

changes in their own lives.

Resource: https://theecoheroes.com/?fbclid=lwAR1ssBOFLi2oRTt3f_g2nVkrTGi52qvTD84qurvbYlifS_ZbNrxENnTHblU

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Responsibility – Can take responsibility.	Compassion – Recognises how their behaviour affects others.	Empathy – Shows respect for others.	Compassion – Strives to make things better.

	Vocabulary	Knowledge	Focus	Catholic Life	Enrichment	Reading
EYFS	Vocabulary · Animals · Habitats · Endangered · Deforestation	 Knows that some animals are endangered, including snow leopards, black rhino, mountain gorilla and giant panda. Knows that animals have different habitats and can identify grassland, ocean, forest and savannah. Knows habitats are being removed by deforestation. 	· Animals and habitats (Rose)	· Show sensitivity to animals.	Enrichment Create a habitat for animals in forest school. Make cards with a representation of and endangered animal.	Reading · Harry and the dinosaurs go wild.
		· Can share how to look after animals – food, clean, hygiene, home				
Year 1	 water desert unhygienic pollution marine life disease 	 Knows that parts of the world suffer from lack of water including Uganda, East Africa. Knows that dirty water transmits disease and can cause death. Recalls water facts including that 70% of the earth's surface is water and that our bodies require 3.2 litres of what a day. Knows that pollutants are dumped into the ocean and killing marine life. 	· Oceans and water (Aqsa)	· Describe why things matter to them.	Investigation into why water is salty. Make water scenes. Water log of usage over the week.	Oceans
Year 2	· Air pollution · humans · Force	· Knows that air pollution is where there is the presence of pollutants in	· Air and Air pollution (Skye)	· Talk about their own feelings.	Balloon activity to explore air.Make their own face masks.	Dinosaurs and all that rubbish.

	· pollutants · fumes	the air which are harmful or poisonous. · Knows humans add to air pollution such as through car exhaust fumes. · Knows that air pollution can impact our body, including breathing difficulties. · Identifies ways to help stop air pollution including limiting car trips, avoiding burning things.			· Create posters to encourage families to walk to school – display on school gates.	
Year 3	 Waste Recycling Litter Compost hazard	Knows that litter is harmful for people, animals and the natural environment – fire hazard, choking hazard, risk to health. Knows the UK generates over 43.9 million tonnes of waste. Identifies different materials – metals, glass, wood, plastic, fabric, ceramic Can describe how we recycle in our homes – composting, bins.	· Waste and recycling (Adam)	· Expresses a point of view.	Children to go on a litter pick. Sort materials. Design and organise recycling opportunities for the school.	The adventures of a plastic bottle.
Year 4	Rainforest Climate Logging atmosphere Carbon dioxide tropical temperate	Knows that there are two types of rainforests – tropical and temperate and can explain the difference. Understands that rainforests help stabilise the world's climate by absorbing carbon dioxide from the atmosphere. Knows that logging and mining are causing rainforests to disappear. Knows that they can help by planting trees.	· Rainforests (Leif)	· Uses a given source to support a point of view.	Play the animal alert game. Research palm oil and its usage Create rainforests in a cup.	The rainforest grew all around.
Year 5	threatpolar capsclimate changetoxic	Knows the polar bear is a hypercarnivorous bear who mostly come from the arctic circle.	· Polar regions and climate change (Urvi)	· Arrives at judgements.	 Write an expedition story. Ice skyscrapers Investigate why penguins feet don't freeze. 	If polar bears disappeared?

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	hypercarnivorous consumption	 Recognises that climate change, toxic pollution and oil exploration is a threat to polar bears Knows that polar ice caps are melting 				
		as global warming causes climate change. Recognises that there are long term shifts in temperature and weather				
		pattern, creating climate change. Recognises strategies to slow climate change including cutting back on flying, cutting consumption.				
		· Knows that Sir Ernest Henry Shackleton was an antarctic explorer				
Year 6	· energy · eolic · renewable · emissions	 Knows that energy comes in the following forms: chemical, electrical, radiant, mechanical, thermal and nuclear. Identify how they use energy – TV, car, fridge. Recognises ways to save energy include turning things off, turning down thermostats, washing at a lower temperature. Knows that renewable energy is energy whose source never runs out – wind, solar, tidal, hydroelectric. Identifies advantages of renewable energy – cleaner air and water, zero carbon emissions, cheaper form. Identifies disadvantages of renewable energy – can be unreliable, still generates pollution, high cost to install 	· Energy resource (Yang)	· Recognises and compares points of view.	Creating electricity with balloons. Log weekly energy usages – readings. Write a poem to encourage saving energy.	Energy Island
Whole School		es to be made at home.				
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