

Art -Take a look at art which includes animals. How have they been portrayed? Are they realistic or not? Why might this be? What can this tell you about the world at the time? Did people take photographs, travel abroad or own pets then?

D.T – Create your own fantastical beast. Draw it, paying close attention to all the tiny detail. Does it have hooks at the end of it's wings? Has it got a scales? Think about which group it might be in- reptile? amphibian? bird?
If you have an adult that can help you, try using some recycled fabric to create a 3D model of it, use stitching and add detail with buttons.

ICT- Brush up on your 2d painting and drawing online at Tate Kids- Tate Paint. We will be moving on to 3D design online in class this term.

Science - Look around the place you live for signs that living things are always changing. Can you find an insect? Which stage of it's life cycle do you think it is at? Can you draw it? Look at the trees and plants. How have they changed? Can you find seeds produced by any of them? Try planting one.

What is evolution and is it necessary?



Feathered polar bears- Paola Pivi

Birch class homework ideas
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Writing- Using either a real animal or your own fantastical beast as the central character, plan and write a complete story. Perhaps your character is a new species recently discovered, or maybe your story is set in the future and your creature has evolved to fit the changes in climate and habitat. See polar bears inset.

Maths- Challenge yourself to know your times tables out of sequence. Look at BBC Bitesize. The game Guardians of Mathematica lets you explore areas we have been covering in class such as place value. The concept of evolution spans billions of years, can you draw some place value frames and put some larger numbers in them? For example 45,217 or 108,903. Can you place one million, four hundred thousand and nineteen?