- Make character masks to use in role play - link to measurement (rulers - cm) Paint a picture using African patterns. Create forest scene picture collages Create animal pictures using fake animal fur or skins for different textures
- Role play different parts of the story
- Dress up as characters wear animal masks
- Describe animals / characters using symbols
- Learn Makaton signs for different animals in the story
- Make and match sounds / words of characters
 - Describe and create forest setting

- Ordering foods / animals by size/weight
- 1:1 correspondence (counting)
- Contextualised addition and subtraction
- 2D shapes to create animals
- Create forest animal repeating patterns
- Create 3D models of characters
- Make groups of creatures (by colour/size etc) Reasoning

Creativity

- Build dens in the forest
- Visit local wildlife
- Visit animals at Hammerton Zoo
- Small world forest toys

Communication

Semi-Formal Topic Web

Spring 1.1 (3 Weeks)

KS2D

Our World: Africa

Mufaro's Beautiful **Daughters**

- Touch and taste different foods
- Different animal fur/skins to feel
- Explore forest setting leaves, branches, soil, bark, stones, vines
- Listen to sounds of forest animals
- Bar Charts / Pictograms / Carroll / Venn Diagrams – practical sorting

Experiences

- Pupils to practise log rolls together to roll like a log across a river. (link to 3D shapes – sphere / cuboid – log-rolling)
- Pupils to move like animals in the Mufaro story
- Dance to traditional African tribal music.
- Create movements to express different emotions and moods.

Movement

- Discuss which emergency services might be needed to help characters in the Mufaro story. Why are the emergency services important?
- Create the castle from the story out of cardboard and set up a scene(s) where characters require different emergency services. Which services are needed?
- Discuss emergency scenarios – how do we get help?

Myself

- Carry water what vessel is best.
- Google Earth study / create maps of Africa / local area
- Research how people used to live in Africa to the way that they live now (focus on cities)
- Dirty water / clean water test. Velcro 'bugs' attached to dirty water.

Our World

Sensory