

# Spring - This is Me!

## Spring | Who is Isatou Ceesay?



### Sticky knowledge

#### Who is Isatou Ceesay?

Isatou Ceesay and the Recycling Women of The Gambia builds on previous environmental work we have done so far. She also fully embodies our school ethos of 'Dream Big, Aim High'. Isatou Ceesay recognised the village in which she lived was becoming full of plastic, so with other female members of the village they collected the plastic and recycled them into purses and bags to sell. Whilst she was initially mocked for her efforts she is a well noted environmentalist and climate hero. Follow the links to find out more!

<https://climateheroes.org/isatou-cesay-turning-waste-to-wealth/>

<http://oneplasticbag.com/buy-or-sell-the-purses/>

#### Literacy

Once again using our talk for writing technique, of talking the story and using picture prompts (text mapping) to help us re-tell it, we will be learning the true story of Isatou Ceesay and then innovating the story in a number of different ways by changing the setting and the characters in the story.

This way we learn more about Africa as each setting is a different location.

Watch the story here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7JHesjiYfeE>

#### Science

1. Can you name an African mammal, reptile, bird and fish?
2. Winter Season – Which animals hibernate and which ones migrate?

#### RE

- What stories did Jesus tell? What was the message behind the story?
- House on the rock / The prodigal son
- What miracles did Jesus perform?
- Feeding the 5000 / Calming of the storm / Jesus Heals

#### Big 5 Sticky Knowledge questions – Geography based

Where is The Gambia?

What animals might you find in Africa?

What Oceans surround Africa? (Atlantic and Indian)

What would an African village be like?

What is the weather like in The Gambia



#### Key words

- Human Features
- Physical Features
- Country – The Gambia
- Continent – Africa
- Climate / weather
- Village / town

