

This half term our theme is:

Polar Explorers

Geography:

We will be using a wide range of resources to identify the Polar regions, including atlases, Google Earth and the internet. We will be learning basic geographic vocabulary as well as the physical features of these areas. We will begin by finding out about the Antarctic before moving onto the Arctic .

History:

We will be finding out about Captain Scott and his journey to be the first to reach the South Pole as well as Amundsen who beat him to it. We will think about the extreme temperatures and hardship such explorers endured.

Literacy:

We will be reading the book 'Willy the Wimp' By Anthony Browne.

Grammar will continue to play an important part of our learning. Phase 6 of Letters and Sounds will introduce us to using suffixes -ed, -ing correctly. Full stops, capital letters and exclamation marks will also be an ongoing focus as well as the introduction of speech marks.

We will also be creating fact files about Polar animals

Science:

We will have the opportunity to find out the animals that live in the Arctic and the Antarctic and why they are particularly suited to these habitats. This will also include humans!

We will also look at solid and liquids, focusing mainly on water and ice and the suitability of a variety of materials for certain purposes.



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Maths:

Addition and Subtraction

Time

Weight

Fractions

DIT/Art:

We will be creating pictures of polar animals using different media including chalks and charcoal.

In RE we will be learning about 'books' and 'meals' and will be studying the bible story of The Last Supper.

P.E:

Mr Karia will be focusing on fitness this term. We will be taking part in the bleep test.