



YEAR 1 PARENT PLANNER - SPRING/SUMMER 2023



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KNOW MORE

Vital vocabulary

Materials, melting, properties, describe, smooth, bendy, waterproof, thermometer, weather, seasons

Globe, Antarctica, spring, human and physical features, poles, north, south, continent, seasons, weather

REMEMBER MORE

Quality questions

- How do vehicles move on ice?
- What would it be like to explore Antarctica?
- How do wheels and axles work?
- What seasonal changes occur in Spring?
- How do we care for ourselves and others?

EXPERIENCE MORE

Marvellous memories

- Enjoy stories about famous explorers
- Enjoy the seasonal changes outside
- Make a vehicle that travels on ice
- Role play becoming an explorer
- Test how vehicles move on different surfaces

People and places

Find out about...

- Antarctica
- Robert Falcon-Scott
- Laura Dekker
- Amelia Earhart

Reliable reading

Further reading you can do:

- The Great Explorer by Chris Judge
- Sophie Scott Goes South by Alison Lester
- Jack and the Beanstalk
- Jasper's Beanstalk

Rewarding research

- Research Antarctica and other cold places
- Research vehicles that are used in Antarctica

Useful websites:

www.topmarks.co.uk

This term's theme: **Those who came before us**





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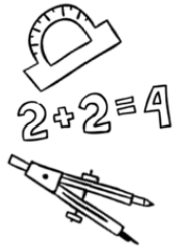
This term we will investigate...

- Different properties of materials
- Different types of vehicle
- How vehicles move on ice
- How wheels and axles work
- The conditions in Antarctica



As mathematicians this term we will...

- Working with numbers 0-20
- Measure and compare different quantities and amounts and use measuring equipment accurately
- Working with money, recognising coins and making amounts



In P.E. this term...

We will be doing swimming and orienteering. We will work with a partner, travelling in different ways and making our own decisions.



In swimming, we will become more confident in the water.

This term, we will discover...

- All about the weather and seasonal changes
- What it would be like to be an Antarctic explorer
- How climate affects human and animal habitats
- How to use a globe and world map and use key symbols
- Explorers such as; Amelia Earhart, Laura Dekker, Walter Falcon-Scott

We will practise our geographical skills through field work



As writers this term we will ...

- Write recounts and diary entries
- Write a story
- Write a set of instructions



We are focusing on writing sentences with capital letters, finger spaces and full stops.

In PSHE

We will explore:

- Rules
- Caring for others
- Caring for animals
- Voting
- The needs of individuals, babies and young children



As readers this term...

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