



Home Learning



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Year 3
Who lives in Antarctica?

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Unlocking the Learning

We are looking forward to receiving some fantastic examples of home learning. To support any children who find it more challenging to achieve their home learning we will be offering resources and ideas in school to get them started. We believe it is very important that every child has the opportunity to engage with learning at home. If you have any problems or concerns please do not hesitate to contact us via email above or epraise..

The project for this half term is "Who lives in Antarctica?". We look forward to seeing the results and would like all the children to bring their work into school by **Friday 20th March** so that we can share and celebrate each other's talents before the end of term. Mrs Plant loves sharing the children's home learning in a special assembly every half term and displaying pieces for everyone to see in the corridor. Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs Stacey and Mrs Freeman

Author of the Half Term: Britta Teckentrup

What plants and animals can you find in Antarctica? Can you draw some and explain how they are suited to the environment?	Who lives in Antarctica? Why do some people choose to live in Antarctica?	Can you write a weather forecast for Antarctica? What types of temperatures would you expect?
Who was Ernest Shackleton and what did he do that was so amazing?	Compare Antarctica to Great Britain. What are the main differences?	Can you write a diary imagining you live in Antarctica? What sort of things could you do each day?
Design an outfit you could wear in Antarctica. What special features would it need to have?	Would you have liked to live in Antarctica and why? What makes it such a special place?	Can you locate Antarctica on a map of the world? Where is it and what is special about its position?

As scientists we will be investigating forces and magnets and continuing on to our study of plants and light. We will look at opaque, translucent and transparent.

As geographers we will be learning about the topic 'Who lives in Antarctica?'. We will look at its location, tourism in the area and Shackleton's expedition.

Within Computing, we will be developing our skills in our new topic 'Desktop Publishing'.

In PE we will be learning about invasion games. We will learn the basic skills of possession and focus on good teamwork.

As writers we will be studying the texts 'The Ice Bear' by Jackie Morris and 'The Last Zookeeper' by Aaron Becker.

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In music, Year 3 will be continuing to learn the ukulele on Fridays. In music lessons we will be studying different percussion instruments.

Important information
PE is on both a Thursday and Friday.
Please ensure your child wears their kit on both of those days.

As mathematicians we will be learning about fractions. We will learn about unit and non unit fractions. We will also focus on telling the time.

In PSHE/RSHE we will be learning about being healthy by studying a unit called Healthy Me.

In Spanish we will focus on shapes and colours.

In RE we will be learning about the topic 'What is it like for someone to follow God?'

In art, we will be developing our drawing and sketching skills through observational drawings.