

Class 2 Termly Overview – Summer 2018

History and Geography

We will be looking at the book *Shackleton's Journey*, gaining an understanding of the geography and terrain they experienced on this expedition. We will be writing an advert, ships log and formal letter based upon the story as well as looking at the historical significance of this and other similar expeditions. We will also order these events on a timeline including other significant world events.

Literacy

In Literacy we will be reading a story called *Wolf Brother*, drawing comparison in the characters and plot to other stories we have read in class. We will be deconstructing the language and grammar of the story with a focus on the created language of the wolf. Grammar will be revisited prior to Y6 SATs but linked to the story, we will be focusing on apostrophes for both contraction and possession, modal verbs and subordinating conjunctions.

P.E.

This term we will be learning the rules and skills needed to play tag rugby, this is being taught by Mr. Hall from Atlas sports.

Computing

In computing we will be looking at MSW Logo to design objects and repeating shapes with a series of commands, through this we will be programming and debugging software.

Linked to topic we will be creating our own expeditions using Google Maps to calculate distance and time of our journey.

Maths

After discussion with the class we have generated a list of weak areas which we will cover in the run-up to year 6 SATs, these include: Fractions (ordering, simplifying, converting, adding, subtracting, multiplying, dividing, finding common denominators), measuring angles and identifying types of angles based on features.

Art and D&T

Linked to our story in literacy we will be creating cave paintings depicting one of the scenes in *Wolf Brother*, using paint and chalk.

In D&T we will be linking it to our science work on the human body and more specifically nutrition, we will be investigating, reviewing, testing and creating a healthy sandwich using the existing market and our own knowledge and creativity to guide us.

Science

We will be looking at the human body in science spending a week on the following areas, Skeleton, circulatory system, digestive system, nutrition and changes to our bodies.

R.E.

Our question of the term is 'What sort of world did Jesus want?' We will be looking at the message of Jesus and the legacy he wanted on Earth, how we can show 'Service' to each other and be good people and good Christians.