

Red Class (Year 5) – Termly Overview Spring 2024 – Miss Anna

History – The history of Education. We will revisit time periods learnt in KS2 using our knowledge to track how education has changed and take this beyond to education in the Tudor time, Victorian era and during the war.

Geography – Where is Antarctica and what is it made from? What are the seasons like in Antarctica and when would you plan a visit? What are the key aspects of human geography in this extreme environment? What is the significance of the Antarctic Circle?

English:

Fiction: Kensuke's Kingdom

Writing stories: Planning, organisation & description

Development of character

Use adverbials, pronouns & repeated nouns to create cohesion.

Non-fiction: Shackleton's Journey

To write their own book about significant events in a person's life.

Note and develop initial ideas, drawing on reading and research where necessary

Punctuate bullet points consistently

Poetry: I am Cat

Complex sentences

Using power of three

Clauses

Fiction: Cosmic

Modal verbs

Punctuating dialogue

Sentence types

RE/ PHSE/ CITIZENSHIP:

What does it mean if God is Holy and loving?

Why is the Torah so important to Jewish people?

Keeping safe and managing risk

Mental health and emotional wellbeing: Dealing with feelings.

SCIENCE:

- The Earth, Sun and Moon
- Planets of the Solar System
- Night & Day
- Changes of materials
- Separating Mixtures
- Dissolving
- Heating and Cooling
- Irreversible and reversible changes.

What is Antarctica's environment like and how did it impact Ernest Shackleton's Endurance Expedition?



Computing:

We will use physical computing to explore the concept of selection in programming.

Internet safety linking to Internet Safety Day

Programming using Scratch

French

Countries and continents

At the doctors

Where I live

ART and Design:

- Food technology: food in space – the importance of a nutrient rich diet.
- Textiles: To design and create a pom-pom outer space theme.
- Drawing: Antarctica's flora, fauna and landscapes.

Maths:

- Multiply 4, 3 and 2 digit numbers by 2 digits.
- Divide 4 digit numbers with remainders.
- Multiplying fractions
- Finding fractions as an amount.
- Read, write and order decimals to 3 decimal places.
- Finding perimeter and area of regular and irregular shapes.
- Draw, read and create line graphs.
- Read two way tables.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION:

- Basketball
- Outdoor Games
- Dance

Please talk to your child at home about their learning in school – they will be keen to share the wonderful opportunities they will have in school this term. Do ask if you have any queries about any of your child's learning.

Many thanks in advance for your support,
Miss Anna