

English

Year 1

- Writing inspired by Lost and Found by Oliver Jeffers
- Sequencing events
- Use of full stops, question marks and exclamation marks
- Cursive handwriting

Year 2

- Writing narratives based on stories set in cold places (e.g. The Rainbow Bear by Michael Morpurgo)
- Non-chronological reports on polar animals
- Diary entries
- Common exception words (Year 2)
- Correct letter formation

History

- The story of the race to the pole
- Ernest Shackleton

Computing

Year 1

- 2Code
- Online safety (personal information)

Year 2

- Online safety (personal information)
- Word processing
- 2Code

DT

- Design, make and evaluate a pair of mittens
- Learn to sew with a running stitch

Music

- Learning songs for our nativity performance
- Beginning to add percussion to music

Science

- Identifying plants and animals, including study of basic food chains. (Arctic habitat)
- Describing physical properties and suitability of a range of materials (materials for warmth)

Why Does Father Christmas Wear Warm Clothes?



Art

- Beach setting: collage
- A postcard scene: Drawing
- Rock pool habitats: Mixed media
- Victorian souvenirs: Modelling

Maths

Year 1

- Number and place **value**
- Addition and subtraction
- Related number facts

Year 2

- Money including finding change
- Multiplication and beginning times tables (2, 5 and 10)
- Addition and subtraction of 2 digit numbers

PE

- Dance based on polar animals
- Small team ball games

Geography

- Location of cold areas in the world, in relation to North and South Poles.
- Identifying human and physical features of a locality.
- Identify seasonal and daily weather patterns.
- Use world maps/atlas/globes; simple compass directions.

RE

- What can we learn from sacred books?

SMSC/PSHE/MBV

- Exploring our values- Love and Preparation
- Circle time – exploring friendship and conflict resolution

NB: This is a summary of the areas to be covered and teachers may choose to change aspects of the plan during the topic.

