Year 2

Let’s Explore Home Challenges

For the second half of the autumn term in Year 2 our theme is ‘Let’s Explore’. Our learning is based on learning about the ‘Expedition’, Scott and his team went on, to try and be the first men to reach the South Pole. We will also be finding out about where Antarctica is in the world and what it is like there as well as finding out where the Arctic is. We will also be exploring the world of penguins in Antarctica.

We would love for you to get involved over the next few weeks with your child at home too, so here are some ideas for you to choose from. Home learning can be brought into school or shared on Seesaw. We look forward to seeing it ☺

Imagine you are Scott and write a diary entry of one of the days spent in the Antarctica.

Make a model of Antarctica or a Penguin.

If you were an Antarctic explorer, what would take with you? Think about clothes, a special item, food and equipment.

Find out about other explorers who went to Antarctica, create a fact file.

Make an Antarctic collage using different shapes to create the ice and ice bergs. Maybe add some penguins to your picture.

Create a simple job advert for an explorer to go on an Antarctica expedition.

Useful websites:

https://www.usborne.com/quicklinks/eng/catalogue/catalogue.aspx?cat=1&loc=usa&area=G&subcat=GB&id=2316

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZZ8Ov1vuFtk

https://www.usborne.com/quicklinks/eng/catalogue/catalogue.aspx?cat=1&loc=uk&area=G&subcat=GPE&id=9548