

Geography and History

Welcome to the planet's coldest lands. Vast wilds and hostile territories; incredibly beautiful, yet often deadly. The children will research facts and figures of climate, temperature, habitats, and ecosystems, and compose evocative poems about the Northern Lights. They will become part of an Antarctic rescue team, braving the elements to rescue terrified passengers from a ship struck by a deadly iceberg that hides deep beneath the Southern Ocean.



Maths

Throughout term three, the children will begin to unpick more complex and challenging topics in maths. They will continue to look at fractions, percentages, and decimals. We will begin to look at more complex algebra and how they can use this to solve a range of problems. We will also look at converting a range of units. Towards the end of the term, the children will be able to use these new skills to solve word problems.

PE-Games



Over terms two and three this year the children will be looking at the skills they need to be able to take part in team and individual games. They will take part in netball, dance and gymnastics. Towards the end of term 3 they will create and perform a dance style of their choice.

Frozen Kingdom! Year 6 - Topic Web - Term 3



Science

Throughout term 3, the children will identify how animals and plants are adapted to suit their environment in different ways and that adaptation may lead to evolution. They will record data and results of increasing complexity using scientific diagrams and labels, classification keys, tables, scatter graphs, bar and line graphs.

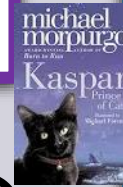


English

This term, the children will read *Kaspar, Prince of Cats* by Michael Morpurgo, using it as inspiration for both fiction and non-fiction writing.

In Block 1, the focus will be on descriptive writing, where the children will write a setting description based on the Antarctic tundra. They will use rich vocabulary, sensory detail, and figurative language to bring this icy landscape to life.

In Block 2, the children will move on to writing a newspaper report about Ernest Shackleton's Antarctic expedition, linking to their wider topic learning. They will learn how to write in a formal tone, structure a report effectively, and include key features such as headlines, quotes, and chronological recounting of events.



Knowledge and understanding of the world

This term, the children will explore the 'big question': What matters most to Christians and Humanists? They will learn about the key beliefs, values, and guiding principles of both worldviews, comparing similarities and differences. Through discussion and reflection, children will consider how beliefs influence behaviour and choices, and what it means to live a "good life" from different perspectives.

Uniform

All clothing needs to be labelled clearly please, especially jumpers/cardigans. PE will take place every week, unless otherwise stated, so please ensure your child arrives in full PE kit on Friday. They can wear black shorts or jogging bottoms, a coloured t-shirt and plain black trainers. The colour of their t-shirt needs to be the same colour as the team your child is in- red, blue, green or yellow.

Reading

Your child has a reading book and a reading record book to take home every night. This needs to come in to school every day.

We can see a positive difference in the children who read daily to you and we say a big thank you in advance for this.

Thank you also for recording their progress in the reading records, it is very helpful to us.

Great readers make great writers!

Homework

Your child is given homework every Friday. Homework is to be returned by the following Thursday morning. If your child is having difficulty completing this, please speak to the class teacher who will arrange for your child to complete it in school. We have homework clubs that run every day at break time.

Homework is a whole school policy and all children are expected to complete it every week. Your help with this is much appreciated.

We are all excited to start term 3. We have lots of exciting events planned, so keep an eye out for updates.

We are always available on the gate before school and outside the Year 6 area after school, so please don't be shy in talking to us, even if it is just a short hello!

Our aim, as ever, is the best possible development for your child, so if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to ask us.

For further details about this terms topic please visit:

<https://www.greenparkcps.co.uk/>

Year 6 team.

Our aim is to keep learning fun and exciting for all of the children in Year 6 therefore sometimes we will adapt and change our plans to suit their needs.