

This is so Extreme! Year 6 Spring term

Rationale for Learning

To encourage the children to explore various 'extremes' in life – from weather patterns around the world and temperatures, to how animals cope in extreme climates along with a focus on extreme explorers and adventurers. We will also be focusing why it is important to look after our planet and its inhabitants.

Suggested activities for families to help support learning

- Encourage and support homework activities and the importance of organisational skills and deadlines- especially with secondary school looming.
- Share fiction and non-fiction books with your child
- Encourage your child to read daily which then gives them the opportunity to take an Accelerated Reader quiz in school
- Times Tables Rock Stars online games and competition

Reminders

- P.E. clothes at school every day. (Set of warm clothes for outdoor P.E)
- Homework: given weekly, with the expectation that it is completed in preparation for more being given at secondary school. Please ask you teacher if you are needing extra support with this.



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Study Unit Overview

Mathematics

Ratio

Algebra

Decimals

Fractions and percentages

Area, perimeter and volume

Statistics

English

Non-chronological writing

Narratives

Poetry

Descriptive writing

Variety of writing linked to the Great Storm of 1987

Science

Scientific inquires

Evolution and Inheritance

Adaptations – habitat and environments

Art

Print and expressing yourself through different mediums

Photography



Technology

DT project - textiles

Cooking

Computing

We are connected

We are advertisers

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Beliefs and their meanings

What does eternity mean to Christians?

Geography & History

Map work – locational knowledge, weather zones

Local History – impact of 1987 storm

Environmental issues – global warming

PΕ

Netball

Fitness

Dance/Yoga

Music

Enrichment day with experienced music teacher

Music appreciation - charanga

E4S (PSHE)

Internet safety

Personal hygiene

Changes in puberty and relationships

Safety on the railways

French

Les Vikings – using vocabulary taught so far to increase knowledge of the arrival of the Vikings to Europe.

Extended writing skills