

Indoor PE

Counter Balance and
Counter Tension

Outdoor PE

Tag Rugby

Year 5 Spring 1
Into the Unknown.

Maths

Continuing with the four operations and progressing onto more compact methods of written calculation. There will also be a focus on fractions, decimals and percentages.

PSHE

Dreams and Goals.
The children will think about what jobs they might like to do in the future and how they might achieve their goals. They will also learn about the dreams and goals of children in another culture.

English

The children will be learning about Shackleton's expedition to the Antarctic. Additionally, we will be learning about The Polar explorers Matthew Henson and Preet Chandi.

We will continue to focus on grammar, punctuation and spelling.

After diary entries, the children will write a story based on the Antarctic and they will also publish a multi-genre text.

Music

All children will continue to take part in weekly music lessons with Mr Pallot.

Religious Education

Looking at more specific areas of other religions from around the world, the children will be learning about the prophet Muhammad and scriptures such as the Qur'an.

Guided Reading

We will be using the core texts of Ice Trap by Meredith Hooper and The Boss by Michael Smith to develop our comprehension skills.

Our class reader will be The Boy at the Back of the Class by Onjali Q. Raúf.

French

This term, children will be learning how:

1. to talk about themselves in French
2. to use the negative successfully
3. to understand and respond to a short story.

Art

Polar landscape drawings using mixed medium - pencil, chalk pastels and watercolours, based on the photographer, Sebastian Copeland.

Computing

Children will continue to practise their ***coding skills*** through the use of Purplemash, and will then move on to Spreadsheet creation.