

### Communication and Language/ Literacy

- We will learn Phase 4 words using adjacent consonants (such as nk, ft and st).
- Practise writing recognisable letters, using the correct formation for capital letters and lower case letters.
- We will look at non-fiction books (fact books).
- We will be writing facts about Ernest Shackleton and landmarks from around the world.
- We will practise question writing
- Learn Phase 4 common exception words such as said, like and some.

### Understanding the World

- We will learn about Ernest Shackleton and his expedition on the Endurance to Antarctica.
- Look at world maps and identify famous landmarks.
- We will learn about Amelia Earhart.
- We will celebrate VE Day's 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary with a whole school tea party.
- We will grow plants from seeds, thinking about the things that plants need to grow and the different parts of a plant.

### Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- We are looking that the Church is a special place for Christians.
- Think about what we can do when we are feeling sad or worry.
- We will learn about keeping a healthy body and a healthy mind including the importance of sleep and limited screen time.

## Let's Go Exploring.

### Books we are reading this term:



### Vocabulary:

Explorer, expedition, Antarctica, Atlantic, journey, voyage, aeroplanes, timeline, flight, plant, seed, bulb, stem, flower, leaves, root

### Physical Development

- We will be preparing for Sports Day.
- We will look at fitness and find out what happens to our bodies when we are doing exercise.
- Learn retrieval and collection skills for ball games, including tennis.

### Mathematics

- Count with a focus on teen numbers and numbers beyond 20.
- Use water play to explore capacity
- We will recall 'one more' for numbers to 10.
- Recap addition with number bonds to 5 and number bonds to 10.
- We will learn more double facts using subitising and explore odd and even numbers.
- Count on from a given number.
- We will find shapes within bigger shapes.
- Recall names of 3D Shapes

### Expressive Art and Design

- We are making crafts for our VE Day party.
- Creating pictures and models of different boats and ships.
- Making model aeroplanes using different materials
- Create artwork of the Eiffel Tower.

### Things to do at home

- Practise Phase 3 sounds and read books in book bags.
- Practise weekly spellings. These are collected on Thursdays and handed back out on Fridays.
- Look out for different plants around Royal Wootton Bassett.
- Use Doodle Maths and Letterjoin at home.
- Continue reading at home.