

Term 4: Could your pet live in the South Pole?

Welcome to Term 4 and the excitement has already begun! A penguin was delivered to the classroom with baby penguins for us to hatch from the ice! The Koalas are so excited to learn all about the South Pole.

Reminders:

- Forest school will continue to be on THURSDAYS.
- PE will only be on THURSDAY this term.
- Please can all items brought into school be labelled!
- Only water in water bottles please!

Key dates:

7th March - World Book Day
11th & 13th March - Parents evening
15th March – Inspire Day & Open Classroom
18th March - Preparing for the phonics screening workshop

Our topic will include...

English

Retelling 'Lost and Found' by Oliver Jeffers, Diary entry as Robert. Falcon Scott, Penguin fact file

Maths

Place value to 50, height and length, weight and mass

Science

Changing season, Can you free your penguin from the ice?
Animals, How do penguins keep warm?

R.E

How is incarnation and salvation part of a 'big story' of a bible?

History & Geography

Who was Robert Falcon Scott? Continents and Oceans

Art

Inuit art

ICT

Animated stories

PE

Hockey

PSHE

Healthy me

Home learning

Reading: Please continue to read 5 times a week! Your child receives a dojo point each time they read, so please make sure you write in their reading journals!

Spelling: A new list of red words will be sent out. Please practise reading and writing these words. I will be keeping a look out in their books to spot them spelt correctly.

Phonics screening

The phonics screening is soon approaching (June). To help you and your child prepare, I will be hosting a workshop for how to support your child. I will also be sending home a list of real words and 'alien' words for your child to practise reading. For the screening, it is important for your child to find the 'special friends', 'Fred talk' (sound it out) and then say the word.

