

Literacy *Articles 28 & 29*

Stories from other cultures:

To write a traditional folktale story inspired by the Arctic.

Persuasive writing:

To write a persuasive letter to be selected as one of the Endurance crew members.

Story focus: Shackleton's Journey.

Guided reading text:

What Manor of Murder.

PE *Articles 24 & 31*

Swimming

To develop our technique across all four strokes and improve our stamina.

History / Geography *Articles 28 & 29*

Arctic & Antarctica

To describe and understand key aspects of physical geography including climate zones, rivers and mountains, cities.

Computing *Articles 28 & 29*

To use the Internet safely.

To use a range of Apps and software to support child-led, enquiry-based learning.

Science *Articles 28 & 29*

Forces

To explain that unsupported objects fall towards the Earth because of the force of gravity acting between the Earth and the falling object.

To identify the effects of air resistance, water resistance and friction, that acts between moving surfaces

Maths

Articles 28 & 29

We will be working through the Year 5 curriculum. This term we will be learning about:

- Place value
- Addition & subtraction

We will be learning to:

- Understand how our place value system works
- Round to the nearest 10, 100, 1000
- Use formal written methods for addition and subtraction.

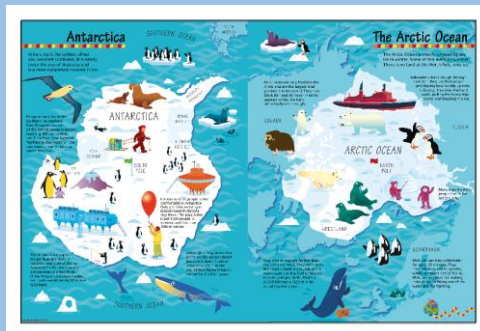
Rapid recall

- Practise number bonds to 10, 20, 50 and 100.
- Doubling and halving.
- Working out what must be added to a decimal to make the next whole number.

Americas & Antarctica – Year 5

Autumn Term 1 – 2025

Miss Revill & Mr Wall



Music *Articles 31*

Melody and harmony in music –
How Does Music Bring Us Together?

Values *Article 14*

Our value this term is Courage.

Collective Worship *Article 14*

KS2 Collective worship is led by a different class each week on Tuesdays. The clergy team lead Open the Book on Wednesdays. Whole School Collective Worship will be on a Friday.

Art / DT *Articles 28 & 29*

To create a piece of artwork inspired by William Grill and the text 'Shackleton's Journey'.

PSHE *Articles 28 & 29*

We will be learning about our relationships with other people.

RE *Articles 28 & 29*

Hinduism - What is the best way for a Hindu to show commitment to God?

French *Article 31*

This term we will be learning greetings and numbers.

How you can help:

Please continue to encourage your children to complete all set homework.

We also need children to develop their fluency in all times tables up to 12x12.

Regular reading – either listening to or reading with your child each night will continue to build their fluency and enjoyment for reading.