

LONDON MEED PRIMARY SCHOOL

Year 2 Topic overview Spring 2023

English: We shall be looking at lots of nonfiction texts to learn about Polar Bears, whilst writing information about them. We shall also be writing different parts of stories involving polar animals, as well as riddles and nonsense poetry..	Stunning start: Children will come into the classroom to find a polar landscape. Toy animals will be frozen in ice. Where are they from? How will we look after these? Fabulous finish: We will write and perform facts about our topic to our parents.	Science: Learning about living things and their habitats, including animals in the polar regions. <u>Trip to the British Wildlife Centre</u> <u>8th March</u>
Key texts: Ice Bear, Polar Bears, Poles Apart, Brave and the Fox	<u>Key Dates:</u> We shall be getting a visit from an explorer on 10th January 2023 Marvelous Middle: Monday 20th February - <u>dress as an explorer</u> Fabulous Finish: 23st March 2023	Art: We shall be learning about one of our famous artists, Alma Thomas, and creating landscape pictures in her style.
History: We will be looking at how Polar explorers have changed over time.	PE: Gymnastics indoor and multi abilities (outdoor).	DT: We shall be learning about where food comes from, the principles of a healthy diet and creating our own energy bars.
Geography: Comparing Burgess Hill with a town in a Non-European country.	Music: Learning about pitch through Computing and listening to compositions by Terje Isunge.	Computing: Learning to make music through the use of ICT.
Maths: Number and place value, addition, subtraction, statistics and fractions.	Suggestions for home learning: learn about cold places and different animals that live in cold environments.	
RSHE: Jigsaw: Dreams and Goals, Healthy Me	Ideas from children, parents and carers:	RE:Creation

Bravery.....Community.....Curiosity.....Resilience.....Respect