



Teacher: Mr Hammond

Term: Autumn 2 (A)

Class: Godrevy

Year group: 5 & 6

Explorers



In literacy we will learn about:

Responding to texts

- ◇ Ice Trap by Meridith Hooper
- ◇ Shackleton's Journey by William Grill
- ◇ Survivors by David Long
- ◇ Where My Wellies Take Me by Michael Morpurgo
- ◇ Polar Express by Chris Van Allsburg
- ◇ Rainbow Bear by Michael Morpurgo

Key Skills

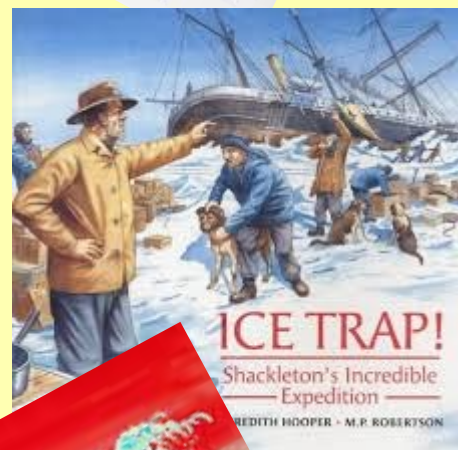
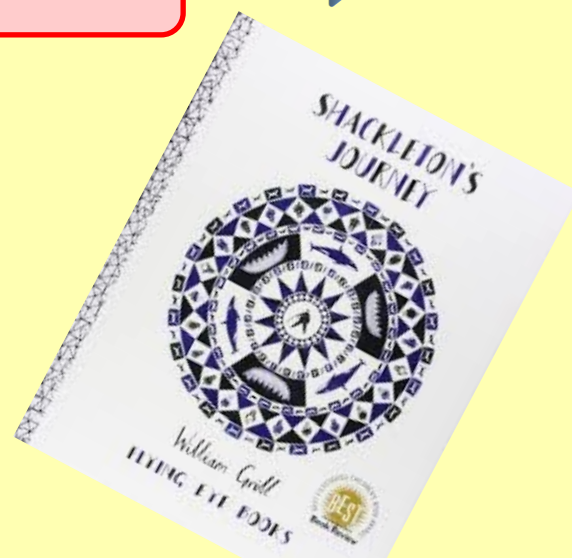
- ◇ Using different sentence structures including using adverbials, passive & active sentences
- ◇ Using and punctuating parenthesis and punctuate with brackets, dashes and commas

Guided Reading

- ◇ Comprehension questions based on Kensuke's Kingdom

Non-Fiction—Shackleton's Journey

- ◇ Newspaper writing based on Shackleton's Journey



Homework

Monday: **Spellings** (Please see reading record)

Wednesday (due in) : **Maths Homework** booklet (1 page per week)

Friday: **Times Table Test** (Please see reading record)

Every Night: **Reading** atleast 10 minutes each night. Please log in reading record.

Topic Grid: Optional homework linked to our topic of Invaders and Settlers

Reading Journal: optional homework. Answer a question about your reading book

As mathematicians we will learn about:

- ◇ Multiplication and Division
- ◇ Prime Numbers
- ◇ Statistics

As scientists we will learn about:

Forces

- ◇ about the effects of water resistance and friction

Properties of materials

- ◇ to classify materials by their thermal conductivity

Habitats

- ◇ to compare different environments and the way animals and humans adapt to extreme conditions.

As historians we will:

- ◇ Find out about Viking explorations'
- ◇ Find out about Tudor explorations and in particular research about Christopher Columbus

In Design Technology we will:

Create a Viking Ship



As geographers we will learn about:

Shackleton's Journey

- ◇ Map work to identify the Antarctic, environmental concerns the Antarctic today
- ◇ Map Shackleton's journey on a globe and map marking significant locations within the story.
- ◇ Understand that the world has different time and climate zones through map work using different kinds of maps e.g. climate maps, physical maps,

In Religious Studies we will be learning about Sikhism, including:

- ◇ The Gurus
- ◇ Life and teaching of the ten gurus
- ◇ The Guru Granth Sahib

To Think about Shackleton

What makes a good leader?
What does it mean to be part of a team?
How do we resolve conflict within a group?

Kensuke's Kingdom

Michael's father has a dream to sail around the world. Do you have a dream? What steps do you need to take to achieve it?

PSHE

Celebrating Difference

British Values

Democracy, Rule of Law, Individual Liberty, Mutual Respect, Tolerance