

ST. PHILIP'S CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

RECEPTION PARENT/CARER PLANNER - SPRING TERM 1 2019

LEARNING CHALLENGE: WHAT ARE THE POLAR REGIONS?

Expressive Arts & Design

This half term we will be exploring musical instruments and creating our own piece of music. We will also be continuing to encourage children to be creative to represent their own thoughts, ideas and feelings through Art, Music, Technology and Dance.

Understanding the World

This half term we will be comparing our world to Jesus' World. We will be looking at animals and how they are adapted to live in Arctic and Antarctic conditions. We will be looking at the Aurora Borealis and have lots of enquiries about ice and how to melt it.

Literacy

We will have a focus on Non-Fiction books this half term looking at their features such as a contents page and photographs. We will be continuing to learn new sounds including 'digraphs' and 'trigraphs' where two letters make one sound and three letters make one sound.

Mathematics

We will consolidate our number learning this half term and be looking at addition and subtraction. We will also be looking at time and money.

Physical Development

We will be having a big focus on constructing this half term, looking at igloos and other related Arctic and Antarctic structures. We will also be looking at partner work within moving and handling. Finally, we will be looking at using different tools purposely and safely.

Personal, Social & Emotional Development

This half term we will be looking at our relationships with people and the differences between cultures.. We will be continuing to work together and completing different team building exercises as well as taking part in more P4C lessons.

Communication & Language

We will continue to work on our Listening & Attention skills by playing a variety of different games. We will be continuing to improve our vocabulary and use our speech when playing with our friends.

For activities to support your children at home, follow our QR code to our Early Years Pinterest Page. Don't forget to send us any pictures of home learning via Seesaw

