



Wootton St Peter's CE Primary School

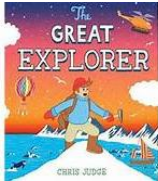
Perseverance Compassion Courage

Welcome to Year One & Two at Wootton School.

Year 1/2 Learning Experience Spring Term 1

Opal Class **Michaela Hicks Class Teacher**
Donna Wren TA (Tues-Fri)
Adele Frew (Mon-Fri mornings)

**The Great
Explorer**
Chris Judge



**Polar
Bears**



**The
Race to
the Pole**



Felicity Aston

Writing



Our writing will be based on the Great Explorer by Chris Judge, we will work on noun phrases, commas in lists and adjectives. And we will create our own adventure stories as well as creating a Polar Bear fact poster. Phonics will be taught in small groups and handwriting will be taught every day.

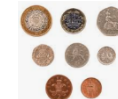
Reading

Children will read in a group every day as part of their Phonics lesson, they will bring home a RWI book bag book which will match their Phonic Group level. Please try and read with your child every day.



Maths

This term Year 1s and 2s will be learning about money. Then Year 1s will move onto Addition and Subtraction and Year 2s will be learning about multiplication and Division.



PE - Important Information.

PE is on a **Tuesday** and a **Wednesday** all children must have a PE kit, which is a white T-shirt, black shorts or joggers and plimsolls.



Homework.

Spelling Homework will be sent home on a **Thursday** to practise, and needs to be returned on Monday, spellings will be checked on a Monday morning. There will also be some maths Homework based on the work we will have done that week in class.

Bookbags.

Every child should have a book bag that comes to school every day. Please try to read with your child every day it really helps their progress and please record in their reading diary.

RE

Our Focus Religion this term is Islam.

The question we will be looking at is:-
Does praying at regular intervals
everyday help a Muslim in his/her
everyday life?



Geography

We will be learning about the two
polar regions the Arctic and
Antarctica and we will be
comparing them. We will use maps
and globes to find the North and
South Pole and we will be making
our own globes.



Art/D&T

We will be:-

Making marshmallow igloos.



Making Polar Bear pictures

Looking at the work of Ted Harrison and
creating some Polar Bear art using oil
pastels.

Creating pictures of the Northern Lights.

Making soup.



History

We are going to find out about famous
explorers Robert Scott and Ernest
Shackleton. We will also look at the Polar
Explorer Felicity Aston.



Science

What would a Polar Explorer
wear to keep warm?

Look at the properties of
different materials.



Which materials keep things
warm the longest and cold the
longest.

How can you melt ice?



The Human Skeleton

Identifying how animals adapt to
their environment.

PE

We will be doing gymnastics – balancing
jumping and travelling.

And Disability world sports:
Boccia & blindfold football.



Computing

In computing this term we will be
focussing on robot algorithms and doing
some basic programming.



Music

We will be learning some songs about
Polar Regions and Polar Bears.

PSHE

SCARF

Harold's Picnic

How safe would you feel?

What should Harold say?

I don't like that.

Fun or not? Should I tell?

Some secrets should never be kept.