

English

- Formal letter writing - holiday complaint and to company re environmental issues
 - Persuasive writing - destruction of RF
 - Menu writing - Amazon Café
 - Advertising - Amazon holiday leaflet
 - Balanced argument - hotel in Antarctica
 - Scott & Amundsen comp.
 - Non-chronological report - Antarctic Animal
 - Chronological report - Scott's Expedition
 - Diary writing - Shackleton's expedition
 - Poetry study - Personification poem
 - War poetry
 - River poem
 - Study of narrative extracts - structure & vocabulary

 - Comprehension skills - inference & deduction
 - key points from text
- Story writing skills
- story structure
 - characterisation & setting
- Develop specific spelling strategies
 - Develop research skills - summarising, note taking

P.E. & Gym

- football, rugby, hockey and netball
- Skills and partner/group work

PSHE

- Celebrating our uniqueness
- Understanding what makes us special
- Understanding differences in perceptions and how these can be challenged

ICT

- Publisher/Word - news report/holiday brochure
- Research skills - internet & CD Rom

Maths

- Place value
- Addition, subtraction and multiplication, division (mental and written methods), including word problems
- Fractions, decimals and percentages
- Data handling: tables, graphs, Carroll diagrams
- Problem solving and investigations.
- Measures

TOPIC WEB YEAR 6 AUTUMN TERM

*A walk on the
wild side*

Science

- Core skills
- Weather and the water cycle
- Greenhouse effect & ozone layer
- Seasons
- Friction investigation - sledges
- Materials workshops

p.s. This plan is not carved in stone nor is it exhaustive and we do pride ourselves on being spontaneous. Forgive us if we sometimes deviate from it. **THE IMPORTANT THING IS THAT LEARNING IS FUN (YEAR 6 TEAM)**

Art

- Develop skills in drawing & mixed media
- Study of texture and rubbings - Gaudi

History

- World War II - group research & presentations (Imperial War Museum)
- Antarctic Exploration

Technology

- Tropical cereals - design, create advertise and evaluate
- Cooking

Geography

- Landscape - The study of two contrasting environments: Amazon rainforest & Antarctica
- Map work - Physical features of world map
- Rivers
- Environmental issues - destruction of rainforests
- Climate issues

Music

- Study of South American music culture
- Composition on themes of Amazon & Life of journeys of Shackleton

RE

- The journey of life: looking at character and **building self esteem.**