

Summaries

English

- Poetry: Kipling
- Fiction: myths
- Texts: non fiction
- Composition: biography
- Report writing (linked to science)

Computing

- Pupils will learn a variety of search techniques to filter and refine results.
- They will identify websites that offer fact or opinion as well as spotting fake sites and making assessments about the reliability of a website.

Poles Apart

Music

- Pupils will work on music about ice and fire.
- They will listen to a selection of music
- They will compose and perform a piece of music about ice and fire

Geography

- Using a globe, atlas, map of the world, online maps
- Understanding latitude, longitude, Equator, Arctic and Antarctic Circles
- Time zones

Science

- Friction is a force that opposes motion
- Gravity is a force that attracts objects towards the earth
- Objects moving through a fluid experience drag or resistance
- Simple machines can turn a small force into a larger one

Applied Maths

- Convert between different units of metric measure
- Calculate and compare the area of squares and rectangles including using standard units
- Use all 4 operations to solve problems involving measure
- Solve comparison, sum and difference problems using information presented in a line graph

French

The class receive an invitation to celebrate Christmas Eve with creatures from Arctic and the Antarctic.

- Pupils will learn how to say where different creatures live
- Vocabulary revision – seasons
- New vocabulary – animals from the Arctic and the Antarctic
- Pupils will read and reply to an invitation to a Christmas party
- Manipulate language by changing an element in a sentence
- Listen to authentic French Christmas music
- They will read a descriptive poem in French
- Use an authentic French website of an aquarium
- Pupils will discover some interesting adjectives and be reminded of word order in sentences in French
- Pupils will be introduced to the concept of le and la becoming l' when followed by a noun beginning with a vowel - *le automne* X *l'automne* ✓
- Listen attentively to spoken language and show understanding by joining in and responding - play party games
- They will be asked their opinion about animals in captivity
- They will learn to say words which may be useful at a party – *merci s'il vous plait délicieux santé*
- Deepen understanding of the world – look for similarities and differences in Christmas traditions. Learn about *Le Réveillon*

