



# Home Learning



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Year 3

**Who lives in Antarctica?**

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## Unlocking the Learning

We are looking forward to receiving some fantastic examples of home learning. We believe it is very important that every child has the opportunity to engage with learning at home. If you have any problems or concerns please do not hesitate to contact us via email (above) or epraise.

The project for this half term is "Who lives in Antarctica?". We look forward to seeing the results and would like all the children to share their work via email by **Friday 4th April** so that we can share and celebrate each other's talents before the end of term. Mrs Plant loves sharing the children's home learning in a special assembly every half term and displaying pieces for everyone to see in the corridor. Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs Stacey and Mr Boyd

### Author of the Half Term: Emily Gravett

Can you read some of her books? Why not take some out at the library or try to do some illustrations in her style?

Can you find out what animals live in Antarctica? Or what plants are able to grow in this type of environment?	Design clothes that a researcher in these areas might wear to keep them safe and warm.	Decide if you would like to live in a warm or cold climate and explain why.
Find out about tourism in the arctic and antarctic.	Write a diary imagining you have been researching in Antarctica.	Research Ernest Shackleton's expedition to Antarctica.
Plan an expedition to somewhere you would like to go.	Draw a scene from either hemisphere.	Find out who lives in Antarctica.

As scientists we will be continuing our study of light. We will look at opaque, translucent and transparent objects and investigate how shadows form.

As writers we will be studying the texts 'The Ice Bear' by Jackie Morris and 'The Last Zookeeper' by Aaron Becker.

As mathematicians we will be learning about fractions. We will learn about unit and non unit fractions. We will also focus on telling the time.

As geographers we will be learning about the topic 'Who lives in Antarctica?'. We will look at its location, tourism in the area and Shackleton's expedition.

## **Year 3 Spring 2**

### **Who lives in Antarctica?**

In PSHE we will be learning about being healthy by studying a unit called Healthy Me.

Within Computing, we will be developing our skills in our new topic 'Desktop Publishing'.

In music, 3B will be learning the ukulele on Fridays and 3S will be studying different musical styles through the Charanga scheme.

We will be studying Spanish as our modern foreign language this half term.

In PE we will be learning about invasion games. We will learn the basic skills of possession and focus on good teamwork.

**Important information**  
PE is on both a Wednesday and Friday.  
Please ensure your child has their kit in on both of those days.

In RE we will be learning about the topic 'What is it like for someone to follow God?'

In Art, we will be sketching local landscapes in the style of 'En Plein Air'.