



# Year 6 Spring Topic: Frozen Kingdom

Let's explore our planet's frozen kingdoms!

## Key Topic Objectives

<b>English</b>	This term will start with a short project which teaches the children how to write an excellent rhyming poem about their new year's resolutions. After that, for four weeks, year 6 will learn how to write an exciting adventure story which features an animal from a frozen part of the world. Just before February half term, the children will have a week of grammar lessons to learn new skills and embed existing knowledge. From February half term onwards, year 6's English lessons will be inspired by The Titanic. The children will learn how to write newspaper articles, diary entries and a balanced argument about climate change.
<b>Science</b>	During this unit, pupils will learn about the food chains and evolution of the animals which live in the polar regions.
<b>Art and Design</b>	As well as creating some beautiful paintings of the Northern Lights, year 6 will also make a giant igloo out of milk bottles!
<b>Geography</b>	During topic lessons, children will use maps to find frozen locations and learn about the geographical features of the North and South Pole.

## Other Subject Areas

<b>Maths</b>	This term, year 6 pupils will be broadening and deepening their understanding of measures, percentages, ration and proportion, algebra and finally area, perimeter and volume. Busy, busy!
<b>ICT</b>	Across the term, year 6 will be using technology to support their learning across the curriculum. As well as this, they will use appropriate software to create a presentation about the polar regions.
<b>PE</b>	Our PE coach, Miss Farrow, will be working with year 6 to make their bodies stronger and learn the rules and skills required to play handball and netball.
<b>RE</b>	This term in RE, pupils will learn about stories of faith from Jewish, Christian and Muslim religions.
<b>History</b>	After February half term, year 6 will have the opportunity to learn about the history of polar explorations over time and how technology has developed in order to allow us to visit more places than ever before.
<b>French</b>	Year 6 have French lessons once a week and will learn key vocabulary in order to take part in simple conversations.