Art/DT

- Learn about the artist Peter Thorpe and a range of digital artists. Develop and create their own digital picture and painting with a space theme inspired by the work of others.
- Explore colour mixing and use sketch books to record and develop ideas.
- Design and build a moving vehicle using a range of tools and materials and evaluate their final product.

Literacy

- Inspired by Rain before Rainbows, the children will
 write rhyming couplets and poems. Practise adding
 suffixes and create noun phrases. Read a range of
 poetry and write their own poems.
- Understand the features of a recount, explore the progressive form of past tense and write a recount about Shackleton's voyage to the Antarctic.
- Spelling, punctuation & grammar.
- Read Write Inc practise and develop phonic knowledge, reading skills and writing skills through a variety of texts.

Science-Light

Through a range of enquiry lead investigations children will learn that

- we need light to see things and that dark is the absence of light
- light is reflected from surfaces
- light from the sun can be dangerous and that there are ways to protect their eyes
- shadows are formed when the light from a light source is blocked by an opaque object and will have the opportunity to make shadow puppets.

Humanities

- To learn about how transport has changed over time and how this has had a significant impact on how we live today.
- Learn about the lives of the explorers Shackleton and Norgay and consider their qualities and achievements.
- To learn about the locations of Antarctica and Everest and compare these locations with the UK and discuss which exhibition the children would like to go on and why.

Transport and Travel

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Music

- Rock music will be studied this term.
- To learn how to sing I Wanna be in a Band and other rock songs as well as play the glockenspiel to music.

ICT

- Explore the world of digital art and create painting with digital devices.
- Understand the various aspects of the computer to create and change text.

RE

- To learn about Islam, who is a Muslim and how do they live?
- To learn about Christianity, why does Easter matter to Christians?

Outdoor Learning

- Use the outside environment to explore how light and dark and to investigate shadows and the movement of the sun.
- Go on an adventure to the Antarctic and learn practical survival skills on the way!
- Complete a range of Forest School activities to encourage cooperation, problems solving skills and an appreciation of the natural world.

PSHE

- To learn what makes us stay healthy.
- To think about what we can do to keep ourselves healthy - Healthy Choices.
- To learn about money why we have it and what we can do with it

PE

- To further develop multi-skills bat and ball skills aiming and striking.
- To develop partner work.
- To learn dance skills and prepare for a performance.