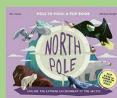


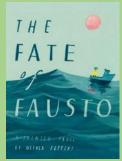
Beavers Autumn Term 2 2023 Newsletter















Key learning this half term:

This term our topic is 'Pole to Pole'. We are looking forward to learning about explorers past and present!

In Year 1 phonics we will continue to use Little Wandle to ensure our children can read fluently and with prosody and understanding. This term we will begin learning phase 5 sounds. Your child will receive their new Little Wandle reading book and their chosen reading for pleasure book on Friday. Please encourage your child to read at home with you - if they do this 3 times per week, they will receive dojo points! In Year 2 spelling we will be moving on to the bridge to spelling unit using the new Little Wandle spelling scheme.

In Writing we will be looking at both fiction and non-fiction texts. We will enjoy creating posters and writing adventure stories!

In Maths our Year 1's will be looking at position, numbers to 20, and addition and subtraction within 20. Our Year 2's will be looking at multiplication and division of 2, 5 and 10, length, mass and temperature.

In Geography we will be looking at the North and South Pole, as well as the Inuit people living in the Arctic. In History we will be looking at explorers old and new. In Science we will be learning about the different animal families.

In DT, we will be making our own moving windmills. In Music we will be learning about rap music, focusing on the differences between pulse, rhythm and pitch.

In Computing we will be learning how to create pieces of art using technology.

In PE we will be dancing!

In PSHE we will be learning about family and relationships. In RE we will be learning about incarnation and Christian beliefs about Christmas.

Miss Hall's recommended read:



Learn more about the explorer Ernest Shackleton who we will be looking at in detail in our History lessons!

Reminders:

PE days are Monday and Wednesday.

Please read at home 3 times per week!

Please ensure your child has a water bottle in

Every Friday, one child from our class will get to take home our class bear!

Diary dates:

7th November - Invasion Games @ ASI

17th November - Children in Need

7th December - Christmas Jumper Day & Christmas Tree Festival in Church

11th December - Christingle in Church

W/B 11th December - Assessment week

13th December - Pantomime

20th December - Nativity