St Andrew's C of E (VA) Infant School

Reception

Key Vocabulary:

Arctic -the north pole

Antarctic – the south pole

Temperature - how hot or cold something is

Thermometer – used to measure temperature

Freezing - when water become ice at cold temperatures

Understanding the World:

We will be **exploring** and finding out how **ice** is made and disappears.

What **melting** is and how it happens.

What snowflakes look like.

Animals we will learn about:

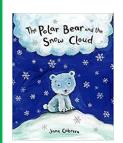




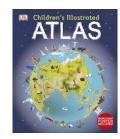




Books we will be looking at:







We will also be looking at a range of Animal Poems and Non-Fiction Books throughout the topic.

People and Communities:

We will use books and the internet to find out...

If anyone lives in the Arctic and Antarctica?

What we would need to travel there?

What people eat and how they would live and keep warm?

What is happening to the North and South Pole?

We will use non-fiction books, the internet and news clips to find out what is happening to our ice caps and why they are melting.

We will think about how this will affect the **environment** and the **animals** that live there.