

### Communication and Language

- We will be talking all going on adventures, about where we live and revisiting what our homes and streets are like.
- We will be explaining what happens in winter and naming animals that live in cold climates.
- We will ask questions about where things are in the world.
- Our key vocabulary includes: home, adventure, cold, penguin,

### Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- We will be learning all about environment and how to keep warm in the colder weather.
- Following Ten Ten we will be learning about how God made us and revisiting what is special about ourselves.
- We will recap the different parts of our body parts and talk about how to make healthy choices.
- We will continue to talk about how we feel and begin to think about how our actions make others feel.

### Physical Development

**We will have PE on a Wednesday—PE kit needed for each lesson.**

- In PE we will focussing on balance.
- We will jump and land and hop with control.
- When running, we will change direction and stop safely in our own space.
- For fine motor we will be focussing on holding a pencil with a tripod grip and drawing with more accuracy.

### Literacy

- We will continue with Read Write Inc for our phonics.
- In our small groups we will continue to practise the 26 sounds and begin to learn special friends, e.g. sh, ch, th
- Our first text will be 'Snail and the Whale' and we will re-tell this and use it to talk about going on adventures.
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- As well as stories about cold climates, we will look at some non-fiction texts about polar bears and penguins.

## Reception – Spring 1

### Our World - cold climates



### Mathematics

- In Mastering number we will continue to subitise numbers.
- We will be counting numbers beyond 10.
- There will be a focus on where numbers come in a sequence e.g. knowing 4 comes before 5 and after 3.
- In White Rose, we will be exploring mass and capacity, as well as length, height and time.
- We will move on to look at numbers up to 10 and how they are composed.
- We will repeat finding 1 more and 1 less of numbers to 10.
- We will begin to double numbers up to 8.

### Religious Education

Our first topic, Community, focusses on Celebrations and we will hear the story of Jesus's Presentation in the Temple. The second topic is all about gathering at Mass to hear God's Word.