

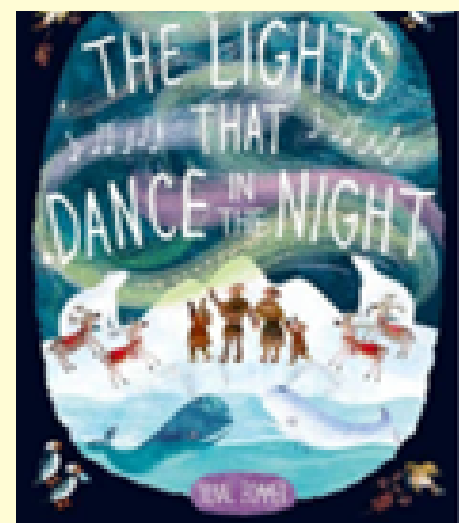
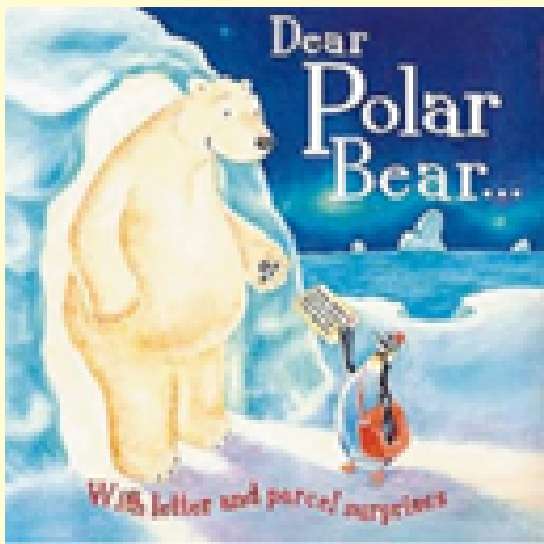
# Autumn 2

Can I visit the Arctic?

Year 1 Autumn 2 Project

Project Outcome:  
Create a Diorama of the Arctic.

## Our Focus Books...



## Key Vocabulary

Arctic

A very cold, icy place at the top of the world

North Pole

The very top point of the world, found in the Arctic

Ice

Frozen water that is very cold and slippery

Snow

Soft white flakes that fall from the sky when it is cold

Polar Bear

A big white bear that lives in the Arctic.

Igloo

A house made of blocks of snow and ice

Iceberg

A huge piece of ice floating in the sea.

Blizzard

A strong snow storm with lots of wind

## Did you know?

For part of the year, the Arctic has 24 hours of  
★ darkness — this is called Polar Night.

★ In winter, temperatures can drop below  
-30°C — that's colder than your freezer

★ The Arctic Ocean is covered by sea ice.

★ The Arctic is at the very top of the world  
It's like the "hat" of the Earth!



# "GROWING TOGETHER, SHINING FOREVER"

## Key Dates

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November - School reopens for Autumn 2.

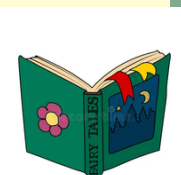
Monday 10<sup>th</sup> November - Anti Bullying Week - ODD SOCKS

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> November - Children in Need - Wear Pyjames

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> December - Inset Day

## Our Oakwood Library:

Every Tuesday from September at 3.30pm, we will be running the Oakwood Library, come along and choose a book to borrow and read at home.



Good attendance is 95%+  
Please remember to arrive to time!

## Suggested Reading:

- Poles Apart - Jeanne Willis & Jarvis
- Arctic Fox - Katie Marsico
- The Journey Home - Frann Preston Gannon

## Helpful Websites:

[www.topmarks.co.uk](http://www.topmarks.co.uk)  
[www.phonicsplay.co.uk](http://www.phonicsplay.co.uk)  
[www.ictgames.com](http://www.ictgames.com)  
[www.youtube.com/@DanNyGo](http://www.youtube.com/@DanNyGo)

## Important Information

Please label all of your child's belongings: clothes, wellies, water bottle, bags

Please bring your book bag and reading log everyday.

PE days will be on a Wednesday and Thursday. Please come to school dressed in your PE kit.

Please provide your child with a wooly hat, scarf and gloves when the weather gets colder.