

Knowledge Organiser

Prior Learning

- I know that the past is different from today.
- I can talk about things that are the same and different now and long ago.
- I have listened to stories about the past.



Year 1 - History Spring 2 Explorers

Key Skills Taught

- I can describe what Antarctica is like.
- I can explain why Antarctica is dangerous.
- I can talk about who Captain Scott was.
- I can say what happened on his journey.
- I can use words to describe how he might have felt.
- I can use photos and stories to learn about the past.

Vocabulary

Explorer - A person who travels to new places to learn about them.

Antarctica - A very cold place at the bottom of the world. It is covered in ice and snow.

Journey - When you travel from one place to another.

Brave - Not giving up, even when something is scary or difficult.

Dangerous - Something that could hurt you.

Photograph - A picture taken with a camera

Key Knowledge Taught: *by the end of the unit pupils are expected to know that / be able to:*

- Captain Scott was an explorer.
- He travelled to a very cold place called Antarctica.
- Antarctica is covered in ice and snow.
- Scott wanted to reach the South Pole.
- Another explorer called Amundsen got there first.
- Scott and his team studied penguins and took photographs.
- On the journey home, they ran out of food and sadly died because it was so cold.
- Many people thought Scott was very brave.

Extra Information: This can be added to by teacher, parent or child



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