

Understanding of the World

Coleman Primary School, Reception, Spring 1



Theme – Where can we go on an adventure?
Area of Learning – Understanding the World
 (Science, History, Geography and RE)

Knowledge:

1. An adventure is doing something exciting or daring when you have to be brave and take risks.
2. There are many different types of adventures and they can happen anywhere in the world
3. Cold environments have different plants, different animals and different weather to us
4. Hot environments have different plants, different weather and different animals to us
5. Maps and globes tell us where places are and how far they are from us
6. There are many different types of weather, and the weather is important for the people, plants and animals that live in a place
7. In the past, there was a race to reach the South Pole.
8. I know Christian people celebrate Easter.
9. I know Hindu people celebrate Holi

 adventure	 globe	 map
 North Pole	 polar bear	 South pole
 penguin	 sledge	 race
 Easter	 Holi	 weather

Globes and maps show us different places in the world.

The North and the South Poles can be very cold and covered in snow.

Polar bears live in the North Pole.

Penguins live in the South Pole.

A long time ago there was a race to reach the South Pole.

They used a sledge pulled by husky dogs

Christians celebrate Easter by sending cards, eating hot cross buns and Easter eggs.

Hindus celebrate Holi by covering each other in brightly coloured paint.