

Conkers Class Learning at Home Activities

Autumn 2 'Land Ahoy!'

Key Stage 1

Select from the following learning activities (these are optional - only if your child wishes to! The main 'learning at home' activity that we recommend is reading at home with your child three times per week. Thank you!)

- In **History**, we are learning about the polar expeditions of Ernest Shackleton and Tenzing Norgay. Shackleton's boat, the Endurance, became trapped in ice for over one year! Can you figure out the best way to melt ice for future explorers? Take an ice cube and try lots of different ways to melt it (you could try sugar, salt, cold water, warm water and anything else you can think of!). Record your findings and decide which method melts the ice the quickest!
- **Nothing is nicer than a good Christmas story!** Can you write a Christmas story using one of these prompts for inspiration?
Imagine you're a snowflake. Where do you travel?
Write about a day in the life of Santa Claus.
If your pet could talk on Christmas day, what would they say?
Write a story about a snowman who comes to life...
3 house points for the best Christmas story!
- In **Art**, we are learning about Monet. Can you have a go at painting a pond and water lily on a paper plate? You could make painted paper leaves and flowers out of scrap paper.



Please bring your finished activities into class to share with us during the week commencing **Monday 16th December** - we look forward to seeing them!