

Conkers Class Learning at Home Activities

Autumn 2 'Land Ahoy!'

Reception

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!
- **Can you go on a walk in your local area and take some photographs of things that make your town or village special? These will feature in our 'Our Area' class book. Maybe you could have a go at writing a label for your photographs?**
- 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. **If you don't have a paper plate, just ask Mrs Bennett!**



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