

Books, Stories and Poems

- One Snowy Night
- George and the Dragon
- A Little Bit Brave
- Billy and the Dragon
- Eyes that Kiss in the Corners
- Ruby's Chinese New Year
- Chinese New Year
- Little Red Riding Hood
- The Enormous Turnip
- Where Am I?
- The Tiger
- Ice Trap!
- Poles Apart
- The Great Explorer
- Who was Ernest Shackleton?

These texts have a key role in strengthening communication skills and emotional development

Literacy

RWInc phonics programme

- Read Set 1 and 2 sounds speedily.
- Blend independently and spell – building towards writing short phrases.
- Form letters with increasing accuracy including Capital Letters
- Retell stories using own words and familiar phrases, increasing detail and adding predictions.
- Explore rhyming words, songs and rhymes
- Listen to and talk about familiar non-fiction books.

Physical

- PE
- Yoga
- walking,
- play park
- biking

Hot and Cold

Spring Term

UKW

Past and present

Arctic and Antarctic explorers now and then.

People, cultures and communities

- Chinese New Year
- Pancake day
- (see RE)

Natural world

- Look for Arctic and Antarctic on maps and globe (including Google Earth). Compare with own environment and China.
- What animals live there? How are they adapted to survive?
- Investigate melting and freezing
- Compare weather in autumn and winter.
- Recognise signs of spring. Plant seeds

Maths

White Rose Maths programme

- Introducing zero
- Growing 6,7,8
- Making pairs
- Combining 2 groups
- Comparing mass and capacity
- Length, height and time
- Building 9 and 10, comparing numbers to 10 and number bonds
- 3d shape and pattern

RE

- Why do Christians put a cross in an **Easter** garden?
- Which times are special and why?

Pentecost / Ramadan and Eid-al-Fitr