

## Year Two

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Dear Parents / Carers,

We are looking forward to the Winter Concert – please make sure the date is in the diary (Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> December at 9.15am).

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### English

This week we started learning about non-fiction texts after reading the story 'The Journey Home'. We have been researching and learning facts about polar bears. Next week we will be writing a non-fiction information text under different headings.

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### Maths

In maths, we have been exploring multiplication as equal groups and how it links to repeated addition. The children have been using practical resources to represent a problem and then using these to write the addition (+) and multiplication (x) equations.

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### Topic

In History we have been learning about the voyage of Captain Scott and his team, and we have been using our knowledge from Geography to understand the route he took to get to the Antarctic.

We are working hard on our Winter show and we are looking forward to our performance soon! We have been practising our songs and thinking carefully about the pitch and rhythm that we need. Well done to all of you that have been learning the song lines! Keep up the great work.

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### Notices

Our trip to the Cornerstone Hub to watch an interactive retelling of the Christmas Journey is next Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December. We are looking for adults to help in some classes so please do come and see us if you are available. Bracken Class – leaving school at 12.30pm and retuning at 2.30pm, Clover and Heather Classes - leaving school at 10.30am and returning at 12.45pm.

DT Project: The children are going to design and make a vehicle with moving axels and wheels (which we will provide). Please could you start collecting small items that could be used to decorate them? For example: bottle tops, tin foil cake cases, corks, small fromage frais pots, straws etc.

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## Deputy Head Teacher's Award

**Bracken**  
Salihah  
Alan

**Clover**  
Harry  
Eloise

**Heather**  
Ava  
James