

# Antarctica Homework Grid

Over the term we will be learning all about Antarctica. This will include the human and physical features that can be found there as well as some of the brave explorers who have dared to visit.

To help inspire the children and to deepen their understanding, you might want to join in with some learning at home. Below are a range of ideas you can choose from to carry out with your child. Choose one, you are not expected to do them all!

Please send any complete tasks in to school or upload onto Google Classroom before the 17th October to share with the class and for your child to receive 10 house points.

Have fun, from the Year 2 Team.



<b>Create a Weather Report from Antarctica</b>  Record or perform a pretend weather report for Antarctica. Use vocabulary like blizzard, freezing, and sub-zero.	<b>Create a song</b>  Research an animal that lives in Antarctica and create a song—like the penguin rap.  <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6HTu3qspiYQ">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6HTu3qspiYQ</a>	<b>Create an Antarctica Diorama</b>  Use boxes, cotton wool, paper, and plastic animals to build a small 3D Antarctic landscape, showing icebergs, penguins, and glaciers.
<b>Animal Adaptation Picture</b>  Draw a picture of an animal you can find in Antarctica and write about how it is suited to live there.	<b>Write a story</b>  Think about the adventures of an Antarctic explorer, what might they see, hear and do on their journey.	<b>Design Your Own Explorer Outfit</b>  Design a warm outfit suitable for Antarctic explorers. Discuss materials and why warmth and wind proofing are important.
<b>Role Play: Life as an Explorer</b>  Dress up and act out a day in the life of an Antarctic explorer. Use props (maps, binoculars, "snow" made of paper) and write diary entries.	<b>Melting Ice Experiment</b>  Investigate what makes ice melt faster (e.g. salt, heat, sunlight). Talk about climate change and how it affects Antarctica.	<b>Penguin Fact Files</b>  Research penguins and create fact files or mini booklets including diet, habitat, and baby penguins.