



Year 2 Autumn 1



Home learning

This half term we are going to be learning about living things and their habitats in science and our world, continents and weather in geography.

The deadline for projects to be brought into school is

Monday 20th October 2025.

Living Things and their Habitats

1. Can you research two different penguin species that live in two different habitats? Discover how they survive in their particular habitat and list their similarities and differences.
2. Choose any animal, draw a diagram and describe how animals obtain their food from plants and other animals, using the idea of a simple food chain and identify and name different sources of food.
3. Make a microhabitat by getting a large jar and fill it with freshly dug soil. Then collect and put in some colourful leaves and twigs and put the jar on the ground with the hope of attracting some of our little minibeast friends. Once you have some minibeasts to look at, observe their actions and how they settle in their new microhabitat.

The World, Continents and the Weather.

1. Create a board or 'trump' style game based around the world, continents and the weather. You can use world maps, atlases and globes to identify the countries, continents and oceans.
2. Have you ever thought of becoming a weather person on the TV? Act out being a weather presenter and inform the UK on the up- and- coming forecast this half term.
3. Draw and label a map of the world including the continents and oceans.