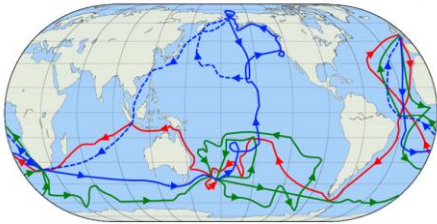


The Greatest Explorers: Knowledge Organiser

Key Diagrams

Where did Captain Cook explore?



First voyage
Second voyage
Third voyage
(dashed line –
Cook's crew
following his
death)

Who is the greatest explorer?



Key Facts

Find out about the explores on the timeline

British navigator James Cook charted New Zealand and Australia's Great Barrier Reef

Roald Amundsen reached the South Pole before Captain Scott

Sunita Williams is an astronaut who explores space today

Consider why previously there were fewer female explorers

Key Vocabulary

adventure	If someone has an adventure , they become involved in an <u>unusual</u> , exciting, and <u>rather</u> dangerous <u>journey</u> or <u>series</u> of events
discover	to find out, see, or learn of especially for the first time
navigation	the act or practice of steering, directing the course of, or finding a way through
significant	important
indigenous	originating or occurring naturally in a particular place
uncharted	never been before and recorded. Undiscovered

Knowledge, skills and concepts

In this unit, the children will:

- develop an awareness of the past, using common words and phrases relating to the passing of time
- know where the people and events they study fit within a chronological framework
- Ask and answer questions, choosing and using parts of stories and other sources to show that they know and understand key features
- use a wide vocabulary of everyday historical terms
- understand some of the ways in which we find out about the past
- identify similarities and differences between ways of life in different periods.



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A timeline showing when our explorers lived.

Can you add Mary Annings & David Attenborough?

