



## Knowledge Organiser

Project: 'Frozen'

Reception SPRING TERM

### Project Summary

This topic focuses on the frozen lands from the well-known film. Involving us in learning about polar regions, explorers, kings and queens and artists use of colour and form.



### Enquiry Questions

#### Question 1

What is the climate of the North and South Poles (Arctic and Antarctic)?



Answer:

- Cold
- Icy
- Snowy
- Frozen
- They are at the top and bottom of the globe

#### Question 2

Which animals live in the North and South Poles?



Answer

- Penguins
- Polar bears
- Huskies
- Arctic fox
- Seal
- Arctic Hare
- Walrus
- Wolf
- Snowy Owl
- Reindeer

#### Question 3

What is an explorer and who is Ernest Shackleton?



Answer

- An explorer discovers new lands
- Ernest Shackleton went to Antarctica on a ship called the Endurance. He explored the frozen land.

#### Question 4

What is a King, Queen and Prime Minister

Answer

- A Prime Minister makes decisions for the country (eg how to spend money) with other members of Parliament



- A king or queen is a monarch who reigns over a country. England has had Kings and Queens for many years. Queen Elizabeth II is the current Queen of England,

Answer

- Pieter Bruegel uses shades of black, brown, green white and grey in 'hunters in the snow' to show wintery colours
- David Hockney uses bright blue, yellow and orange to show warm summery colours in 'A bigger Splash'.

Question 5

How do artists use colours to show seasons?



Answer

- Sculpture is a 3d form of art
- Artists (like Degas and Henry Moore) can use clay to make sculptures
- Artists need tools to make shapes and textures

Question 6

What is sculpture?



Key Vocabulary

igloo, iceberg, snowflake, glacier, snow, ice, freezing, melting, water, cold, arctic

King, Queen, Buckingham Palace, rule, reign, country, decision, crown, throne, coronation, prince, princess

explore, Shackleton, Endurance, binoculars, compass, navigation, map, sledge, ship, planning and preparation

autumn, winter, spring, summer, seasons, weather, temperature, plants and nature, sky, colour names.

parliament, vote, Houses of Parliaments, government, laws, rules,

Degas, 2D and 3D, Henry Moore, craft, modelling, moulding, shaping, tools, safety

Useful websites:

<https://www.dkfindout.com/uk/animals-and-nature/habitats-and-ecosystems/arctic/>

<https://www.dkfindout.com/uk/history/kings-and-queens/>

<https://www.theguardian.com/childrens-books-site/2015/may/21/ernest-shackletons-endurance-expedition>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/radio/andys-sound-adventures-arctic>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/puzzles/andys-adventures-guess-the-arctic-animal>