

English

We will be looking at Earnest Shackleton's expedition to Antarctica. Based on this we will create: *letters, diaries, instructions and adventure stories.*



Wider Curriculum

We will:

- Look at plants and animals used for survival.
- Learn Survival skills through Forest school (such as fire making and first aid).
- Problem solving and Team building activities.
- Research places of extreme conditions e.g.. deserts and Polar Regions and explore how people survive in these regions.
- Look at the lives of famous explorers.



Curriculum Goals

Our topic is

Survival



Community Links

- Visit The Eden Project for a workshop on using plants for survival in the rainforest.

Maths

This term we are focusing on:

- Fractions
- Ratio
- Decimals
- Percentages

Art & DT

- Design and build survival rafts and dens.
- Make survival bracelets and keyrings.

End Goal

We will be producing our own Survival TV programme.



Homework Menu

Choose at least three of the following project ideas to complete during our Survival topic.

Research edible plants that could help with your survival

Find out some interesting facts about Survival and create a multiple choice quiz.

Imagine you are stranded on a desert island/in a jungle etc. Write a diary about your time there.

Create an extreme survival fact file/guide

Research the importance of food, water, shelter, fire, first aid, and signals in successful survival.

Design and build a den from recycled/natural materials.

Research the life and travels of a famous Explorer

Look at how specific plants and animals have evolved to ensure the survival of their species.

Choose the top 10 items you would take with you on a survival mission, giving reasons for your choices.