
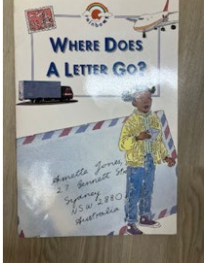


Geography Learning Journey - Let's Celebrate		Reception	
Key Question- How does the North Pole compare to where we live? Can we send a letter there?		Autumn Term 2	
Theme Overview		Project Outcomes	
In this geography unit, the children will compare the North Pole to Burghfield. They will write a letter to Santa with the North Pole address on the front of the envelope and their address on the letter itself.		To send a letter to Santa with some of their own address on it	
Skills Focus	Key vocabulary	Books to read within lessons	
<p>Describe their immediate environment: Children will write a letter to Santa from their home address. They will use a map to find the North Pole and explore how life in the North Pole is different to here.</p> <p>The intent behind teaching geography skills at Mrs Bland's Infant School.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> To inspire a sense of curiosity and understanding about the world in which they live To develop an understanding of their locality and their country To widen children's understanding of the diversity in the world and to celebrate this 	<p>Geography, map, atlas, globe, North Pole, Burghfield, UK, address, postcode, aerial, cold, polar, far,</p>		
Sequence of Learning			
<p>Lesson 1</p> <p>LI: To understand they live in Burghfield and to discuss what it is like there</p> <p>Recap last half term's learning on home addresses. Can you remember where you live?</p> <p>Tell children that we live in a village called Burghfield. Look at the aerial photograph of Burghfield and discuss what they can see.</p>		<p>Lesson 2</p> <p>LI: To compare Burghfield to the North Pole</p> <p>Look at some photos of the North Pole. Is this Burghfield? Why do you think that?</p> <p>Tell children that these photos are from the North Pole. Locate Burghfield and the North Pole on the globe and ask children how they would get to the North Pole if they had to.</p> <p>If you want to write a letter to Santa you would like a reply. Which means you need to add your address onto a letter.</p> <p>Write a letter to Santa with the envelope addressed and your home address on the letter.</p>	

