



Breckon Hill Primary School Y6 Newsletter



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Spring



As we start the new year, we would like to welcome new children to our classes. We have a busy few months ahead. We will be holding meetings to tell you more about the end of Key Stage assessments, so please look out for letters to follow.

Should you have any questions, please see us at the end of the day, phone or email and we will get back to you. The Y6 Team

Learning Topic

What is a polar climate?

We will be recapping our knowledge about the world's climatic zones and the location of the Polar climatic zones and their characteristics.

We will be learning about the difference between the Arctic and the Antarctic and by the end of this topic we will be able to name human and physical features of polar landscapes. We will be learning about what a natural resource and why do we need them, where they are found and the ways in which humans use these resources.

In science we will be learning to identify and name the main parts of the human circulatory system, and describe the functions of the heart, blood vessels and blood

We will be recognising the impact of diet, exercise, drugs and lifestyle on the way their bodies function.

To read more about what we will be learning, please go to our school website.



Key Vocabulary

Tundra: An area of land where it is too cold for trees to grow and the ground below the surface is permanently frozen.

Climate: The usual weather conditions that occur in a place over a long period.

Indigenous: Occurring naturally or originating in a particular place.

Native: Referring to the animals and plants that occur naturally in a place.

Climate Change: Refers to a large-scale, long-term shift in the planet's weather patterns and average temperatures

Tourism: Organisation and operation of holidays and visits to places of interest.

Significance: The quality of being worthy of attention; importance.