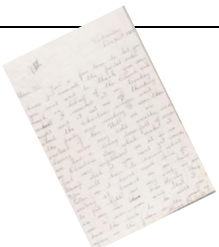


Willow Class Home Learning Term 2

Shackleton's Journey

Week	Activity	
Week 1 Due in by Wednesday 13 th November	Ernest Shackleton – Who was he? Find out about the life of Ernest Shackleton (where he was born, when, education, jobs, family etc.) Write a biography of his life. Remember to write it in your own words, make it interesting and include any pictures you think will add detail to your recount.	
	Geography Research glaciers, what they are, where are they, how they move, what geographical features they create, etc. Create a non-chronological report to explain all about them. Don't forget to use picture, maps, diagrams to help you explain.	Week 2 Due in by Wednesday 20 th November
Week 3 Due in by Wednesday 27 th November 	A Dog's Life! Use your imagination to write a diary in the role of one of the dogs on the expedition. Write about your experiences on board the ship and how your life changed when the Endurance became trapped in the ice. Remember to include details, feelings and emotions and any humorous incidents that happened along the way. The following YouTube clip may help with some ideas for this – search 'Shackleton's Imperial Trans Antarctic Expedition 1914' It should be the first one on the list (approx 21:30 mins long).	
	Antarctic Explorers Spotters Guide Research animals that Shackleton may have encountered on this expedition and present them in the form of a non-chronological report. Remember to include details, pictures and any interesting facts.	Week 4 Due in by Wednesday 4 th December
Week 5 Due in by Wednesday 11 th December 	Home Sweet Home Build an igloo - do some research on what materials you could use and how you could do this. Build your model and bring it in to school.	
	Letters Home As a member of the crew of the Endurance, write a letter home to a loved one about your time living on Elephant Island. Give details of how you are living as well as how you feel and what you are missing.	Week 6 Due in by Wednesday 18 th December