Topic

KS1 Oak Class Autumn Term 2

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Vocabulary:

Antarctica, Arctic, South Pole, North Pole, Southern Ocean, countries, continents, oceans, weather, equator, habitat, species, glaciers, icebergs, uninhabited, scientists.

Key Questions:

Where is Antarctica on a world map? Where is England on a world map? What are the continents of the world? Can you name the oceans of the world? What animals live in Antarctica? What parts of the world are hot and cold? Why? What is the weather like around the world at Christmas time?



Key Concepts:

- The Antarctic is a polar region around the South Pole.
- The equator travels around the middle of the earth. The hottest countries are on the equator.
- The furthest places from the equator are known as the north and south pole. These are the coldest places on earth.
- Antarctica is one of the seven continents.
- The Southern Ocean surrounds the northern side of Antarctica.
- Most of the land in Antarctica is covered all the time by ice and snow.
- Antarctica is the coldest continent on earth.
- Humans cannot live there permanently—only scientists working at research stations can stay there.
- A variety of animals live in Antarctica including—Emperor Penguins, Killer Whales, Seals and the Albatross.