

## Reception Knowledge Organiser

## Spring 1 Topic



Please support your child in learning the linked vocabulary and its meaning

Winter  Three Key Questions			
Vocabulary		General Knowledge	Key Texts
Winter	The season after Autumn and before Spring.	Questions to ask your child What do you know about winter? What is ice made from?	JACK FROST
Ice	When water cools to 0 degrees Celsius it changes to a solid which is ice.	What happens to ice when it gets warm? What is the Arctic/Antarctic like? How can we keep warm in winter? Where do penguins live?	KAZENO KOMAA
Predator	An animal that hunts others for food.	What adaptations do penguins have to live in cold places?  Activities to do together at home across this half term:	What Lives in the
Prey	An animal hunted or killed by another animal for food.	Draw a picture of someone dressed for a cold winter day and then label the clothes they are wearing to keep them warm and dry.  Go on a winter walk with a grown-up and look around to see the things that	Arctice
Camouflage	The disguising of an animal to hide from predators or prey.	have changed since the autumn.  Some animals live in cold places around the world. Draw a picture of an animal that lives in a cold place and find out a fact to share with the class about your animal.	Robin's Winter
Environment	Everything around us including air, soil, water, land, plants and animals.	A squirrel hid 8 nuts for the winter. He has already eaten 5 of them. How many nuts has he got left? You could draw a picture or use your fingers to help you work out the answer.	Song
Adaption	Something a living thing has to help it to survive.	Design a scarf. You could draw it, paint it or even use other materials to make a collage.	LA ROSALISTI

Fun Facts - The sun looks bigger and trees stop growing in the winter

Activities carried out at home together can be shared with us using your Tapestry app by adding an observation. Please do share your child's work with us. We love to see how they are getting on at home.