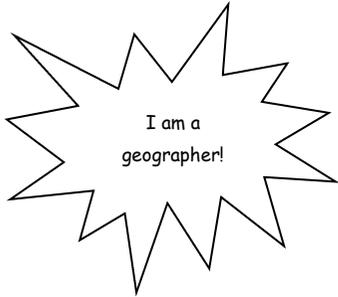


Children have a choice and are asked to complete at least ONE task. They will have until the week beginning **Monday 20th May 2019**

to complete it. We will be having a 'show and tell' session in class to celebrate the children's homework efforts. If you have any questions please speak to your child's class teacher.

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We are going to compare St Ives with Antarctica and look at similarities and differences. We are going to think about climate, wildlife, buildings, surrounding areas and community.

Can you compare St Ives with somewhere you have been to? This could be a holiday destination or somewhere that you go to visit family. What's the same? What's different?



We are going to be learning about animals and their young. We are going to learn about the different ways that animals come into the world. We are also going to learn about the basic needs of animals and look at the different things that animals need to survive.

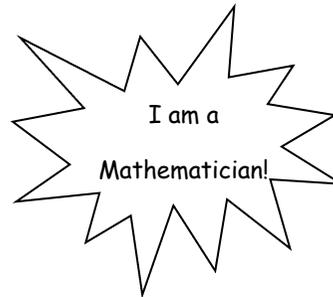
Can you investigate different animals and think about what they need to survive?

Does a lizard living in the desert need the same things to stay alive as a King Penguin living on an island north of Antarctica?

You could create a poster, a pairs game or a fact file.



## Year Two Homework Choices - Explor-



This half term in Maths we are going to be carrying on learning to tell the time to the nearest fifteen minutes. Some of us will also look at five minute intervals.

What are your top tips for telling the time? Can you like the learning you did on halves and quarters in our recent unit on fractions to help you remember half past, quarter past and quarter to the hour?

Can you make a guide for someone else in our class? You could make a game or a quiz to show your learning or test a friend.



This half term we are going to be writing non-chronological reports about Ernest Shackleton. We will include details of his amazing journey to Antarctica.

Can you create a report about a different explorer? Where did they travel to? What did they discover? Are there any interesting facts about your explorer that you would like to share?

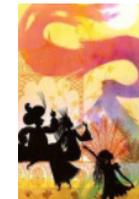


## ers (Summer A 2019)



Recently, in Guided Reading, we have looked at *The Great Chapatti Race* and started thinking about how this was similar and different to another story that we know.

Can you choose two books that you enjoy reading? Can you think about the similarities and differences in these books? You could think about the characters, plot, settings and events. Why do you think the author chose for these things to be the same or different in your stories?



### Don't forget- it's so important!

Spelling- Please continue to practise your Year 2 common exception words.

Reading - Please read to a grown up as much as you possibly can.

Skoolbo - Please spend 10 minutes each week completing games on Skoolbo. Remember the class with the most points will win the trophy in Friday's assembly.

Date Given: Thursday 4th April 2019

Date Due: Week beg 20th May 2019

30 minutes maximum to spend on a task

