

## History – Autumn Term – Cycle B

Year 1 and Year 2

Autumn 2	Session	Learning Objective	Success Criteria
<b>History focus</b>  <b>The Greatest Explorers</b>  <b>Who were the Greatest Explorers?</b>	What is an explorer?	To learn about what explorers did in history and do now, and explain their achievements.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● I know what an explorer is and what they do.</li> <li>● I can locate some explorers on a timeline.</li> <li>● I can describe what the explorers achieved and why their achievements are important.</li> </ul>
	Why was Ibn Battuta a great explorer?	To learn about the life of Ibn Battuta and why his travels are important.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● I can identify key events in the life of Ibn Battuta.</li> <li>● I know when Ibn Battuta lived, and can locate him on a timeline.</li> <li>● I can explain why Ibn Battuta's exploration was important.</li> </ul>
	Does everyone agree that Captain Cook was a great explorer?	To learn about Captain Cook's achievements, and why there are differing views about him deserving the title of a great explorer.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● I know the key events in the life of Captain Cook.</li> <li>● I can explain why Captain Cook's exploration was significant.</li> <li>● I understand that there are differing views about Captain Cook's achievements.</li> </ul>
	Why did Roald Amundsen win the race to the South Pole?	To understand why Roald Amundsen reached the South Pole before Captain Scott.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● I know the key events in the expeditions of Roald Amundsen and Captain Robert Falcon Scott.</li> <li>● I understand why Roald Amundsen reached the South Pole before Captain Scott.</li> <li>● I can compare the achievements of Amundsen and Scott.</li> </ul>
	What did Sunita Williams do to make her a great explorer?	To know and understand Sunita Williams' achievements as an explorer.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● I can explain the achievements of Sunita Williams.</li> <li>● I understand why her achievements are significant.</li> <li>● I can give valid reasons why in the past there have been fewer female explorers than male explorers.</li> </ul>
	Who is the greatest explorer?	To consider who is the greatest explorer, and be able to explain the reasons.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● I can explain what it means to be a great explorer.</li> <li>● I can provide valid reasons for why I have made my selection.</li> <li>● I understand that other people may have differing and equally valid viewpoints.</li> </ul>