



Learning Challenge

Year 2

What's did the Great Explorers do for us?

English

Children to answer questions about a text relating to the Great Explorers; children to write information texts about the Great Explorer, and children to write a biography about an explorer.

History

What makes someone a significant individual?
What would we need to take with us on a voyage of discovery?
Who was Christopher Columbus and why do we talk about him today?
Why would Christopher Columbus's voyages have been dangerous?
What would it be like to be a spaceman?
How were Neil Armstrong's and Christopher Columbus's missions different?
Children to:

- Find out about famous historical characters;
- Use historical words and phrases;
- Sequence events in chronological order;
- Recount interesting facts.

Art

Create a painting of a voyage of discovery.
Design their own memorial for an explorer.

Geography

What is the New World like?
Children to investigate what Cuba is like and compare Havana to Bolton.

Computing

Children to carry out online research

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National Curriculum Key Skills

- Communication
- Computing
- Working with others
- Improving own learning/performance
- Problem-solving

Thinking Skills

- Information-processing skills
- Reasoning
- Creative thinking
- Evaluation

Questioning Skills

- Knowledge
- Comprehension
- Application
- Synthesis
- Evaluation

Resources / Visits / Speakers

- Project loan