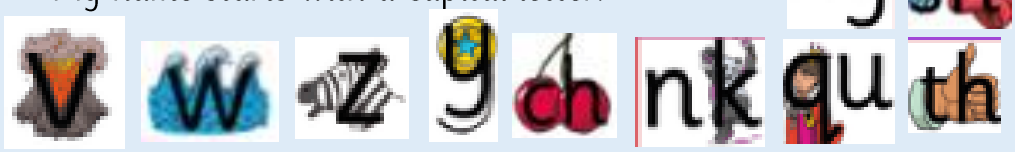
This half term, in Reception, we will be exploring the world through our topic, 'World Explorers'.
These are just some of the things we will learn in order to develop our knowledge.

Expressive Art and Design

Julian Opie is a British artist who creates simplified paint and marker portraits.

Literacy and Phonics

- I need to blend my sounds to read new words.
- I need to segment each sound to write new words.
- To write my name independently I have to combine the right letters in the right order.
- My name starts with a capital letter.





Maths

- I can recognise numbers 1-10
- Parts can be combined to make a whole.

PSED

- I know what being unique is, and can recognise some emotions that I may feel.
- I know what being proud means, and understand that everyone is good at different things.
- I understand that all families are different and that having friends is important.

Physical Development

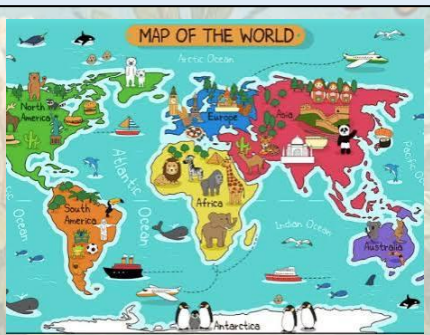
- I have to pull up my zip to close my coat.
- To turn my clothes the right way out, I must pull out the sleeves.

World Explorers



Understanding the World

- A map is a drawing of all or part of Earth.
- Maps can show us where to go.
- The world is split into different places; it has land and sea.
- Understand where England is on a map.



- An explorer is a person who explores new or unfamiliar places.
- There are lots of amazing people who have explored the world such as Nirmal Purja.
- Nirmal Purja is a Nepalese man who holds many mountaineering records. He climbed the fourteen highest mountains in the world in a record-breaking time period of six months and six days.

A celebration is a time where people come together to mark a special time of year. Celebrations are different all around the world. For example, bonfire night, Christmas, Halloween, Diwali, Hannukah and Eid.
Christians celebrate Christmas because it is the day Jesus was born.
Christmas can also be important to non Christians.
Diwali is a Hindu and Sikh celebration of light.
Diwali teaches us how good can overcome evil through the story of Rama and Sita.