Spring
Term 1
2018



Katie Morag's Magical Island



Year 2

5 week study

What's it all about?

In this topic your child will learn to talk about the Island of Coll, listing features and comparing it to Holbury.

The topic will start with a 'flight' over different islands landing on Coll.



Curriculum Focus:

In Geography children will learn to:

- describe the Island of Coll listing the human and physical features.
- use pictures to learn about Coll.

In Art: children will:

• use collage to create an image from the Island of Coll.

In Computing children will:

• learn to debug algorithms for the 2go programme.

Outcome:

At the end of the topic to show what we have learnt, the children will be able to discuss the main features of Coll and compare it to Holbury.

In addition to the topic based learning outlined above, your child will also be learning to:

In English children will write stories including Katie Morag and reports about the island of Coll.

In Maths children will use and recall multiplication and division facts using the 5 times tables, and solve problems using money.



In R.E. children will apply the concept 'special' to books.

In P.E. children will be using dynamic and static balances.

In Music children will learn to play the ukulele.

In Science children will learn about plants and the factors which affect how they grow.



Ways to support your child at home:

- Share different Katie Morag stories.
- Rewrite a Katie Morag story in travel journals.



Important Dates:

Thursday 11th January at 1.30 p.m. - 'Science Walk'

- help needed please.

Tuesday 23rd January at 2.30 p.m. - Katie's Ceilidh

- Scottish Dancing and work sharing - parents welcome.

The World

This half term our focus continent is:



Asia