



What I should already know?

- Where we live in the world
- The town we live in and can describe what it's like.
- Link to 'The Coast' topic - what are the similarities and differences in areas?

Important dates

- 1492 - Christopher Columbus 'discovered' America.
- 1506 - Christopher Columbus died
- 1868 - Robert Falcon Scott was born.
- 1901 - 1904 - Robert Falcon Scott's first expedition to the South Pole.
- 1910 - Robert Falcon Scott's second expedition to the South Pole. Scott died.
- 1969 - Neil Armstrong and his team landed on the Moon.
- 1986 - Ann Bancroft became the first woman to reach the North Pole.

Christopher Columbus:



- Christopher Columbus was born before 31st October 1451.
- Christopher Columbus set sail to try to find China but he found an Island near America.
- Christopher Columbus had three ships called the Nina, The Pinta and the Santa Maria.
- Christopher Columbus ended up living in Portugal with his brothers and sold maps for a living.

Captain Cook



- Born: 7TH November 1728 in Marton-in-Cleveland, England
- At the age of 18 Cook became a merchant sailor.
- In 1755, he joined the Royal Navy.
- He became a master of map making.
- In 1770, Cook became captain of a voyage to the southern hemisphere.
- The purpose of the voyage was to sail to Tahiti to make observation of the planet Venus as it passed the Earth and the Sun.

Neil Armstrong:

- He was the first man to walk on the moon.
- His famous saying is "one small step for man, one giant leap for mankind."
- The rocket he was in was called Apollo 11
- He went into space with Buzz Aldrin and Michael Collins
- He went into space in 1969