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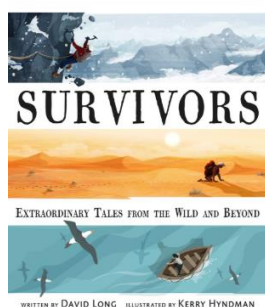
Survivors

Theme Overview

This topic is inspired by the book 'Survivors' by David Long and Kerry Hyndman. We will be learning all about the heroic actions of many people who have survived against the odds, and understanding how the location and physical geography of the events called for such impressive feats. We will be looking at survival skills in dangerous conditions, and carrying out a range of experiments and activities that will help us to survive in the wild, including first aid, shelter building, preserving food and purifying water.

ART

Create self-portraits in the style of Picasso



COMPUTING

Online safety

MUSIC

Explore ways of combining and structuring rhythms through dance

HOOK INTO LEARNING

'Would you survive?' immersion

GEOGRAPHY

Identify the position and significance of latitude and longitude

Navigate using the eight points of a compass and four figure grid references

Locate countries of the world using maps and atlases

PSHE

Expressing opinions and respecting other points of view, including discussing topical issues

TOPIC FINALE

Create survival guides, to demonstrate how to survive on a deserted island

FOREST SCHOOL

Learn a range survival skills including fire building and shelter building

MATHS

Identifying and understanding the properties and place value of number

Calculating with the four operations

SCIENCE

Enquiry skills- through a range of investigations linked to survival

PE

Invasion games- netball

ENGLISH

The Savage:

Write diary entries in role

Write a newspaper article

RE

Islam- What is the best way for a Muslim to show commitment to God?