

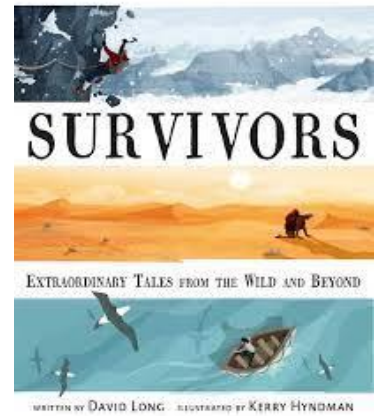


ST. DUNSTAN'S

Year 6 Rationale

Autumn 2nd Half Term

Extraordinary World



In Autumn, Year 6 pupils start to think more deeply about questions derived from their geography topic on 'Mountains, Volcanoes and Earthquakes'. Why does the landscape around the world look the way it does? How does this geography and geology impact people's lives? They use the knowledge gained from this fascinating topic to create a non-fiction report. Through this genre we begin to use colons; embed their understanding of parenthesis to add additional information; organisation using bullet points and the importance of formal and passive speech.

A book of real-life stories is the inspiration for some creative writing with a dramatic tone, allowing Year 6 to unleash some wonderful vocabulary choices.

Our mountain topic also inspires our art work. We are looking at landscapes of mountains using Roerich as our inspiration; developing skills in the media of charcoal and water colour. Computing and research skills will also be developed through continued use of Google Classroom for work in school and at home, creating presentations about mountains and plotting climate graphs.