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Dear Students,

Summer vacations are here, and it's time for fun, exploration, and learning! This year, we are going on an exciting journey to discover something truly amazing—glaciers! Glaciers are like giant rivers of ice that move slowly over land. They are found in some of the coldest places on Earth, like Antarctica, Greenland, and high up in the mountains. But did you know that glaciers are not just beautiful to look at? They are also very important for our planet! Glaciers store freshwater, help keep our climate stable, and provide homes for many animals like polar bears and penguins. However, glaciers are in danger because of climate change, and we need to learn how to protect them. This summer, you will explore what glaciers are, why they are important, and what we can do to help preserve them. Through fun activities, stories, and projects, you will become a "Glacier Guardian" and learn how to take care of our icy friends. So, put on your explorer hats, and let's start this cool adventure together!

A Few Suggestions for the Parents:

- Spend quality time with your child and enjoy the activities together.
- Encourage your child to take responsibility by involving them in small household tasks.
- Inculcate good manners, healthy habits, and respect for elders.
- Converse with your child in English to improve their language skills.
- Encourage your child to read books to enhance their reading and comprehension skills.
- Play indoor and outdoor games with your child to promote physical activity and sportsmanship.
- Remember, summer vacation is a time to relax and bond as a family. Create a nurturing environment filled with fun and learning.

General Instructions for Students:

- Follow the instructions carefully for each activity.
- Keep your holiday homework neat, colourful, and creative.
- Use A-3 or A-4 size sheets as instructed and compile them in a folder.
- Be original and use your imagination. You can take help from the internet, books, or magazines.
- Make your projects attractive by adding colourful drawings or pictures.
- Revise the work done in class so far.
- Spend time with your grandparents, listen to their stories, and help them with small tasks.

Let's Explore the Fun in Books

Reading is Fun:

Create your own library by purchasing the recommended books or visit your neighbourhood library. Read at least three books from the list below. There will be an assessment based on these books, so enjoy reading and be ready to answer some fun questions!

Recommended Books:

English:

- The Magic of the Lost Temple Sudha Murty
- Charlotte's Web E.B. White
- The Snow Child Freya Littledale
- The Polar Express Chris Van Allsburg
- Tinkle Comics Anant Pai

Hindi:

- 1. बर्फ का जादू (Barf Ka Jadu)
- 2. हिमालय की कहानियाँ (Himalaya Ki Kahaniyan)



SEWA PROJECT: Be a Glacier Guardian

What is a SEWA Project?

SEWA means doing acts of kindness and helping others without expecting anything in return. This summer, you can be a "Glacier Guardian" by helping to protect the environment and spreading awareness about glaciers.

Here are some ways to get involved:

- 1. Organize a Mini Clean-Up Drive: Help clean up a park or a street in your neighborhood to prevent pollution that harms our water and glaciers.
- 2. Plant a Tree: Trees help fight climate change, which is a big threat to glaciers.
- 3. Save Water: Learn to save water at home and teach your family why it's important.
- 4. Feed Birds and Animals: Place a bowl of water outside for birds and animals during the hot summer days.
- 5. Spend Time with Elders: Listen to stories from your grandparents about how the environment has changed over the years.





Task: Click pictures of yourself doing these acts of kindness, write a few lines about each activity, and make a colourful collage on an A3 sheet. Give your collage a catchy title like "I am a Glacier Guardian!" Use decorative items to make it attractive.

INTERDISCIPLINARY PROJECT ON GLACIERS

English:

- 1. Story on Cards (Roll No. 1 to 12): Write a short story on an A-3 sheet about a day in the life of a polar bear or a penguin. Use pictures and describe how important their icy home (glacier) is to them.
- 2. Poetry (Roll No. 13 to 22): Write a short poem on an A3 sheet about the beauty of glaciers or why we need to protect them. Draw a picture to go with your poem.
- 3. Poster Making (Roll No. 23 to 32): Design a poster with a catchy slogan like "Save Our Glaciers!" or "Protect the Ice, It's Nice!" Use colourful visuals to raise awareness about glacier preservation.
- 4. Comic Strip (Roll No. 33 onwards): Create a comic strip on an A3 sheet showing a superhero saving a glacier from melting. Use speech bubbles and fun illustrations.
- 5. Bookmark (Everyone): Make a bookmark with drawings or pictures of glaciers and write one way we can help protect them.



हिन्दी:

- 1. स्लोगन (Slogan): "हिमनदों को बचाओ, धरती को हरा-भरा बनाओ" जैसे स्लोगन को A-3 शीट पर लिखें और चित्र बनाएं।
- 2. कविता (Poem): हिमनदों की सुंदरता या उनकी सुरक्षा के बारे में एक छोटी कविता लिखें।
- 3. चित्र कोलाज (Collage): हिमनदों और उन पर रहने वाले जानवरों के चित्रों का कोलाज बनाएं।
- 4. पोस्टर (Poster): "हिमनदों को बचाने के उपाय" पर एक पोस्टर बनाएं जिसमें आप विभिन्न तरीकों को चित्रों के माध्यम से दिखाएं।

5. कहानी (Story): एक छोटी कहानी लिखें जिसमें आप एक हिमनद की यात्रा पर जाएं और वहां की सुंदरता का वर्णन करें।

Social Science:

- 1. Glacier Explorer: Imagine you are an explorer visiting a glacier. Write why glaciers are important for our planet on an A-3 sheet.
- 2. Puppet Show: Create puppets of animals that live near glaciers (like polar bears or seals) and write a short script about how they need glaciers to survive.



- 3. Research on Glaciers (Roll No. 1 to 15): Research a famous glacier (like the Siachen Glacier). Write three interesting facts about it and also depict them pictorially on an A3-Sheet.
- 4. Animals of the Ice (Roll No. 16 to 30): Make a poster showing animals that live near glaciers and how they depend on the ice.
- 5. Climate Change and Glaciers (Roll No. 31 onwards): Draw two pictures—one showing a healthy glacier and another showing a melting glacier. Write how climate change affects glaciers.

Science:

Activity 1: Glacier Model

Make a model of a glacier using cotton balls for snow, blue paper for water, and glitter for ice. Label the parts: Accumulation Zone (where snow falls) and Ablation Zone (where ice melts). Bring the model to school.

Activity 2: Ice Melting Experiment

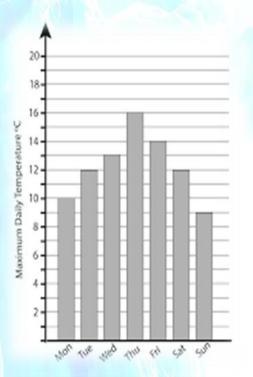
Place an ice cube on a plate and observe how it melts. Write what you saw and why it's important to keep glaciers from melting too fast.

Activity 3: Animals and Glaciers

Draw a polar bear or a penguin in their natural habitat and write two sentences about how they live near glaciers



Mathematics:



Activity 1: Glacier Sizes

Research the sizes of three famous glaciers and write their lengths in numbers. Then, write the number names and arrange them in ascending order.

Activity 2: Temperature Graph Record the temperature in your city for five days and make a bar graph. Write if the temperature is warm or cold and how it affects ice.

Activity 3: Shapes in Ice

Draw different 3D shapes (like cubes or spheres) and write which shape ice cubes are usually made in. Explain why.



Computers:

• Download 'Tux Paint' and create a "Glacier Scene" with ice, snow, and animals.

• Take a coloured printout on an A4 sheet and write your name, class, and section using the text tool.

Art & Craft:

• Make a poster on "Save Our Glaciers" using any medium of colours.

• Create a pen holder using waste materials and decorate it with glacier-themed drawings.

Music:

- Learn and practice the National Anthem and DAV Anthem.
- Sing a song about nature or winter, like "Frosty the Snowman," and write the lyrics on an A4 sheet.



वेदपाठ (Vedpath):

- Practice reciting the Gayatri Mantra and Shanti Path daily.
- Listen to stories from your grandparents about nature and write one story you liked on an A4 sheet.

Library:



Reading is a great learning source when we learn to enjoy it. While spending quality time at home during vacations read the following books at your pace, with your loved ones and feel pleasure while reading:

Click on the link below:

https://storyweaver.org.in/en/stories/26727welcome-to-the-forest

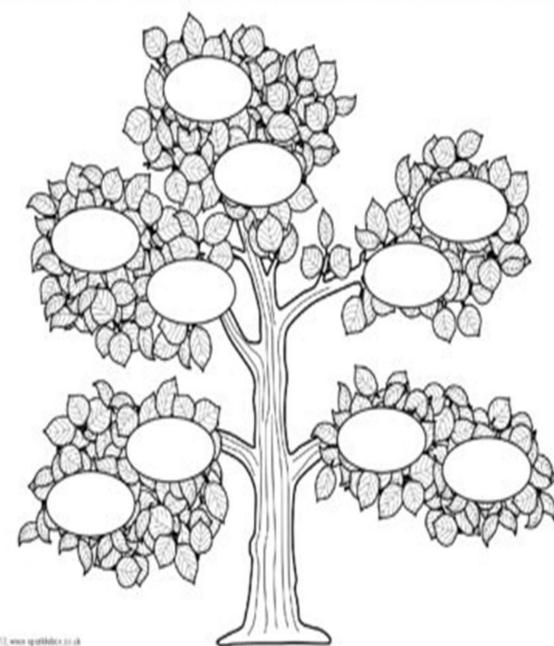
https://storyweaver.org.in/en/stories/58964-stage-fright

When the book reading is completed, write new words from the story in the word tree given below. Searching new words becomes fun activity and it also enhances your vocabulary.



Have a great reading time!!

WORD TREE



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ON 15th JUNE, CELEBRATE FATHER'S DAY AT HOME

Activity 1: Journal Making

Decorate a journal, add photos, notes and even handprints to create a lasting keepsake.

Activity 2: My Dad, My Hero: Badge Making



Create a badge to gift to your father and express gratitude

Material Required:

- Circular cutouts (paper or card)
- Crayons/ Sketch Pens
- Safety Pins/Ribbons
- Glue, Scissors



ON 21st JUNE, CELEBRATE YOGA DAY AT HOME

Wake up early and wear comfortable clothes. Arrange a clean space with a yoga mat.

- 1. Begin with a short prayer or meditation
- 2. Perform simple yoga poses (like Tadasana,
- Vrikshasana, and Bhujangasana)

3. Practice breathing exercises (like Anulom Vilom and Bhramari)



4. End with a relaxation or Shavasana pose.



Also, remember to click a family photo doing yoga together and print it and bring it to school.



ON 5th JUNE, CELEBRATE WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY



World Environment Day in 2025 will focus on ending plastic pollution. Ridding the planet of plastic pollution is an important contribution to achieving the Sustainable Development Goals, including those on climate action, sustainable production and consumption, protection of seas and oceans and repairing ecosystems and retaining biodiversity.

Activity- Poster Making: Create a poster or chart on "Reduce Plastic Use" and plant a tree or a small herb in a pot.

SCHOOL ENTERPRISE CHALLENGE

The School Enterprise Challenge is a fantastic opportunity for students to showcase their creativity and entrepreneurial skills.



Activity- Best out of Waste

Create any one innovative product from waste or reusable materials which can be sold, and the money earned will be used for needy people. Products which can be made through waste materials are pen stand, photo frame, wind chime, wall hanging, necklace or any other useful thing which is attractive and can be sold on any event in school. Bring this product to school after summer vacation.



Links to Practice Worksheets:

English:

https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1USQ1wCDX30trchQIHpcfPvEx_va48e 6V?usp=sharing

Hindi:

https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1znUgpz8gbqeDbJ11qYGo05s4duCpLK?usp=sharing

Maths:

https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/19FpsteDlFK88VCmi2eBLyB2HhPCzQe b8?usp=sharing

Science:

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Social Science:

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