

Explorers 2 / Reception

Skills Ladder

Understanding the World

Past and Present

UW15 Talk about the lives of the people around them and their roles in society

UW16 Know some similarities and differences between things in the past and now, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class

UW17 Understand the past through settings, characters and events encountered in books read in class and storytelling

People, Culture and Communities

UW18 Describe their immediate environment using knowledge from observation, discussion, stories, non-fiction texts and maps

UW19 Know some similarities and differences between different religious and cultural communities in this country, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class

UW20 Explain some similarities and differences between life in this country and life in other countries, drawing on knowledge from stories, non-fiction texts and – when appropriate – maps

The Natural World

UW21 Explore the natural world around them, making observations and drawing pictures of animals and plants

UW22 Know some similarities and differences between the natural world around them and contrasting environments, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class

UW23 Understand some important processes and changes in the natural world around them, including the seasons and changing states of matter

