Class 2 Spring 1 2023 Explorers Scientists and Inventors (Science)



What will we be learning?

Key facts

- Find out what plants need to stay healthy and describe how greenhouses help, including the biomes at the Eden Project.
- Use observations and ideas to explain how doctors use science.
- Describe Louis Pasteur's life and work.
- Describe Charles Macintosh and his famous invention.
- Describe what Rachel Carson learnt about ocean habitats.
- Answer questions about the invention of wind turbines.
- Key vocabulary
- **Biomes:** areas on earth that have similar characteristics, such as climate, animals and plants.
- **Bacteria:** tiny little organisms that are all around us. Most bacteria aren't dangerous, but some are. Antibiotics help us when they make us sick.
- Waterproof: water cannot pass through a material that is waterproof.
- Absorbent: materials that soak up water. The opposite to waterproof.
- Pesticides: chemicals used to control or kill unwanted pests.
- Energy: something that gives other objects power.

Key knowledge - what have you learned?

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- The Eden Project is an eco-visitor attraction in Cornwall.
- Louis Pasteur was a French chemist and microbiologist who proved that germs caused diseases.
- Charles Macintosh was a Scottish chemist and the inventor of waterproof fabric.
- Rachel Carson was an American marine biologist who investigated the effects of pesticdes in water.



The Eden Project





Rachel Carson

Louis Pasteur by Albert Edelfelt

