

# Knowledge Organiser

**KS1**

**Famous Explorers**



**A timeline to help us**

**Key history vocabulary to help us**

## 

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| **explore** | **explorer** | **exploration** |
| **astronaut** | **oceanographer** | **mountaineer** |
| **monument** | **significant** | **before** |
| **after** | **past** | **present** |
| **same** | **different** | **change** |
| **continuity** | **then** | **now** |

## 1953

Edmund Hillary

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |

## 2023

now, present

**1325**

**1970s**

Sylvia Earle

**1831**

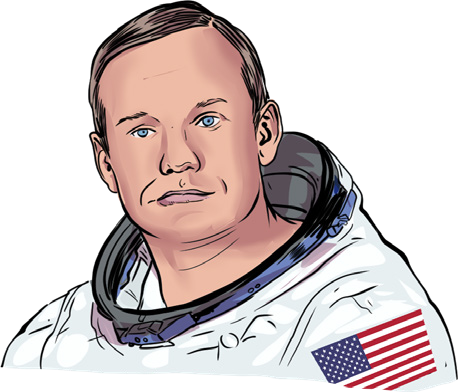
Charles Darwin

Ibn Battuta

## 1911

Roald Amundsen

## 1969

Neil Armstrong

**Who are some of the explorers from the past?**

**Where do humans explore?**

**Why do humans explore?**

**How do we find out about the past?**

Many people from the past have explored new places, but these explorers are the ones we will focus on in our lessons:

**Ibn Battuta** – A Moroccan explorer who travelled

Over the years, humans have explored many places on Earth and beyond, including:

* rainforests
* the North and South Poles
* the world’s continents
* deserts
* the world’s oceans
* the Moon
* the world’s highest mountains

### Where is left for humans to explore and discover in the future?

The main reasons why humans explore are:

* we want to **learn** new things
* we are naturally **curious** about other places
* we want to be the **first** to discover a new place
* we want to **make a difference** in our world, to make it a better place
* we want to make amazing

### discoveries



www.grammarsaurus.co.uk

We can find out about the past by:

* looking at and reading **non-fiction books**
* searching the **internet**
* **talking** to people who were around at the time that we want to find out about
* watching **video clips** or TV shows about the time in history we want to find out about
* visiting **museums**
* looking at **photographs**
* looking at **objects** from the past

across many continents.

**Charles Darwin** – A nature explorer who made important scientific discoveries.

**Roald Amundsen**- A Polar explorer who was the first to the South Pole.

**Edmund Hillary** – A mountaineer who climbed to the summit of Mount Everest.

**Neil Armstrong** – An astronaut who was the first man on the Moon.

**Sylvia Earle** – An oceanographer who has dedicated her life to exploring and saving the world’s oceans.