Year 2 Saanane Island Trip

This term year 2 have been learning about Saanane Island in Inquiry and have been very excited to experience the island for themselves. Our first stop was to visit the museum, where we got to see models and bones of lots of animals that live around the local area. We even got to see an elephant skull.









After the museum, we headed over to the boat. Some were nervous for the boat ride, while others were excited. We enjoyed seeing Mwanza from the water and seeing what wild life we could spot in the lake.

Once we arrived at Saanane Island we stopped to learn some more about the Island and other national parks in Tanzania. We impressed our guide with our knowledge of where Saanane Island's name comes from but we also learnt lots of new facts as well.

There was lots for us to see while exploring the island. We walked past many impala, wilderbeast and monkeys. We also visited the lions and got to ask lots of questions about the animals.





After we saw the animals, we went on a walk around the island to the jumping stones. This was a long walk, with lots of steep steps but we worked as a team to help each other up and encourage one another to keep going. We got to see many beautiful views of Lake Victoria on our way.







Finally we made it to the jumping stones! Most of us were eager to take a jumping photo, before we headed back for lunch.

