

Expressive Arts and Design

The children will be making sea creatures to decorate our seaside role-play area. We will be working collaboratively to make an underwater mural with year 1 and 2. The children will be engaging in imaginative play in our role-play areas.

Literacy / Communication and Language

Key Texts:

'Surprising Sharks' Nicola Davies- Non Fiction

'Under the Sea' by Anna Milbourne

'Mrs Pirate' Nick Sharratt

The children will be writing some seaside poetry based on our book Surprising Sharks. They will be encouraged to learn some facts about sharks and write about them. They will be writing postcards to our class fox, Fergus, who is going on a pirate adventure! We will continue with our daily phonics sessions and will focus on using capital letters, spaces and full stops when writing.

The classroom environment:

Pirate ship / Seaside role-play area

Mathematics

The children will be using their number knowledge to solve problems including doubling, halving and sharing. We will continue to develop our addition and subtraction skills. We will practise counting in 2's, 5's and 10's.

Reception Summer Term 2 Pirates and Mermaids



The children's learning this term will be planned around pirates, mermaids and sharks.

Special Events:

Trip to Seafront and Volks railway

FS/KS1 Sports Day

Health & Fitness Week

Stunning start

Fabulous Finish

Personal, Social, Emotional Development

The children will be continuing to use Just Right language to strengthen and understand their own emotions. They will continue to do daily track runs, drink lots of water and make healthy food choices. We will continue to encourage independence as we get dressed and undressed for PE each week. We will be preparing the children to ensure a smooth transition into year one.

Physical Development Games/Athletics

The children will continue to practise their ball skills. In addition to this they will be preparing for sports day and participating in running races. Our PE day is Monday, please ensure your child has a PE kit and earrings are removed before school. We will continue with our 'Funky fingers' fine motor control sessions.

RE

This term we will be learning about Friends of Jesus: St Peter and St Paul. The children will begin to engage with another catholic tradition= Coptic Christians. We will learn about other religions speak to someone from the community about why their religion matter to them.

RSHE Ten Ten Module 3 Created to Live in a Community which explores the relationship with the wider world.

Understanding the World

The children will be learning about seaside holidays and sea creatures. We will be exploring Brighton seafront on our school trip.