

Reception Curriculum Overview



Term 3 Summer 2

Literacy

This half term we will be reading Mr Gumpy's Outing, The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch and the Rainbow Fish. When reading at home can you make actions alongside the story?

We will imitate and innovate these stories, and begin to write more extended pieces of writing. What new stories can you make at home? Can you make story maps and retell your stories to your family and friends?

Physical Development

This term we will develop our team game skills in preparation for Sports Day. We will work on our running and ball skills, and improve our hand-eye coordination.

How many different ball games can you play at home?

Maths

This half term we will be consolidating our knowledge of Number from the whole year, and begin to count in 2s, 5s and 10s. What maths knowledge can you share with your family at home?

We will also begin to apply all of our Space, Shape and Measure knowledge to problem solve this term. We will look particularly at money, shape and distance.

Expressive Arts and Design

During this half term we will be inspired by our sea theme and use different techniques to make sea creatures. We will be adding these to our classroom display as the weeks go by.

Throughout this term we will also continue to use natural objects to make free-standing artwork of the world around us, and develop our designing skills. This time we will incorporate shells and rock pool life into our work.

Understanding the World

This half term we will focus on caring for the marine environment and for sea creatures. What could you do to help the seas become safer and cleaner?

We will also be investigating the different features of marine life, and learn about their similarities and differences.

During the term we will also discuss how we use technology at home and at school.

Communication and Language

This half term we are learning story language and new words we can use to make our stories more exciting. We will also learn about how good listening makes us good friends, and how being considerate of the opinions of others can help us solve problems for ourselves.

Who Lives in a Rockpool?

