

In English this term we will be writing instructions, a Pirate's diary entry and creating our own poems about the sea.

We will be concentrating on developing the children's reading skills by encouraging them to read as much as possible at home and at school. The children will be developing their comprehension skills by participating in guided reading.

Our Topic this term is Pirates. We will be finding out about the famous pirate Blackbeard and we will be having our very own Pirate day. Using maps, globes, atlases and compasses we will be learning about the oceans and human and physical features of the world and comparing the Caribbean with the United Kingdom.

In Science our topic for the term is Animals including Humans.  
In RE we will be looking at the Islamic faith followed by the Christmas story.  
In French the children will be practicing their colours and increasing their vocabulary.  
In Computing we are looking at coding and E-safety using our Purple Mash scheme of work.

In PSHE we will be looking at our relationships with others and feelings and emotions.

In Maths this term we will be looking at addition and subtraction, money and multiplication and division. We will be following the White Rose scheme where children develop their understanding practically at first and then when they have developed their fluency they can challenge themselves with reasoning and problem solving tasks.

**Art and Design**  
In Art we will use a range of materials creatively to design and make products. In DT we will use what we have learnt about Materials to plan, design and build a Pirate ship.  
**Music**  
We will be learning traditional sea shanties, learning about famous composers and practicing for our Christmas performance.

**P.E Multi skills**  
Children will need indoor kit  
**Ball skills- Tuesday**  
Children will need an indoor and outdoor kit.

