

Guided Reading

We will be reading a variety of different texts linked to our theme including:
The Rainbow Fish, Ocean Meets Sky, Who Swallowed Stanley?, The Storm Whale and The Secret of Black Rock

English

We will continue to develop our spelling, grammar and punctuation knowledge through discrete lessons and then applying into our writing.

- Narrative based on 'Something Fishy'
 - School visit recount
 - Diary based on Grace Darling
- Narrative based on 'Twinkle, Twinkle Squidlet Pig'

Geography

We will name and locate the world's oceans using maps, globes and atlases. We will use aerial photographs to identify the Humber Estuary, River Hull and North Sea. We will use this to create a simple map of our local area.

RE

In RE, we will be learning about 'believers' focusing on Christianity and Jesus' disciples. We will retell religious stories and identify religious artefacts.

Theme

This term we will be exploring the world's oceans as well as looking at our local area; The Humber Estuary and the North Sea. We will be investigating the impact of humans on the underwater environments, specifically looking at animals' habitats and their food chains. We will also look at historical and current figures who have had an impact on the world's oceans e.g. David Attenborough and Grace Darling.

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WOW EVENTS!

We will be visiting The Deep as part of our theme looking at how to care for our oceans, polar homes and observing and researching different marine life.

We will be holding an art exhibition at the end of our theme after working with local artist, Emma Garness.

Art and DT

We will be creating an art exhibition with local artist, Emma Garness, using a variety of different techniques to create a whole-class composition. We will also be creating collages based on 'The Rainbow Fish' and creating our own moving ocean scenes.

Maths

In maths, we will continue to embed our understanding of number and place value, addition and subtraction and multiplication and division facts. We will apply our understanding of times tables to fractions before exploring properties of 2D and 3D shapes. We will develop our understanding of time by telling and writing the time to five minute intervals. We will conclude the term by measuring length and mass using standard units of m, cm, kg

Science

As scientists, we will be identifying whether things are alive, dead or have never lived. We will name different plants and animals and describe how they are suited to different habitats. We will also describe how animals get their food from plants and other animals, using food chains. We will be grouping and classifying things as well as using secondary sources of information to research.

PSHE

As part of our Jigsaw PSHE curriculum, we will be reflecting on our dreams and goals for the future and how to be healthy.

Computing

In computing, we will be using Purple Mash to develop our programming and coding skills by creating, testing and debugging simple programmes.