



### **Expressive Arts and Design**

We will be making fish collages, and learning how to weave with paper to make fish. We will also be making our own seaside music with the instruments, and even making up our own seaside dance! We will be designing and making our own sea creatures and making our own rock pools.

### **Literacy**

We will be looking at books related to the seaside such as 'Commotion in the Ocean' and 'Sharing a Shell' and discussing rhyming words. We will be pretending we are on holiday and writing and sending some of our own postcards home! We will be making sure we are confident in all the phase 3 sounds and beginning to learn some new blends from phase 4. We will focussing on improving our skills in writing full sentences and writing some of our own stories!

### **Communication and language**

We will be sharing our own photos from our visits to the seaside and talking about them with the class. We will be playing lots of listening, language attention games linked to a seaside theme. We will be taking part in lots of different role play activities linked to the Rainbow Fish and other seaside stories. We will have a puppet theatre outside and make up our own shows with the puppets!

## **Reception**

**Summer 2 2017**

**What are we learning this term?**

**Under the Sea**



### **Personal, Social, Emotional Development**

We will continue to build strong friendships and work together as a team to solve problems. We will continue to talk about our work we are proud of and sharing learning journeys with friends.

### **Maths**

We will be looking at Doubling, Sharing and Halving including thinking of solving number problems we encounter during our play. We will continue to focus on number and place value (counting forwards & backwards to 20 as well as adding and taking-away more than 1) We are beginning to practice our number bonds up to 10 & 20. We will continue to practising our days of the week, months & seasons to build our understanding of time and sequencing. Using technology to program Bee Bots to travel across a distance and describe the position.

### **Understanding the World**

We will be finding out about what lives under the sea, and at the seaside both here in the UK, and around the world. We will be going on a school trip to Bristol Aquarium to learn even more and see for ourselves! We will also be looking at floating and sinking, and freezing and melting by making our own ice lollies!

### **RE**

As we explore our school value of Truthfulness this term and we will be thinking about honesty and when do we find it difficult to be honest. We will be thinking about important symbols in Christianity and why they are special for Christians.

### **PE**

This term will be using all our skills we have learnt over the whole school year to take part in a variety of sporting activities such as dance & movement- to create yoga stories for creatures under the sea as well as catching and throwing and balancing skills for Sports Day.