

English

We will be looking at non-fiction and fiction genres linked to our topic as well as *The Whales' Song* by D Sheldon, *Grace Darling* and *Follow the Moon Home* by P Cousteau to improve and develop:

- accurate use of punctuation and grammar
- learn and apply spelling rules and unusual spellings using RWI Get Spelling programme
- develop variety of sentence structures and use a varied, rich vocabulary in their writing
- research and set out non-fiction text
- letter writing, diary entries and story writing

Reading:

- fiction and non-fiction texts with fluency, good comprehension and love for reading and learning from the text

Religious Education

- Looking at baptism
- How do festivals and family life show what matters to Jewish People?
- Why is Easter important to Christians?

Computing

- Creating an animation on an iPad
- Create a non-fiction booklet using the 'Book Creator' app

Art / D&T

- observe and sketch using different pencil techniques to show shadow and reflection when sketching e.g. a sea shells
- create an 'under the sea' collage using colour, texture and different mixed media
- DT -using joining techniques and textiles on a collage

Mathematics

- developing understanding of multiplication and division
- solving problems using multiplication and division facts they already know
- multiplying two-digit numbers times one-digit numbers, using mental methods and progressing to formal written methods
- fractions of shape and quantities
- measure including time and time problems

Focus on developing **KIRFS**: times tables 3s, 4s 8s and **mental arithmetic** and **reasoning** skills.

Topic: History / Geography OCEANS

We will be looking at Oceans, their importance and life in and around them:

- name and locate main oceans of the world
- how oceans were formed and why are they salty?
- geographic features of oceans
- exploring life under the sea
- climate change and our oceans
- ocean forests
- ocean explorers in history and significant people eg: James Cook, Christopher Columbus, Grace Darling

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French

All About Me:

- to begin to have a simple conversation

Glorious Food

- To learn the words for certain foods in French

PE / Sport

- ballet
- tag rugby
- hockey

Science

Rocks and Soils:

- compare and group different kinds of rocks
- describe in simple terms how fossils are formed and significance to us today
- recognise that soils are made from rocks and organic matter.

Animals, including humans:

- nutrition in animals, including humans
- identify that humans and some animals have skeletons and muscles for support, protection and movement.

Scientific Enquiry

- set up experiments, make predictions, carry out a fair test and make conclusions

Music

- Recorders
- Sing songs with increasing musicality