

English

In English this term we will be learning to:

- ✓ Use the suffixes -ly, -ful, -less, -ment, -ness in instruction writing.
- ✓ To write a non-fiction text about a sea creature
- ✓ Use the past tense accurately and consistently when writing a recount.
- ✓ Develop our skills at editing and redrafting our own work and that of others.
- ✓ In shared reading we will continue to develop our comprehension skills in line with our reading VIPERS (Vocabulary, Inferring, Predicting, Explaining, Retrieving, Summarising).

Texts we will read: Flotsam by David Weisner, The Storm Whale by Benji Davies, 10 reasons to love a turtle, The Blue Whale by Jenni Desmond and The World of the Whale' by Smriti Prasad-Halls.

Mathematics

In mathematics this term we will be learning to:

- ✓ Revisit our addition and subtraction learning and use this knowledge to answer increasingly more complex word problems.
- ✓ Read scales with different intervals, including grams and kilograms, millilitres and litres, centimetres and metres and recording temperature.
- ✓ Revisit telling the time and be able to read the time on a clock to the nearest 5 minutes.
- ✓ Recall all number bonds to and within 10 and use these to reason with and calculate bonds to and within 20, recognising their associated additive relationships.
- ✓ Recall and use multiplication and division facts for the 2,5,10 multiplication tables.

Science

In Science this term we will continue to learn about **Living things and their habitats.**

We will be learning to:

- ✓ Explore and compare the differences between things that are living, dead, and things that have never been alive
- ✓ Identify that most living things live in habitats to which they are suited and describe how different habitats provide for the basic needs of different kinds of animals and plants.
- ✓ Identify and name a variety of plants and animals in their habitats, including micro-habitats
- ✓ Describe how animals obtain their food from plants and other animals, using the idea of a simple food chain, and identify and name different sources of food

Music

- ✓ This term we will be exploring timbre, tempo and dynamics.
- ✓ We will learn to recognise how sounds and instruments can be used expressively.
- ✓ We will perform a song with attention to controlling volume
- ✓ We will also be able to select instruments to accompany a song.

P.E.

In PE we will develop skills required in athletic activities such as running at different speeds, changing direction, jumping and throwing. Children will be given opportunities to work collaboratively as well as independently. They learn how to improve by identifying areas of strength as well as areas to develop. These are the skills we will develop:

- ✓ the sprinting action
- ✓ rhythm and balance in running over obstacles
- ✓ agility and co-ordination.
- ✓ jumping for distance
- ✓ technique when jumping for height
- ✓ throwing for distance and accuracy



What lurks beneath?

R.E

We will continue discussing the question: **How do we celebrate our journey through life? (Christianity and Judaism)**

- ✓ We will be reflecting on significant milestones in our lives and as we grow.
- ✓ We will be thinking about the significance and importance of Baptism for Christians.
- ✓ We will also talk about Christian wedding ceremonies and compare these to a Jewish service.
- ✓ We will reflect on the Jewish 'coming of age' ceremony, by looking at Bat and Bar Mitzvahs.

Computing

In Computing this term we will be learning to:

- ✓ Sort technology according to its uses.
- ✓ Use technology purposefully to create, organise, store, manipulate and retrieve digital content.

Creativity

Our final topic of the year is **'What lurks beneath?'**, which covers the final two terms. We will be continuing this topic over term 6. In art this term we will be creating ocean scenes which will showcase some of the children's favourite sea creatures.

In Geography, we will continue to learn about seaside; this term we will research a local seaside town and carry out fieldwork at a seaside town on our **class trip to Weston-Super-Mare on Tuesday 16th June.**

DATES FOR THE DIARY TERM 6

15th-29th June	Book fair (Postponed from March)
15th June	Year 2 trip to Weston-Super-Mare
18th June	INSET day
24th June	Year 2 OWL
12 th July	Sports Day
12 th July and 14 th July	Parent Consultation Evenings (after school)

