

Literacy

FS1 children will continue to practise oral blending in phonics. They will continue to find and write their name. They will continue to practice syllable clapping and rhyming strings.

FS2 children will begin phase 5 phonics, learning new sounds. They will be practising reading and spelling harder to read and spell words and putting these in sentences. The children will be writing messages in bottles and drawing and writing treasure maps.

Mathematics

We will continue practical work on capacity, mass and length.
The children will be refining their counting and recognising numbers in the environment as well as ordering them. FS2 will be learning about odd and even numbers and doubles.

Understanding of the World

We will observe the seasonal changes in summer leading to summer, looking closely at our special tree in the woodland area.
The children will be investigating what pirates do/did and who they are. They will explore maps, making their own and following maps to find hidden treasure. The children will investigate floating and sinking as well as sort and observe different materials in the treasure chest!

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Lifewise units on learning to sharing, technology and marching to the beat of your own drum.

We are also going to learn about money, what it is and why it is important.

EFYS Summer 2 Pirates!



Physical Development

The children will be taking part in athletics and sports day practise this term. Lots of running, jumping and throwing practise. The daily mile will continue on the field and we will be looking at running progress and challenging ourselves in PE.

Everyone will be getting changed for PE and practising their independence skills for September.

Expressive Arts and Design

The children will be singing sea shanties and learning new pirate songs and dances.

The children will be looking at seaside paintings and comparing them. They will talk about what they like and dislike and make their own.

Communication and Language

Learning new vocabulary linked to our pirates topic.
Children will be encouraged to use their words and be polite with each other and the grown ups in the classroom. Learning to use talk to express themselves, share ideas and take turns in conversations.

We will be playing 'what if...?' games with the children and talking about where we might go if we were pirates on the hunt for treasure.