

Year 2

Summer Term Overview

Theme – The Seaside



English

Key Texts – Seaside Poems / Aladdin

Linking to our Seaside theme we focus on poems and explanation texts on beach formations. For our grammar we look at using apostrophes in different forms, the subordinating conjunction 'that' and effectively using adverbs.

Our Aladdin unit supports the end of Key Stage 1 expectations in reading and writing and aids the transition into Key Stage 2.

We link our DT unit of mechanisms with English by writing a set of instructions on how to make our seaside vehicle.

Music

- Exploring Improvisation
- Our Big Concert!

Mathematics

- Fractions
- Time
- Statistics
- Position and Direction

In Summer 2 we begin Times Table Rock Stars.

RE

We explore the question – Why is Church a special place for Christians?

French

Seasons and Little Red Riding Hood.



PE

Term 1: Gymnastics and Net and Wall games.

Term 2: Team Building and Striking and Fielding.



Art and Design/DT

- Digital Media – using iPads to take photos, using filters, lines, shapes and using the simple cropping tool.
- Mechanisms – To create a seaside vehicle.

History/Geography

In History we focus on the unit 'Toys' exploring the enquiry question - How have toys changed since the past?

In Geography, we continue to link the Seaside theme by exploring the enquiry question - What makes Blackpool a popular seaside holiday destination?

Science

Animal/Human Survival and Growth / Uses of everyday materials

We focus on life cycles of animals/humans and observe chicks hatching!

We explore a variety of materials by identifying, comparing and finding out how some materials can be changed.

PSHE

Health and Wellbeing:

What can help us grow and stay healthy?

Living in the wider world:

What jobs do people do?

Computing

- Creating Media – Digital Photography
- Data and information – Pictograms
- Online relationships / Online bullying