

Communication and Language

We will be using the words and the British Sign language for different creatures and objects that we might find on, under or by the sea. We will continue to use the total communication approach to interact and listen to our friends and the adults in Blossom.

Personal, Social and Emotional

Turn taking is our focus during this half term, playing games involving pirates and under the sea creatures such as octopuses and fish. We will continue to use the Zones of Regulation to communicate how we are feeling and to notice how others are feeling.

Literacy

Pirate stories will be our focus for three weeks, then moving on to under the sea creatures found in the Commotion in the Ocean poems and lastly looking at the seaside and holidays with Paddington and Topsy and Tim.

Blossom, On and Under and Next To the Sea

Maths

We will be consolidating our learning about how to add and subtract using pirate treasure. We will also be learning position and direction skills focusing on where different sea creatures and objects are.

Physical Development

We will be completing activities that involve developing fine motor control such as hole punching, dotting and mazes. We will also develop our gross motor skills of throwing, catching and balancing using a range of equipment.

Understanding the World

We will be finding out all about our world on, by and under the sea. We will do some creative cooking involving sea food and ice cream and we hope to visit a local garden centre beach

Expressive Arts and Design

We will be trying out lots of different tools and techniques to make clay sea creatures, paintings and drawings. We will also be learning some pirate and under the sea dances and singing lots of sea shanties.