

Literacy/CLL

- Focus Books - **The Rainbow Fish, Noah's Ark, Sharing a Shell, Tiddler, and Commotion in the Ocean.**
- Hot seating characters
- Sequencing stories - TFW
- Writing a fact file about a sea animal.
- Writing simple sentences and captions independently
- Describing seaside objects game - feely bag game -
- Writing postcards home from a holiday.

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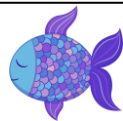
- What can you see at the seaside?
- Seaside – past and present
- Floating and sinking investigations
- Shiny and dull objects?
- Senses – what are they?
- Making Ice-lollies activity – patterns and change.
- Children to make their own rock pools using different materials.
- Mix sand and water and look at what happens. Changes.
- Planting – what do plants need to grow?
- Learning about the lifecycle of a frog, butterfly and a flower. Real caterpillars – live observations.

Expressive Arts and Design

- Music sessions weekly
- Mixing paints – colour mixing available in the painting area, which includes sand and paint. Allow the children to experiment with mixing and seeing that results it has.
- Set sea creatures in jelly for the children to explore. Can they describe the texture of the jelly?
- Artist - Adire – using fabric and fabric paint, create a design with a seaside theme
- Shell rubbings
- Making fish like 'The Rainbow Fish' using different textures.
- Making Jelly Fish using hole punches.
- Bubble painting
- Class display - book focuses

Physical Development - GYM /Dance

- Cosmic Yoga
- Tools/scissors
- Dough gym - squiggle while you wiggle.
- Seaside playdough mats
- Water safety discussion
- Design a healthy picnic for the beach.



'Oh! I do like to be beside the seaside'

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Summer Term - Reception Class



PSHE / Health and well-being

- Discuss 'The Rainbow Fish' story.
- Read 'Snail and the Whale' and discuss being a good friend.
- Seaside board game – turn taking
- Acting out the focus stories/poems in groups.
- Discuss sharing and different ways of sharing resources e.g. completing a jigsaw puzzle together, making pictures for someone, building models together using construction toys.

Maths Coverage

- Numbers to 20 and beyond.
- Addition more / taking away
- Spatial reasoning
- Doubling and sharing
- Odd and even

ICT

- Mini mash/Purple Mash – topic themed activities
- Taking photos with the iPads. Have a selection of child friendly ICT equipment available for children to record themselves telling facts they know about the seaside or sea creatures and their habitats.
- Beebots and cameras / toy phones in role-play area.

Continuous provision

- Pirate role-play area outside.
- Garden centre role-play area.
- Café role play
- Sand/ Water play – ice creams.

