

This half term's topic is ... Seaside and Pirates

General information

During this difficult time, please prioritise your family's health and wellbeing. If your child does not wish to do an activity, don't force them. Let them approach things at their own pace and in their own time. It is very different for them to learn at home compared to learning at school alongside their peers. Children are always learning in everything they do so their play at home will always support their learning.

Phonics and reading

- Please continue to access reading books on the Rising Stars Reading Planet online library with the login details provided to you previously. Go to <https://my.risingstars-uk.com/Default.aspx?ReturnUrl=%2f>. We are updating the books that are assigned to you as we see your progress. This subscription will remain until 18th July after which it will no longer be available. At the end of this week, we will be giving you three reading books from school for over the summer holidays.
- Phonics Play games - <https://new.phonicsplay.co.uk/resources/phase/3>. Login with the following details (username - march20, password - home) to access the games for free. Focus on Phase 2 or Phase 3.

Physical activity

Don't forget to have your daily exercise. At school you would have time at playtime, lunchtime and P.E. time to be active as well as Movement for learning and learning outdoors.

- You could join Joe Wicks in the morning for your workout - <https://www.youtube.com/user/thebodycoach1/videos>
- You could even dance with Just Dance - <https://justdancenow.com/>
- What about trying your hand at cosmic yoga? - <https://www.youtube.com/user/CosmicKidsYoga>.
- There's also the wake up, shake up dance too - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?list=RD7zySLpeEUcM&v=1gUbdNbu6ak>

Maths

Please continue to use the Numbots game which we gave you the log in details for. This will be available throughout the summer holidays.



Communication via Twitter and/or Email

We still love to see what you are doing at home so please try to make sure that you make contact with us at least once a week so that we know that you are safe and well. Even though we are teaching in school, we still look at the class email and Twitter, just not as frequently as we were doing but it's important that we stay in touch. We hope that you can relax a little more at the end of this week and enjoy a relaxing summer break. We look forward to seeing you in August.

Observational Art

Draw the fish.



This week, our focus will be... **Seaside holidays**

This week's investigation is floating water (see attached sheet). Please post on Twitter or email your results.

Reading, Phonics and Writing

- This week's story is called 'Rainbow Fish to the rescue' - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CVleL9ljJJE>
- This week's poem from the Poetry Basket is 'If I were so very small and under a stone' (This is will be put on Twitter)
- Phonics – This week's phonics is taken from the following - <https://wandleenglishhub.org.uk/lettersandsounds/reception> and <https://wandleenglishhub.org.uk/lettersandsounds/learning-to-blend>. Watch the video for the sound outlined below for each day.
Mon – reviewing air, ure, er or blending qu, *Tues* – Multi-syllable words or blending sh, *Wed* - Multi-syllable words or blending ng, *Thurs* – Compound words or blending ch *Fri* - Compound or multi-syllable words or blending th
- Writing – Design a new sea creature and fill in a simple fact file about it with information to answer the following questions - What is its name? Where, at the seaside, would you find it? (rocks, sand, rockpool, cliff, sand dunes) What does it eat? How does it move? Use your phonic skills to sound out words.

Miss Berry's challenge

Can you recreate a famous movie poster? (see attached picture) Please post pictures on Twitter or email to Class 1.

Maths

- Numberblocks – Blast off (exploring which Numberblocks make 10) - <https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/b08q3zx7/numberblocks-series-2-blast-off>
Numberblocks - What's the difference? (difference between numbers) <https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/b0bn57fv/numberblocks-series-3-whats-the-difference>
- 'Connect it' addition –Solve the addition and cover the answer. First to get 4 of their colour in a row wins. <https://primarygames.co.uk/PG8Games/iRConnectAdd.html>
- Choose some flavours of ice cream. Ask anyone you know which is their favourite and record marks to show this. Total up how many people like each flavour. Can you order them from most to least popular? Use different coloured Lego bricks to represent how many people liked each flavour e.g. 5 red bricks to show 5 people liking chocolate.

Topic Challenges for this week...

- Watch the film about seaside holidays 100 years ago - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zWgnpY4L9so>
- Learn the song 'My ship rolls over the ocean' This follows on from last week - <https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/music-ks1-sun-sea-song-index/zr4x2sq>. Episodes 4, 5 and 6 are available as well if you have enjoyed these and would like to continue.
- Create your own ice cream! Follow the instructions to make your own ice cream cone. Choose your toppings to add to it.
- Create your own puppet for a seaside puppet show. You can use the attached Punch and Judy characters or make your own.