

Art and Expressive Design

The children will be exploring colour and mixing their own colours. They will be busy creating pictures of different types of sea creatures using a variety of materials. In music, we will be experimenting with the musical instruments to see if we can create some underwater music.

We will also use the instruments to tap out simple repeated rhythms, before exploring how a sound can be changed.

Understanding of the World

In this topic, we will be learning all about life under the sea. We will be looking at the type of creatures that live in the sea, their diet and what they need to survive. We will be looking closely at the similarities and differences between these creatures. We will also be finding out about oceans around the world.

In ICT we will be using the large screen to play underwater games and creating a picture using the laptops and iPads.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

The Rainbow Fish story teaches us about how important it is to be kind to our friends and share. We will be looking at the different ways that we can be kind to our friends.

We will be demonstrating how we can play co-operatively and take turns with others. We will be learning how to take account of one another's ideas about how to organize an activity.

Communication and Language

We will be continuing to use prepositions such as 'under', 'on top', 'behind' and 'in'. We will be taking part in challenges to see if our partner can follow the instructions to complete an obstacle course.

During circle time, we will be sharing our knowledge of things that live under the sea. We will also have the opportunity to share our personal holiday experiences and photographs.

Physical Development

We will be continuing to look at what keeps us healthy, focusing on exercise and a balanced diet. We will also be looking at how different types of exercise affects our bodies. We will be busy preparing for sports day by playing a variety of team games.

English

This half term we will be reading the Rainbow Fish and Commotion in the Ocean.

We will be creating our own story maps and a new character for the story.

We will be writing a fact file about our favourite sea creature and a piece of non-fiction writing.

Foundation Stage Summer 2 MEGA Under the Sea

