

Problem Solving, Reasoning and Numeracy

This term, we will learn about numbers and the number system and place value.

Emphasis will be placed on quick and accurate use of number bonds and times tables. Our learning in maths this will focus on applying our knowledge and understanding of place value including addition, subtraction, division and multiplication to solve problems. To solve addition and subtraction problems we will use a range of strategies including a number, partitioning and column addition. When solving multiplication and division problems we will be using our knowledge of partitioning and the blank number line.

Children need to continue with their personal targets on their **'Target Wall'** – your support with this will be much appreciated as will helping your child to practise their **times tables** and supporting their understanding and supporting their understanding of **Time and Money**.

Creative Development

This term in art we will be exploring the artwork of a range of artists with a focus on developing the children's sketching techniques through observational and still life drawing.

During music lessons we will be developing our listening, performance and composition skills.

Knowledge and Understanding of the World

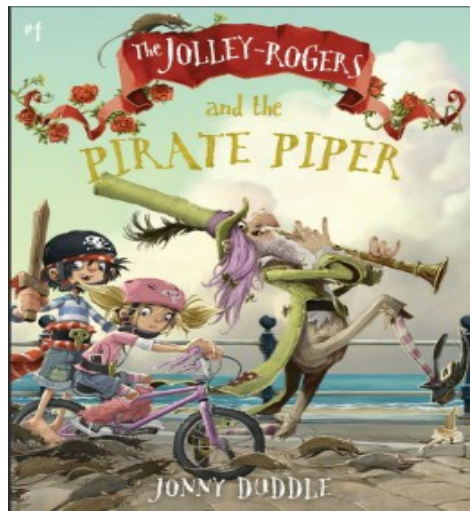
(Science, History, Geography, RE, Computing, PSHE and DT)

Our learning this term is based on the theme of 'Our Rocky Coasts'. Our work will focus mainly on studying our local coastal areas together with UK coasts and comparing with coasts around the world skills. Children will continue to develop their knowledge and skills in Science where we'll be exploring States of Matter, with an emphasis on asking questions and developing investigative skills.

Geography - How are different coasts made? What is Blyth coast like? How are coasts managed? You can support your child by taking a visit to the beach and practicing their new vocabulary.

In French, children will be learning greetings, instructions and numbers.

During computing sessions we will be working on programming, debugging and algorithms.



**Year Three—Autumn
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'Our Rocky Coasts'**

The Jolley Rogers and Pirate Piper

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RE Christianity.

We will look at what Christians learn from the Creation Story and what it is like to follow God.

Communication, Language and Literacy

Throughout the term, we will be studying **'The Jolley Rogers and the Pirate Piper'**, as inspiration for writing in a wide range of genres. We will be focusing on improving our own writing through regular drafting and editing.

In Reading, the emphasis will continue to be placed on improving children's comprehension skills, particularly inference and deduction. We will be focusing heavily on spelling, punctuation and grammar (**SPAG**) both in taught sessions and independent writing. Your child will receive a spelling list of high frequency words and topic Please support your child by regularly practising at home.

Physical Development

This term, we will be working collaboratively with the NUF P.E provision, to deliver Commando Jo sessions. on Wednesdays. All children must have their PE kit in school every Wednesday.

On Fridays we will be having swimming lessons. A swimming costume, towel and swim hat must be brought in on Fridays. PE is a compulsory National curriculum subject.