

In Writing, I will learn...

- How to write an explanation text
- To write a story based on 'Billy's Bucket'
- To consolidate my understanding of KS1 punctuation (apostrophes, commas in a list, full stops, capital letters, question marks and exclamation marks)
- To start my sentences in different ways

In Reading I will learn...

- To use inference, prediction, sequencing and retrieval skills more independently
- To read passages from more challenging, age-appropriate texts and answer written comprehension questions
- To use increasing vocabulary knowledge to make inferences

Our class books:

- Billy's Bucket (Kes Gray)
- Lauren Child author focus
- Mr Penguin and the Lost Treasure (Alex T Smith)
- Pippi Longstocking (Astrid Lindgren)



In Maths, I will learn...

- To partition numbers in different ways
- To problem solve using addition and subtraction skills
- To calculate how much change should be given
- To consolidate my maths learning from year 2



Our Topic this half term is Seaside

Important Information:

- PE will be on Tuesdays and Thursdays this half term
- Please return reading books every Thursday for them to be changed.
- Spelling homework will be sent each Tuesday in homework books. Please return it on the following Monday.



In Science, I will learn...

- Animals and humans have offspring which grow into adults
- To name the stages in a human life cycle
- To name the stages in an animal life cycle and how these may differ between mammals, amphibians, reptiles and birds
- Animals and humans have three basic needs to survive: food, air and water
- A balanced diet is important for humans to stay healthy
- Exercise is important for: your heart, strengthening muscles, staying flexible, burning energy and making you feel good
- Good hygiene is important to stop germs spreading and to stay healthy



In Art, I will learn...

- To use textiles to create a piece of artwork
- To focus on a piece of artwork in Take One Picture week



In ICT, I will learn about Presenting Ideas



- To explore how a story can be presented in different ways.
- To make a quiz about a story or class topic.
- To make a fact file on a non-fiction topic.
- To make a presentation to the class

In PE, I will learn...

- Skipping skills
- Athletics skills (jumping and throwing)
- Running races in preparation for Sports Day



In Music, I will learn...

- To play notes in time to a song on a recorder
- Some basic musical notation which shows the length of a note
- Seaside songs



PSHE, I will learn:



- To recognise life cycles
- About the natural process of growing older and changes from a baby to now
- About the physical differences between boys and girls and that some body parts are private
- About changes when moving to Year 3 and how I feel about these

In RE, I will learn..

- Who a Muslim is and what they believe in
- About the five pillars of Islam
- About a range of important artefacts in Islam
- About sacred texts in Islam
- About sacred texts which are special in more than one religion



In Geography, I will:



- Learn about human (manmade) and physical (natural) features of the seaside
- Learn about different jobs at the seaside and how these may be similar or different to jobs in Horbury
- Use a map to locate seaside towns
- Use aerial photographs of Scarborough to find landmarks and physical/natural features
- Learn about keys on maps
- Create my own map with a simple key



Seasides



Useful websites:

<https://earth.google.com/web/>

For locating seaside towns

<http://www>



Sticky Knowledge I will learn in Geography:



- The United Kingdom is an island with different seas surrounding it (North Sea, Irish Sea and the English Channel)
- Seasides have lots of different features including beaches, seas, pier, cliffs and rockpools
- There are many popular seaside in the UK including Scarborough, Bridlington, Blackpool and Whitby
- Some natural features of the seaside include sand, pebbles, seaweed and starfish. Some manmade features include deck chairs, beach huts, boats and piers
- Jobs at the seaside include fishermen, RNLI lifeguards, fairground workers, coastguards, ice cream sellers and lighthouse attendants
- Seaside holidays have changed since the Victorian times. The beaches were a lot cleaner in the past and beaches were divided for men and women



Key vocabulary linked to my topic:

Island

Seaside

Rockpools

Cliff

Sea

Physical/Natural

Human/Man-made

Pier

North Sea

Irish Sea

English Channel

Beach

