



# **Summer 2: Learning in Reception**



## **Personal, Social & Emotional**

This term we will continue to play lots of outdoor games that support working as a team, confidence and resilience. We will also spend time talking about friendships. The children will spend some time in their new classroom and getting to know their new teacher.

## **Communication & Language**

This half term we are learning about the oceans and the animals that live in them. We will talk about what we already know and what we would like to know about them. We will also introduce lots of new and exciting vocabulary linked to our learning.

## **Physical Development**

We will be continue with our weekly PE lessons working on fundamental skills. We will also make use of our outdoor deconstructed role play area, using boxes, wooden blocks and card board tubes to produce some amazing creations. We will continue to practise our letter formation.

## **English**

We will be reading Tiddler. Children will be having a go rhyming. They will be practising writing sentences about where Tiddler is! The children will continue their daily phonics sessions and reading practice sessions 3 times per week. Most children are on Phase 4 which focuses on words with adjacent consonants.

## **Maths**

We are going to work on doubling numbers to 5, odd and even numbers and finding different ways to make 5 and 10. We will continue number recognition, subitising and counting with the children who need it.

## **Understanding the World**

The children will be learning about people who sailed the seas along time ago. The will have a go at making pirate ships with sails. We will also learn about the 5 oceans.

## **Expressive Arts & Design**

We will be having a go at marine animal collages and painting under the sea pictures.

## **Supporting your child with their learning**

Talking to your child and having quality interactions with them is the best way to support their development at this early stage, ask them about their day, what was their favourite part and why. Go for a walk, talk about the things you see. Listening to your child read, is the next best thing you can do to support their learning, playing 'I spy' or Simon Says, as well as enjoying stories and nursery rhymes together.