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# Summer 2 Year: Nursery

## Monday 5th June - Friday 21st July

# **Curriculum Information**

## Literacy, including Communication and Language

Some of the books we will be looking at this half-term are: What the Ladybird Heard at the Seaside, We're Going on a Treasure Hunt, Commotion in the Ocean, Shark in the Dark and Someone Swallowed Stanley.

#### **Phonics**

We will be focussing on aspect 5, 6, and 7 phonics to help support our understanding of alliteration, voice sounds and how to blend the sounds that adults say into words.

## Maths

We will be singing number songs to help us count to 10, such as: '1,2,3,4,5, Once I caught a Fish Alive' and 'Alice the Camel'. We will also be learning about shapes and patterns. We will talk about the different patterns we see at the seaside. We will also be using positional language to describe the location of the hidden treasure.

## **Physical Development**

We will be making seaside tiles by pressing shells into malleable materials to create patterns and pictures. We will choreograph a simple pirate dance. The children may choose to move in different ways such as walking the plank, sailing the boat, digging for treasure, swimming or looking out to sea.

## **Understanding the World**

We will be inviting the children to explore floating and sinking in the water area.We will create a rock pool and ocean small world area to support the children's learning about animals that live at the seaside. We will read the story 'Handa's Surprise' and talk about similarities and differences between themselves and others. We will also

explore some simple maps and talk about the different animals that live in Africa.

#### **Expressive Arts and Design**

We will provide a variety of materials for children to use to build boats and investigate how to make them float on the water. We will also create a large-scale seaside picture using paint and collage materials.

| Teachers:         | Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Chorlton  |
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| Additional Staff: | Mrs Carlton, Mrs Myers, Mrs Hope, Miss Wray, Miss Owen, Miss<br>Pickersgill and Miss Maltby |
| Lead Teacher:     | Mrs. Thompson   |

#### **Additional Information**

Morning Session 8:45am – 11:45am (The doors will open from 11:35am) Afternoon Session 12:15pm – 3:15pm (The doors will open from 3:05pm) Full Day Session 8:45am – 3:15pm (The doors will open from 3:05pm)

Please remember to inform school of any change of address, home telephone number, mobile telephone number or any other emergency contact information.

