

English

In English, the children will be reading The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch by Ronda and David Armitage. They will be learning how to write a letter in character as the Lighthouse Keeper. The children will also be writing instructions on how to make a sandwich, looking at language and layout features.

Science

In the summer term we will be learning about plants. We will be finding out about different parts of a plant. We will be planting seeds and putting them in different conditions to see what plants need to survive. We will also be finding out about living things and their habitats. We will look at a variety of habitats and describe how animals obtain their food from plants and other animals, using the idea of a simple food chain.

History

The children will be learning about the lives of significant individuals in the past who have achieved great things. They will find out about the life of Grace Darling, how lighthouses have developed over time. They will be developing an awareness of the past identifying similarities and differences between ways of life in different periods looking at seaside holidays.

PE

During the summer term children will be continuing to focus on gymnastics and also taking part in athletics lessons.

Squirrel Class Summer 'Seaside Topic'



RE

We will be learning about the story of Creation. The children will be encouraged to ask and answer questions about the Creation.

Computing

Children will be using Purple Mash to learn how to complete coding, spreadsheets, searching, creating picture activities and learning about online safety.

French

Children will be learning French through a variety of games and songs.

How can I help my child?

Daily reading with your child and write in their reading record book. Encourage them to write something about the book they have read. Work on developing correctly formed handwriting. Practise 2, 5 and 10 times tables.

Maths

In our maths sessions we will be covering all areas of the curriculum to ensure reinforcement of these key skills. We will be learning about time including quarter past, quarter to and 5 minute intervals. Children will also be solving word problems involving time and other measures. Finally we will complete the year with some data handling.

PSHCE

Children will be thinking about relationships. We will ask and answer questions about who we have relationships with and why. What those relationships look like. How families are made up in different ways. What makes a happy home.

Music

Songs and music linked to the sea.

Design Technology

In summer 2 children will be designing and making a sandwich for the Lighthouse Keeper. They will bring their sandwich home for you to taste and evaluate!

Websites

Purple Mash, BBC bitesize