

# Bingham Primary School Curriculum Newsletter

Year: Reception

Term: Summer 1



**Topic Overview:** This term we are going to be learning all about the ocean. We will be meeting fish, coral, sharks, sea turtles, and even a few pirates! Read our newsletter to see some of the exciting jobs we will be getting up to!

## Communication, Language and Literacy (CLL)

Through our topic work, we are going to be exploring lots of different fiction and non-fiction texts related to the ocean. We will be writing poems, creating posters and even making our own treasure maps!

Through our phonics we are going to continue practising the digraphs and trigraphs we have learnt so far and reading even longer words!



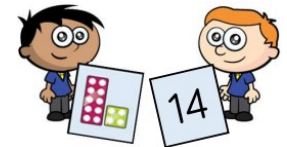
## Summer 1 topic:

### Ocean Treasure



## Maths

In our maths work this term we are going to be learning all about our numbers to 20 and beyond. We will be exploring how the numbers are made and different ways they can be represented, then move on to simple adding and subtracting. We are also going to continue our exploration of shape and pattern.



## Understanding the world (UfW)

This term our topic is all about the ocean. We will be learning all about maps, sea life and what it means to live on an island. We will also be finding out about what waterproof means and designing boats that float!



## Home Learning

It's great to hear about the children being excited about learning at home—Talk to your child about the ocean. What do they already know? Can you visit the beach or an aquarium with your child? We'd love to hear about your adventures!

Also, please remember to keep reading your child's phonics book at home!

## Personal, Social and Emotional Development (PSED)

PSED is all about relationships, covering areas around family, friendships and bullying.



## Expressive Arts and Design (EAD)

In music, we are going to explore different music, express how different music makes us feel and decide what sort of music we like and dislike. We will have a focus on funk music!

In Art and Design, we are going to be applying the skills we have been learning through the year. We will be using a variety of materials, tools and techniques to make our creations linked to our ocean theme. We will also be doing our bit for the environment by creating some artwork from plastic.

## Physical Development (PD)

This term, we will be working on our team work and sportsmanship through the topic of 'games'. We will develop skills of aiming, following instructions, coordination and working as a team.