

PIRATES

Badger Class Curriculum Map Summer 2023



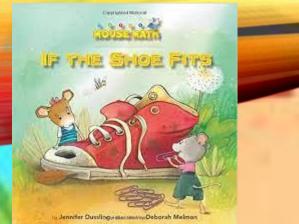
This term we will be combining our topic and English to become pirates! We will read lots of different pirate books and write a whole class sea shanty along with fact sheets about our pirate persona. We will giving ourselves seadog names and writing about our pirate adventures.

Share this book with the children to follow the pirate adventure.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QamzY39CT60

Enrichment: Parent Pirate workshop

Life skills: Listening skills, using imagination, story telling, acting out stories.



MATHS 'MY INDEPENDENCE' We can use lots of things to estimate how long things are....



multilink

hands feet

Coffee

In maths this half term we will be learning position and direction as well as length and height

We will be using standard and nonstandard measures to find the height and length of objects and people! At home you could do a height chart and then measure each other using nonstandard measures such as cars, blocks or pencils. We will be discovering the lengths of a pirate ship and other pirate related treasures.

Share the story below which explores nonstandard measures:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XsLz-icSu5g

Enrichment: Parent Pirate workshop



MONSTER PHONICS 'MY INDEPENDENCE'



Thank you for all the work you are doing at home to support the children reading. We are sending home word cards for the children to practice, they love it when they get them right! We will be sending home some books for the children to read and enjoy with you. The children's books will link to the phonics they are learning or need to revise. Please read with the children at home and record into their reading journal.

The children in Squirrels, Rabbits, Badger and Hedgehog will be put into 5 different monster phonics groups. The children will be in mixed groups and may move to a different class for their monster phonics session to allow them to have the space and resources they need. You can login to the monster phonics website at https://monsterphonics.com/

login:parent@saxonwood.hants.sch.uk

Password: SaxonWood*2022



PE 'ME AND MY BODY'

- In PE this half term, we will be focusing on how to play Goalball. Goalball is an exciting indoor, 3-a-side team sport, designed for people with vision impairment.
- The aim of the game is to throw the ball along the floor into the opposition's goal before then defending your own goal. The team with the most goals wins. To play goalball you use eyeshades. The use of eyeshades means that even fully sighted players can play too.
- The ball contains bells so players can track its movement via sound.

This half term we will be exploring our senses. We will begin to:

SCIENCE

'ME AND MY WORLD'

The Five Senses

Taste

- Understand that we have different ways of exploring the world and that often our senses work together to help us do that
- Explore the different senses through a range of activities
- Observe different things outside and describe what they smell like, look like and feel like
- Be aware of the meaning of the scientific language concerning senses
 Watch this little clip to explore your senses: <u>https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/p0118581</u>
 Enrichment: Badger garden centre plant sale.



GEOGRAPHY AND MUSIC

'ME AND MY WORLD

We will be combining Music and Geography this term based on the questions 'Why do we like to be beside the seaside?'

We will be exploring maps to find beaches and the seas. We will be making our own tray beaches and adding our favourite things such as buckets and spades and seashells. We will be constantly covered in sand I expect (sorry!)

We will be listening to music and sounds associated with the seaside and singing some traditional seaside songs and making up a sea shanty to link to our Pirates topic.

You can learn the song here:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FtHIM66x-FM

Enrichment: Parent Pirate workshop

PSHE/ART 'ME AND MY WORLD'

Wellbeing:

Using different art activities we will be giving children the opportunity to express their feelings in a safe. We are hoping to enhance the children's wellbeing and give them a sense of calm and achievement. We will use different medium such as painting, sewing, movement, paper art patterns and modelling. At the end of the term we will be holding a whole school art exhibition so the children can share their work with their families

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION 'ME AND MY WORLD'

Islam Celebration In RE, we will be focusing on 'Celebration' and what it means to different people. The children will explore the celebrations that are part of their lives, their peers and we will be learning about the celebrations in Islam such as Eid. We will end with our own celebration too!

Eid - Al - Adha