

## English

- Writing adventure stories about pirates and improving our knowledge of different word types: nouns, adjectives and verbs.
- Writing instructions for how to find treasure and learning about commands and how to identify different types of sentences.
- Understanding how to use adverbs in sentences to add more detail.
- Exploring some exciting poetry and learning one poem off by heart!

## Geography

- Identifying the countries, flags and seas of the United Kingdom on a map.
- Looking at the map of the world and sea where Captain Cook travelled
- Identifying the coast of the UK and plot a sailing route around it.
- Making treasure maps and learning

## Computing

- Learning how to log on and off, switch on and shut down computers.
- Understanding algorithms as instructions.
- Using simple algorithms.
- Debugging algorithms.

## Music

We will be developing our singing skills. We will be practicing rhythm and singing in tune.

## Maths

- Increasing understanding of numbers up to 100 including the value of each digit.
- Practising number facts for number bonds up to 20. E.g.  $11+2=13$ ,  $9+4=13$   $8+5=13$
- Improving addition skills and applying them to solve problems.
- Developing mental, practical and written subtraction skills.
- Count forwards and backwards in 2s, 5s and 10s.



“Land Ahoy!” Year 2

## Art and Design

- Observational drawings of boats learning how to accurately represent what we can see.
- Designing a pirate flag learning how to use a range of materials to make a product.

## Design and Technology

- Making model boats using recycled materials.
- Planning and choosing resources for effect.
- Evaluating our design and finished product.

## Science

- We will investigate the properties of materials. Which will float and which will sink?
- Exploring how much a boat or raft can hold before sinking.
- Investigating which shapes of plastecine make the best boats.
- Making predictions and explaining results.

## History

- Learning about important sea explorers from the past including Captain Cook.
- Using drama to explore what life was like on Captain Cook's boat.
- Understanding why Captain Cook's voyage was important.
- Comparing life in the past to life nowadays.

## P.E

In P.E we will be swimming every Monday.

## Religion

Christianity – What did Jesus teach?

## PSHE

- Thinking about “new beginnings”.
- Reflecting on the changes at school and our rights and responsibilities in our new school.