

Summer  
Term 2  
2025



# The Seaside

Year 1  
7 week






## What is it all about?

In this topic, your child will learn to talk about the seaside and holidays in the past and present.

The topic will start with the children sharing their holiday experiences.



## Curriculum Focus:

Subject:	Outcomes:	Vocabulary:
In History children will learn to: 	*identify objects from the past. *describe how holidays have changed over time.	seaside, beach, pier, train, bucket, spade, bathing hut, hokey pokey, donkey, Punch, Judy, cinema, moving picture show, bathing huts
In Geography children will learn to: 	*locate seaside places on a map. *describe human and physical features of a seaside.	coast, salt marshes, sluice gate, groyne, sand, shinge, rock, stones, café, boat, ship, lighthouse, shipping lanes, coastguard, tide, spit
In D.T. children will: 	* design and make a puppet by sewing pieces of material together.	join, design, purpose, staple, glue, sew, tape, scissors, thread, needle, stapler
In Computing children will: 	*create an information leaflet about Victorian seaside holidays using a computer programme.	text, image, type, mouse, letters, keyboard, keys, space, caps lock, save
In Art children will: 	*create a piece of artwork in the style of Andy Goldsworthy.	collage, natural materials, colour, shape, pattern, glue, stick

## Outcome:

To show what we have learnt, at the end of the topic the children will be able to talk about holidays in the past and present.

## Ways to support your child at home:

- ❖ Visit the beach and talk about the things you can see.
- ❖ Find out about a Grandparent's holiday from the past.
- ❖ Read 3 times a week with your child.
- ❖ Practise weekly spellings.

## In addition to the topic based learning outlined above, your child will also be learning the following:

In **English**: Children will write narratives to entertain and instructions to inform.

In **Maths**: Children will learn to recognise numbers to 100; count forwards and backwards from any given number; add, subtract and use simple multiplication and division.



In **R.E.**: Children will be learning about generosity and will be recognise the value of community to Hindus.

In **P.E.**: Children will be developing agility when chasing balls and improving static balances on the floor.

In **Art**: Children will be using collage to create work in the style of Andy Goldsworthy.



In **Computing**: Children will be learning how to use programmes to make a leaflet.

In **PSHE**: Children will learn that 'No Way Through Isn't True' in Heartsmart.



In **Science**: Children will explore different materials.

In **Music**: Children will be learning how to play Samba music.



## Important Dates:

Our trip to Lepe Beach will take place on **Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> June** (help needed).

More details to follow.



## The World

This half term our focus continent is:

**Europe**



## Focus Author:

This half term we are reading books by Catherine Rayner.

