



This week in MATHS:

Don't forget our non-negotiables –numbers have to be written the right way round. When you count objects you touch once and only once and say one number each time.

Explore different ways to build doubles using real objects and practical equipment. Provide examples of double and non-doubles for you to sort and explain. Use dominoes, can you find the doubles? Sit opposite a member of your family, hold up fingers, can your partner match you to make a double? **Play doubles**. Take turns to roll 2 dice and score a point each time they roll a double. The first to reach 3 points wins the game.

Use BBC Iplayer to watch an episode on Numberblocks daily. Concentrate on numbers 1-20. Series 2 Episode 9-Double trouble.

This week in <u>STEM</u>: Jelly fish salt painting

Use PVA glue on blue/green card and glue a jelly fish character. Whilst the glue is still wet, completely cover with salt. Leave to dry. When dry, use water colour paints to paint onto the salt. Explore colour mixing.

Understanding the World

Use Google Earth to identify how much water there is on the Earth. Do you know what the water is? (the sea!) Discuss what animals we already know that live in the sea and talk about the different ways you could gather information about these sea creatures, e.g. using the internet or books. Spend time throughout this week investigating different sea creatures, gathering facts.

Funky Fingers

Thread pasta tubes onto a length of string. Thread fruit onto a skewer to make your own fruit kebab for snack.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XAYhNHhxN0A

Our theme is:

The Sea

READING

Read a variety of books at home. Favourites can be repeated. We encourage children to read with their parents daily. Visit Oxford Owl for free E-Books linked to your child's book band.

Art/Design Technology:

Can you make a crab from a paper plate? You may need paper plates, orange/red paint/ wibble eyes, extra card and spit pins. Can you make the crab have moveable pincers using split pins?



Useful websites:

https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/ https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/ https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episodes/b08bzfnh /numberblocks



This week in ENGLISH/COMMUNICATION

AND LANGUAGE

Read Commotion In The Ocean or watch it here: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9pRhgZ8Jffs



Make a Zig zag book. Write facts about a choice of animals from Commotion in the Ocean story to create your own fact file. Reinforce capital letters, full stops, finger spaces, pen grip and cursive handwriting.

Phonics/Spelling:

Daily flashcard game (Beat the2 minute timer) Use all your phase 2/3 graphemes and tricky words. Practise phase 4 tricky words by singing along to the phase 4 tricky words songhttps://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3NOzgR1 ANc4

Practise daily name writing



Physical activity:

Discuss what happens to your body during and after exercise. Follow a rolling ball as closely as you can without touching it; Walk, run, skip.

Walk, run and skip with another person. Now do the above but stop the ball as quickly as you can on a signal from a partner or adult.

