

Ash Class
Year 2
Summer Term 2022

# **Creative Curriculum Focus:** Art and D.T.

This will be a very busy term in regards to our creative curriculum! In Art, the children will be learning about and using textiles techniques, such as weaving and colour dying, and they will be using their skills to create art work with a seaside theme. During Art Week, the focus will turn towards a 'bee' theme, as we apply some skills in sculpting. In D.T. the children will first be thinking about cooking and nutrition as they learn about making seaside snacks. Later in the term they will then move on to exploring windmills and how we can use an axle to make a windmill spin. The children will then be designing and making their own windmills. After half term, the children will listen, learn and play instruments to the 'Friendship Song' in our Music lessons.

# **English:**

We will start the term by looking at two fiction books: 'One Plastic Bag' and 'Somebody Swallowed Stanley'. Through these stories, we will explore environmental and recycling themes and we will begin to learn about persuasive language as we write letters and adverts.

Later on in the term, we will move on to have a nonfiction focus, as we create fact files and reports about sharks and other sea creatures.

We will also enjoy some stories about pirates as we head further into the term. We will explore the characters and write poems.



At The Seaside!

### **Mathematics:**

In Mathematics, we will be recapping and practising a range of mathematical learning. This will include looking at place value, number, calculations and problem solving. We will have a particular focus on developing our use of multiplication and division.

As we move through the term, we will be using our understanding of measures as we develop our practical skill in measuring length, capacity and mass.

#### **Science:**

In Science, the children will be learning about living things and their habitats. They will be thinking about what plants and animals need to survive.

#### **PSHCE:**

Within our PSHCE sessions this term, we will be thinking about our 'feelings and emotions' as well as making sure that we understand 'rules, rights and responsibilities'.

## **Physical Education:**

This term, we will preparing for May Day by learning a Maypole dance. Additionally, on Thursdays, the children will be developing their bat and ball skills with Jack.

# Computing: The children will be creating a stop motion video of one of their English texts, 'Somebody Swallowed Stanley'. Children will be working in groups and

directing their own film.