

English:

This half term we will be:

- Reading quality texts such as The Night Pirates and Princess Swashbuckle and using them to inspire our own writing
- Writing letters as well as stories
- Using –un at the start of a word to change its meaning
- Learning simple spelling rules such as the adding of –ing, –er, –est, –ed where no change is needed to the root word
- Becoming familiar with a range of punctuation

Spanish

This half term we will be:

- Learning how to say our age in Spanish
- Learning how to say classroom items in Spanish

Art & Design:

This half term we will be:

- Studying Claude Monet and painting our own inspired art work

Food Technology:

This half term we will be:

- Making Hardtack biscuits – biscuits used on voyages as they lasted a longer period of time

Humanities:

This half term we will be:

- Using simple sources to find answers to relevant questions
- Using maps and creating our own map symbols
- Learning about seasonal changes
- Making comparisons between then and now

PE:

This half term we will be:

- Developing skipping skills
- Learning to move to a beat in dance



Year 1 – Spring 2

Ahoy There!

To make this topic even more relevant, and ensure the knowledge sticks, we are visiting The Golden Hinde.

Science:

This half term our unit is “Animals Including Humans.” We will be:

- Learning and identifying names of a variety of common animals
- Grouping animals according to what they eat
- Describing the structure of common animals
- Looking at the human body

Maths:

This half term we will be:

- Learning about place value within 50
- Measuring length and height of different objects
- Measuring weight and volume of objects

Music:

This half term we will be:

- Singing pirate songs and playing musical games
- Having an introduction to percussion instruments
- Preparing for the Easter Service

RE:

This half term we will be studying two units: “Who are our Christian neighbours?” and “Why is Easter the most important festival for Christians?” We will be:

- Finding out how some of our Christian neighbours worship
- Asking if Easter is a happy or a sad time
- Learning about the Easter story

Computing:

This half term we will be sorting objects into different groups based on their properties.

PSHE:

This half term we will be:

- Learning about how to stay healthy
- Thinking about what a healthy lifestyle is and how to keep fit and active