

## English

- Stories with familiar settings.
- Consistent punctuation ! ? . A
- Grammar – synonyms, present and past tense
- Phase 5 Phonics/Spelling Patterns.
- High quality vocabulary.
- Good sentence structure
- Reading skills— developing strategies and skills for applying phonics to read words.
- Reading— developing their comprehension skills verbally.
- To verbalise their ideas using the correct grammar



## Fairisle Learning News

### Year 2 Autumn 1

Our learning adventure this half term is called Pirates!

## Mathematics

- Add or subtract a one-digit number to or from any two-digit number.
- Solve number puzzles and word problems and explain their methods. Apply skills taught to measures.
- Understand that addition and subtraction are inverses.
- Count on and back from any two-digit number in steps of 1, 2 and 10.
- Classify objects and numbers and organise them in lists and simple tables.
- Read, write and order two-digit numbers.
- Partition two-digit numbers and use this to solve problems.
- Know addition and subtraction facts for each number up to 10 then 20.
- Explore properties of 3-D solid shapes and 2-D shapes.



## Computing

E-safety—Lock it, Block it, Show it, Tell it

Purple Mash—How to change an avatar

- How to email children in their class
- How to complete assigned tasks
- How to keep a blog



## Music

- Explore and learn a range of pirate sea shanties.



## RE

- To understand the concept of bread as a symbol.



## Real PE

## PE

- Master basic movements including running, jumping, throwing and catching, as well as developing balance, agility and co-ordination, and begin to apply these in a range of activities.
- Footwork and how to use this in different activities.



## PHSE

- Learn about feelings and how to manage them.
- Use problem-solving skills when conflicts arise and to manage their own feelings by calming themselves down.
- Learn about the impact of kindness and unkindness; the impact of right and wrong and what fair and unfair means.
- Reflect on their emotions and share concerns through mindfulness.

## Science

- To plan and carry out an investigation linked to materials.
- Make predictions and record results.

## Art

To develop sketching and painting skills.



## Geography

- The 7 continents and 5 oceans in the world.



## History

- Learning about the history of pirates
- Looking at and comparing the lives of Sir Francis Drake and Grace O'Malley.



## Ways in which you can support your child's learning:

- Read with or to your child every day. The wider the range of materials the better. Ask them questions to ascertain their understanding.
- Practise your child's spellings with them.
- Find the difference between numbers and measurements.
- Sketch natural objects.
- Research famous pirates on the internet, with an adult and use information books.
- Practise typing on a computer—become familiar with the layout of a keyboard
- Name and describe different materials you see around you using similes and adjectives.
- Practise throwing and catching a ball

### Children's Websites:

- [www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies](http://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies)
- [www.learningenglishkids.britishcouncil.org](http://www.learningenglishkids.britishcouncil.org)
- BBC Bitesize
- Woodlands Junior School
- Topmarks Education
- [www.ictgames.co.uk](http://www.ictgames.co.uk)
- [www.storylineonline.net](http://www.storylineonline.net)
- [www.phonicsplay.co.uk](http://www.phonicsplay.co.uk)

We are focusing this half term on welcoming the children back after recent events and making sure they feel safe and happy whilst here.

We are spending time every day ensuring the children have a chance to reflect on their feelings and working on Mindfulness techniques and activities.

This half term has begun with us finding out what the children have remembered and what gaps we need to help them fill in order to move their learning forward.



**“Rights to be Safe”**

**“Right to learn”**

**“Right to be the best we can be”**

