



Wingham Primary School

Respect Inclusive Creative Hardworking

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## Curriculum Newsletter Term 3

### Literacy:

This term we will be reading 'The Pirates next door' by Jonny Duddle. We will be using adjectives to write sentences to describe both the characters and the pirate ship. We will continue to focus on saying our sentences before we write them and will use capital letters, full stops and finger spaces. We will also be reading non-fiction texts about pirates and will write about Blackbeard, Anne Bonny and Grace O'Malley.

### Maths:

We will be learning about numbers to 20. We will represent numbers, find one more/less, order and compare numbers. We will also add and subtract within 20 using practical resources to help us.

P.E is on **Tuesday (Yoga)** and  
**Wednesday (Kurling)**

Year 1

Unit: **Is a pirate's life for me?**  
Miss Gibbons, Mrs Braund & Miss  
Frost

### Wider Curriculum:

In art, we will be learning about Henri Matisse. We will learn about his famous collage called 'The Snail' and create our own. We will also learn about his seascape collages and create our own sea themed collage by cutting and tearing different paper. In Geography, we will be learning about continents and oceans. Each week we will be learning about a different continent or ocean to build up our knowledge. In history, we will be learning about famous pirates from the past. We will learn about the parts of the pirate ship, the food pirates ate, what they did and where they sailed. We will also be learning about the explorer Christopher Columbus.

### R.E: Christianity

We will consider and answer the question, 'Was it always easy for Jesus to show friendship?' To answer this, we will learn about some of the stories in the Bible.

### Computing

We will be learning how to stay safe online.

### Music

Our music topic for this term is called 'Under the Sea'. We will be learning musical vocabulary such as tempo and pulse.

### PSHE (Heartsmart):

We will learn about the importance of thinking about others as well as ourselves.



### Helping at home:

Please continue to read daily and practise reading and spelling the words which are sent home on a Friday. There will also be a spelling task on Emile each week.