

Ambition 1 – to be able to retell a narrative using ambitious vocabulary

- Comparing fiction and non-fiction books.
- Focus books for extended writing
- Developing language extending vocabulary.
- Using 'because' to give reason when explaining why.
- Rhyming words
- Mr Gumpy's Outing, Stuck in the Mud, Commotion in the Ocean Poetry, Pirate stories

Ambition 2 – to be able to confidently take risks

- Using a range of different materials and tools.
- Planning/Designing models before building them.
- Revisiting and refining models and label them.
- Junk modelling boats
- Floating and sinking investigation

Ambition 3 – to be a global green citizen

- Sea pollution and how we can work to help
- Sea animals
- Preparing and eating vegetables

Ambition 4 – to develop independence and take care of ourselves

- Embedding strong pencil control, developing writing skills
- Continue fine motor and gross motor skills e.g. playdough, threading, cutting, climbing and catching
- Use the outdoors e.g. playground, field for PE and large play
- Identifying different types of transport – road safety recap
- Healthy living – the need for sleep.
- E-safety

SUMMER FUN

RECEPTION SUMMER TERM



Ambition 5 – to celebrate a variety of cultures

- Seaside, holidays – comparing different places we have visited or have relatives from.
- Using new instruments and describing their different sounds
- Learning new songs
- Eid-al-fitr – visitors and activities
- American music area – compose and perform short pieces of music in time to American backing tracks

Why "Summer Fun?"

The Summer Term allows for further opportunities to work outside and the children will enjoy camping and beach day activities as part of their learning on holidays.

This term is a celebration of all the work completed so far this year and time to reflect on the learning journey the children have been on. The children will be taking part in Sports Day and beginning to prepare for their transition into Key Stage One.

Ambition 6 – to consistently use good manners

- Use words to explain feelings.
- Taking turns
- Teamwork challenges
- Transition activities