Oh I Do Like to Be Beside the Seaside (Year 1)

Novel Link: The Lighthouse Keepers Lunch WOW day:

As Geographers we will:

This term the children will study the coastline of the United Kingdom. They will name and label the oceans of the world and the continents. In our Geography lessons we will look at physical features including beaches, coasts, forests, hills, mountains, oceans, rivers, soil, valleys and vegetation.

As Artists we will:

In art we will explore the art of Vincent Van Gogh, learning about his life and the seascape paintings he created. We will also look into sewing a simple blanket stitch and weaving to create a pattern.

As Religious Scholars we will:

This term the children will be learning to identify what is important to us and compare this to our religious beliefs. We will ask questions about puzzling aspects of life and relate emotions to the experiences of religious figures.

As Scientists we will:

This term the children will study habitats of different animals. They will learn to identify and name common animals and sort them into groups. They will look at the structure of animals as well as simple food chains and whether an animal is a carnivore, herbivore or omnivore. Science lessons will also look at classifying into the categories of living, dead and never been alive.

As Writers we will:

This term the children will be focussing on capital letter and full stops. They will be learning to start a sentence with an upper case letter, use finger spaces between each word and end their sentence with a full stop. They will write stories set in places they have been and learn to sequence events.

As Mathematicians we will:

This term the children will be focussing place value to 10. They will be sorting and counting objects, as well as representing objects. They will be counting, reading and writing numbers from 0 to 10 forwards and backwards counting one more and one less. They will be comparing groups of numbers using the symbols for greater than, less than and equal to. In Maths the children will be able to order groups of objects, order numbers and use a number line.

As Historians we will:

In History lessons the children will explore events in their own lives. They will write dates and create a timeline using photographs of their own lives. They will use past language and vocabulary and begin to explore their family tree. Our history lessons will also look into seaside holidays through time.

This term the children will be focusing on games and gymnastics. In games they will develop their ball skills, playing games to develop an understanding of ‘team-mates’ and ‘opponent’s’. In gymnastics they will develop jumping in a variety of ways and landing with control and balance. They will be able to Copy and remember actions.

As Athletes we will: