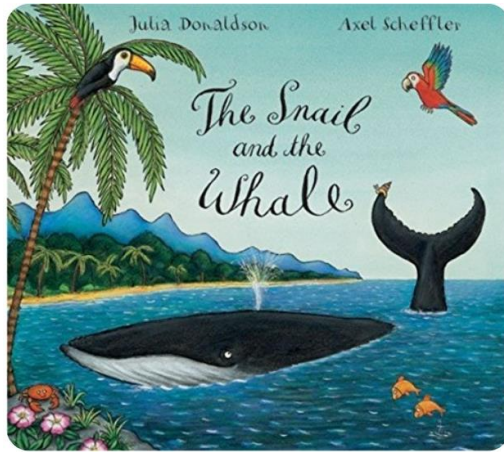


Year 1 - Under the Sea



Words we will use

continent, ocean, country, local, location, globe, atlas, map, material, waterproof, design, float, sink, mouse, keyboard, monitor, phoneme, grapheme, digraph, trigraph

Personal and Social

We will be focussing on settling into year one and establishing good routines for learning. In our class and Key Stage assemblies, we will be exploring the value of 'Hope'.

Building learning power

We will be developing the personal qualities of being independent and resilient learners who don't give up when things get tricky.

PSHE

In PSHE, we will be exploring how to build and maintain positive relationships. We will think about the people who care for us and how to care for others. We will discuss how to be polite and show respect to everyone around us.

PE

In PE, we will develop our fundamental movement skills through a wide range of activities. These include: running, skipping, hopping, jumping, throwing and catching.

As writers, we will be using our phonetic knowledge to write labels, captions and simple sentences based on 'The Snail and the Whale' story. We will practise saying our sentences before writing them and then checking them carefully when we have finished.

As readers, we will continue with daily phonics lessons to increase our confidence in reading unfamiliar words. We will enjoy reading a range of stories together as a class and in small group reading sessions. We will enjoy reading and retelling 'The Owl and the Pussycat' poem.

As mathematicians, we will develop our understanding of number and learn how to represent numbers in lots of different ways. We will order and compare numbers to 20 and begin to add and subtract, using practical resources to help us.

As geographers, we will ask 'big questions' about the world around us. We will learn about the 7 continents and 5 oceans using maps, globes and atlases. We will also explore the geography of our school and local area, creating 'messy maps' to show our understanding of places.

As designers, we will design our own boat, inspired by 'The Owl and the Pussycat'. We will explore existing boat designs and develop ideas for our own boat. We will choose the materials and tools we are going to use and explain the design choices we have made.

In RE, we will be exploring why Christians believe that God is the Father and why Christians pray.

As musicians, we will be using percussion instruments to retell the story of 'The Snail and the Whale'.