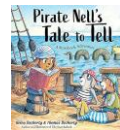
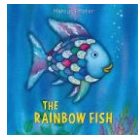


Reception Curriculum Details ~ Summer 2 2026

Welcome back to the final seven weeks of the school year. Where has the time gone?

Our theme this half term is 'Oh, I do like to be beside the seaside'. We will be meeting a young aspiring pirate called Nell from the story 'Pirate Nell's Tale to Tell'. We will have a strong D&T focus this half term as we consider which materials float and sink and how best to create our own boats. The term will start with the children freely using junk modelling to create ships and end with another junk modelling morning where their knowledge of waterproof materials and objects that float and sink will hopefully give them an improved model. Our other texts will include 'Rainbow Fish' and 'The Snail and the Whale'; both will link to our written and art activities.

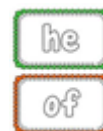


In RE we will be complete our final unit, 'Which stories are special and why?' We will be exploring, often acting out, a range of stories from the Bible.



In Maths (Mastering Number), the children will be revisiting and consolidating their learning and using rekenreks. They will be subitising, counting, comparing, calculating, looking at number patterns and practising number bonds. On Fridays, they will be following a White Rose Maths unit 'Visualise, map and build' which links to early map work.

We will teach the final three graphemes of our TTF Phonics scheme this half term. They will be shared with you via the children's reading diaries. We also have one more set of 'tricky words' to send home. We are so pleased with the children's growing confidence and enjoyment of reading. Books will be changed on Mondays and Thursdays, but please make sure they are brought to school each day in your child's bookbag.



In our Welly Wednesday (outdoor learning) sessions, we will enjoy learning outside in our newly developed Welly Wednesday area with our friends in Bumblebees. Many thanks to the PTFA members for all their work in our school grounds! The space is transformed!

PE will continue on Tuesdays. Our Get Set 4 PE unit is Games with a focus on transport. We will enjoy being outside each week learning rules to team games with Bumblebees. The children will continue their Balanceability sessions when the weather is fine.



'Show and Tell' takes place on Fridays. Children are welcome to bring one item from home to show their friends in circle time. It needs to fit into their book bag if they want to play with it afterwards. Every effort is made to keep things safe, but please don't send in anything too precious!



Dates for your diary:

Along with the Reception children from our cluster schools, we will be participating in the EYFS Music Festival at The Chantry on **Thursday 25th**



June. On **Monday 29th June**, Reception, Year 1 and 2 will be heading to the Birmingham Sea Life Centre. Our Sports Day is scheduled for the afternoon of **Wednesday 1st July** - we hope you will be able to come along to support the children! 'Move-Up Day' is on **Thursday 9th July**, when all the children spend the whole day in their new classes. The Y6 Leavers Service takes place on **Thursday 16th July** at 9am and all are welcome to attend.

As always, if you have any concerns, no matter how small, please do get in touch via reception@broadwas.worcs.sch.uk. We are looking forward to a busy and exciting end to the school year!

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