

Year 2 Home Learning Challenges

Here's a selection of homework ideas to support the topics we are covering at school. This homework is optional, but we strongly encourage our pupils to share their knowledge and ideas with adults at home so that we can all inspire a

Year: 2 Term: Summer Term Topics: Commotion in the Ocean

Speaking, Listening & Writing	If you could be any creature that lived in the ocean or on the coast, what would you be? Explain your reasons.	Thinking about your five senses, write a description about the ocean.	Guess what? Describe to a friend something you see at the coast or in the ocean. Can they guess what you are describing?	Go to the coast, sit down and close your eyes. Make a list of all the different sounds you can hear.	Write a poem about the ocean or coastline. Remember to use good adjectives for describing.
Problems, Science & Maths	variety of repeating	Use a variety of 2d shapes to create an underwater or coastal scene.	Make a boat that can float and successfully carry a number of Lego bricks. How many bricks could your boat hold?	Create a graph to show the types and amount of creatures, shells etc in a rockpool.	Investigate Why do some objects sink in freshwater and float in saltwater?
Art & Design	Paint a Puffy Bubble Wrap Octopus. https://www.artycraft ykids.com/craft/puffy -bubble-wrap- octopus/	Make a paper plate jelly fish.	Using materials of your own choice, design your own mermaid or King Neptune.	Take a pencil & sketchbook to the beach and thinking about line and shape, sketch what you can see.	How to draw a seagull https://artprojectsforki ds.org/draw-a- seagull-2/
Constructing & Creating	Eco Challenge Using a selection of natural materials, found at the beach, create a collage.	Using a box, create a fish tank or under water scene.	Using Papier- mâché, construct a coastal cliff with caves and stacks.	Construct a model of a coastal cliff with a lighthouse.	Create a rainbow fish by weaving.