



Seaside

Here is some of the vocabulary you might hear adults talk about.

sink	To fall or drop slowly to another level.
float	To rest on the surface of a liquid without sinking.
beach	The land at the edge of a lake, ocean, or other body of water.
past	Gone by in time.
present	Existing at this time.
life-cycle	The sequence of changes that a living thing goes through as it grows and develops.
melt	To change from a solid to a liquid state through heat or pressure.
tide	The flowing of water away from or back onto the land.
safety	The condition of being safe from danger.
emotions	A strong feeling such as joy, sadness, nervousness, or fear.

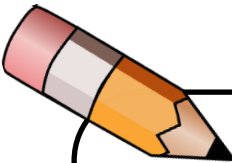
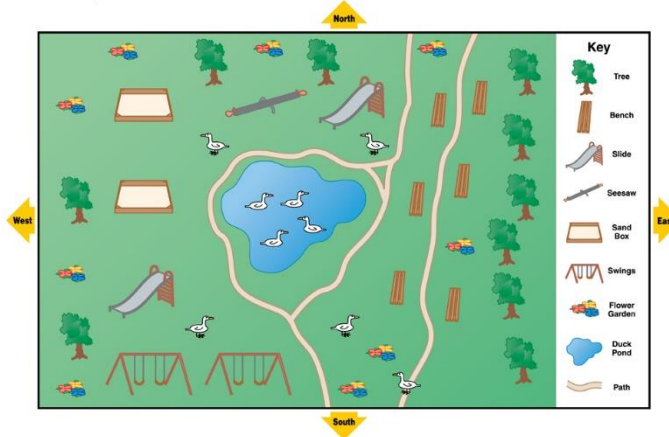


We will be exploring seaside holidays and discussing our own experiences of these. We will be comparing the beach today to seaside holidays from the past. Pupils will learn about water safety and how to stay safe in the sun and at the beach. Children will also experience a visit to Mersea Island.

In Maths we will be sharing and grouping objects through play. Pupils will learn about odd and even numbers and the concept of doubling. We will be recapping repeating patterns as well as using maps from stories and those of familiar places. We will also be teaching children preposition to describe where an object is.



Park Map



This half term we will continue our focus on writing captions, labels, simple sentences and challenging ourselves to write stories. We will be practicing our segmenting and blending skills to help with sounding out words.

In PSHE we will learn to identify different emotions in ourselves and other people and will begin to understand the different ways in which people verbally express and physically show emotions. We will explore what may cause emotions in ourselves and other people and how this can be different for different people. We will begin to develop an understanding of how our feelings affect the way we behave.



How can we help others when they need it?

We will explore why and how people ask for help. We will discuss how we can help others and learn how Jesus helped other people, through retelling bible stories. We will also explore how Christians help others as part of their Christian living.



In Music we will be learning to compose a three beat body percussion pattern and perform it to the beat. We will also be learning a traditional North American song called 'Bow, bow, bow, Belinda'. We will learn the song and dance, play on tuned and untuned percussion instruments, and compose and perform

Here are some of the texts we will be reading this half term!

