

English

Traditional Tales (including from different places)
Information/explanation texts
Poetry
Letter writing
Instructions

Theme Around the World in 80 days
Year Group 2
Term Spring

Maths

Weighing and measuring - making ship's biscuits.

Phonics

Phase 6

Communication

Information writing about explorers
Traditional stories from countries visited by explorers
Traditional tales – retelling and planning alternative versions – write their own version of a traditional tale
Poetry "Really Looking" – stars in the night sky – navigation
Talk for writing – Three Billy Goats Gruff
Talk for writing – How to catch a troll.

STEM

Changes of materials – stretching, squashing etc – suitability of materials for making a waterproof sailor's jacket - testing suitability of materials.
Cooking sailor's biscuits and a healthy alternative
Healthy eating/ exercise diet – link to sailors life/diet

Computing

Co1/1.1 Co1/1.2 Co1/1.3

FL

Algorithms and debugging a program

Science

Sc2/1.1 Sc2/1.2 Sc2/1.3
Sc2/1.4 Sc2/1.5 Sc2/2.3c
Sc2/3.1c

RE/ PSHE

RE

PSHE/1.1 PSHE/1.4

Time, Place and Being

Make a map of Gaywood using keys and symbols.
Name and locate the 7 continents and 5 oceans – use world maps and compass directions
Similarities and differences between locations – compare and contrast Gaywood to a location in Australia. Key features of localities
Identify countries and cities of the UK. Identify continents and countries visited by explorers.
RNLI – people who help us
Focus on explorers – Columbus and Vancouver (Americas)/ Cook (Australia)/ Scott (Antarctica)
Learn about locations visited by explorers around the world.
Life on board ship

Arts

Totem poles/ aboriginal art
Seascapes – Van Gogh/ Turner/ Katsushika Hokusai – Tsunami 1760
Bridge structures - strength testing
Collage Trolls
Music from around the world

Design Technology

DT1/2.1a DT1/1.4a

Geography

Ge1/1.1a Ge1/1.1b Ge1/1.2a
Ge1/1.3bii Ge1/1.4a Ge1/1.4b
Ge1/1.4c

Art

Ar1/1.1 Ar1/1.2 Ar1/1.4

History

Hi1/1.3 Hi1/1.4

PE

PE1/1.1a PE1/1.1b PE1/1.1c

Trips/ Visitors/ Wows

Museum trip – Kings Lynn Museum Explorers
Freshwater Theatre – crossing continents and oceans

Drama

Traditional tales – hotseating/
role play

Music

Mu1/1.1 Mu1/1.2 Mu1/1.3

Product

Our Wonderful World book