



Temple Hill
Primary Academy

Parent Planning



We are learning to...

w/c 19/02/2024

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

This week, we will discuss how to look after the oceans. We will link this to our school values of responsibility and respect.

At home

Talk to your child about pollution and why it is bad. Discuss ways we can look after our local environment, e.g. recycling, not littering and walking instead of driving when we can.

Communication and Language

This week, we are learning about the beach. We will be talking about what we find at the beach and what we can do there.

At home

Have you ever been to a beach?
What did you do there? What did you see?

Physical Development

We are moving with rhythm to music this week. We will learn to dance to different tempos and control our movements.

At home

Can you have a dance party? You and your child could take turns in leading the dance, with the other copying the movements. Mix the music up with a variety of tempos.



English

This week, we are reading *The Singing Mermaid*. We will be discussing sea creatures and the beach. We are focusing on answering questions about the book and writing about it.

At home

Draw your own beach scene and label it. Remember to include lots of animals and beach activities, and to use your phonics for your writing.

Maths

This week we are learning about shapes and patterns. We will be revisiting 2D and 3D shapes and recalling their properties. We will then identify and create repeating patterns using 2D shapes.

At home

Can you go on a shape hunt and find as many 2D and 3D shapes as you can? Can you spot any patterns in your house? Can you make your own repeating pattern and challenge your adult to continue it?

Word Aware

These are the words we are learning this week taken from our text, *The Singing Mermaid*:

swished, shore, flapped,
glee, circus, marble and
acrobat.

Reminders

- PE kit: white top, black trousers/shorts, black or red jumper and black shoes every Tuesday.
- Class photos this week
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