Autumn Newsletter

This Class one's newsletter, these will be sent out every 2 weeks as this is when will start a new story focus.

We hope you had a lovely summer and our looking forward to starting Nursery and Reception at Antrobus.

This half term we are getting know each other and our topic is under the sea. See attached for areas of learning and activities.

PE

Pe is on a Friday in our lessons we will be practising our listening skills to follow instructions to move in different ways. Children will come to school in their PE kit.

Jo Jingles

On a Thursday morning we will have our Jo Jingles session. This is a really fun hands on music experience for the children to join in with singing and playing different instruments.

Please share those wow moments with us so we can add them to our wow wall.

If you have questions don't hesitate to catch me of a morning or afterschool whilst I am on the door.

Regards

Mrs Almond and Cheryl
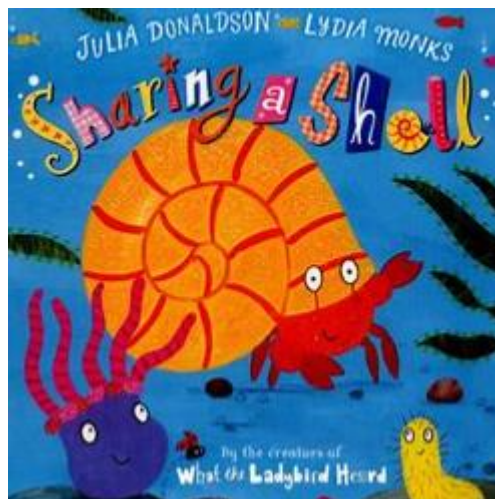
UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD

- Naming sea creatures and investigating their habitats
- Investigating the impact of rubbish in the oceans – how could this be dangerous for sea life?
- Look on a map and find the location of your nearest beach. How would you get there? How long would the journey take?

EXPRESSIVE ARTS & DESIGN

- Design and make a new home for the three creatures to share.
- Fish paper plate
- Singing sea creature songs
- Listening to sea sounds and exploring how it makes us feel

Physical development

- Use construction are and design and make a new home for the three creatures to share.
- Moving in different ways listening to instructions
- Negotiate space.
- Move slowly and fast then freeze

LITERACY

- Listening for and discussing rhyming words
- Freeze frame characters feelings
- Talk about the characters
- Continuing a rhyming string
- Drawing and labelling sea creatures
- Writing CVC words

PERSONAL, SOCIAL & EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- If you had to live in a shell, would you share it?
- Do you think it is important to share?
- Is there a 'moral' to this story? Does it teach us anything?
- Think about people who help you. What do they do? What can you do to help them?

COMMUNICATION & LANGUAGE

- Stick puppets of the characters to re-tell the story
- Discussing our favourite parts of the story.
- Exploring new vocabulary and meaning.