

# Purple Seahorses



Dear Parents and Carers,  
The class team would like to welcome you all to the first summer half term this year!  
We hope you have all had a lovely Easter.  
Here is our curriculum map for our topic leading up to the end of this half term. We are looking forward to another exciting half term!

Best wishes,  
The Purple Seahorses team!

## As Mathematicians.....

We will be learning all about Time, Length and height & Mass and Capacity.

## In speech, language and communication...

We will explore speech sounds whilst developing our expressive, receptive and pragmatic language skills.

## As Athletes we can/ we will...

Explore and develop our games and fundamental physical skills and working co-operatively with our peers in team games and activities.

## As scientists...

We will explore light! Where does it come from? Why do we need it? How can we be safe in the sun? What happens when we block out light?

## As Writers and readers we will...

Be learning how to listen to and enjoy a range of books and stories by exploring fictional and non-fictional texts. We will be learning new vocabulary and using this vocabulary in our work throughout the term.

We will be revisiting writing narratives and explore the book 'Lights on Cotton Rock'. We will also be exploring instructions whilst we learn how to make light puppets!

## As Computer technicians...

We will be learning about e-safety and we will use computers and iPads to support our learning about our Big Question.

## As Musicians...

We will be following the Charanga programme and learning how music can be used to express and represent us.

## In Life skills....

We will be learning all about our relationships.

## Big Question:

### Why do we wear sunglasses?

## Sticky words for this half term:

**Light, Dark, Reflection, Shadow, Opaque, Translucent and Transparent**

## In Religious Education...

We are exploring how and why we care for others in the world.

## In PSHE...

We will be following the Jigsaw curriculum and exploring how to keep ourselves safe within our communities.

## In Art and Design we will...

Be developing our mark making skills through a multi-sensory and multi-media approach.

We will also be taking inspiration from artists to develop our own art.