Medium Term Overview and Key Skills

St. Aldhelm Class

Term: Summer Term

Date: 4th April 2018

<u>Maths</u>

- To count objects reliably and understand place value.
- To compare the value of two numbers.
- To order numbers from lowest to highest.
- To partition numbers.
- To solve word problems.
- To measure mass in grams.
- To compare capacity and temperature.

Writing

- Make an information book about Captain Cook.
- Plan and write a story using a painting of a boat as a stimulus.
- Look a real pirates from the past. Create your own pirate and write about what he/she looks like, says, likes and dislikes.
- Find out about the role of the RNLI and write a poem about a sea rescue.
- Look at a large scale map of the UK. Image you are a sailor writing a postcard about the area you have docked.

Reading

- Read a range of information books to find out about life at sea in Captain Cook's day.
- Make a detailed drawing for a typical ship of Cook's day using information books and diagrams.
- Listen to and read the story of Grace Darling.
- Read about the role of the RNLI on websites and leaflets.
- Read postcards from sailors describing the different places they have visited.

<u>P.E</u>.

- Swimming for Year 2 continues every Tuesday.
- Sport Day practise
- Athletics

<u>Our learning gems!</u> <u>Topaz</u>

Topaz Power gives us the opportunity to learn to:

Know when it's best to work in larger groups. Take turns to share our ideas Ask each other questions so we know our ideas have gone into each other's heads. Make sure if someone needs help with an idea, we give them ours.



Land Ahoy!



Religious Education

Pentecost and Mission Describe the aspects of the coming of the Spirit as told in John's Gospel. Describe some ways in which the disciples responded to the Holy Spirit. Sacraments Name 7 sacraments and symbols of the sacraments. Give one reason why The Eucharist is important to Catholics.

Art and DT

- Make a boat with moving parts.
- Design a pirate flag.
- Create a lighthouse with simple circuits to make the lamp light up.
- Work outdoors to make a rescue raft.

Science

- Look at different images of boats identifying and naming the materials from which they are made.
- Explore the properties of different materials to see which float and which sink.
- Explore which shapes float best by moulding and reshaping a lump of plasticine.

Geography/history

- Identify seas of the UK using maps and satellite imagining.
- Locate a world map and help Captain
 Cook plan his journey around the world.
- Find out about some famous sea explorers.
- Use a range of information books and the web to find out more about famous pirates.