

## English:

Learners will explore diary writing, learning to express thoughts, events and feelings clearly while linking ideas to their class book.

Reading continues to develop skills in retrieval, inference and analysis using the Spring 1 texts. Speaking and listening activities focus on sharing ideas, responding appropriately and presenting information confidently.



## Healthy Lifestyles:

PE focuses on invasion games, teamwork and applying game strategies such as creating space, dribbling and passing. Swimming sessions build toward individual targets, developing confidence and technique while linking skills to water based movements. Activities highlight ocean themed movement challenges to build strength, coordination and stamina.



## Technologies:

Learners safely research underwater environments online, learning to recognise misleading information and practise privacy awareness. ICT tools are used to explore marine simulations, sequence ocean processes and create simple digital presentations. In Design & Technology, pupils design and build ocean themed models using safe handling of materials and applying imaginative choices about structure and detail.



## Maths:

Learners study measure (length, weight, height, capacity) and time, including analogue/digital clocks and durations. They apply these skills to meaningful tasks such as interpreting timings and comparing measurements linked to the ocean topic. Problem solving encourages making choices and suggesting solutions, especially around environmental change and ocean protection.



Formal SEND Curriculum - KS3  
Topic Web: Spring 2

# Topic: Blue Abyss



## My Creativity:

Art explores underwater observational drawing, clay creatures, seascapes and natural patterns inspired by ocean environments. Music introduces composition and soundscapes that represent underwater settings using rhythm, timbre and technology. Dance and drama focus on movement inspired by sea creatures, choreographing ocean layer dances and creating sensory submarine journeys.



### Key Texts:

Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone, Percy Jackson and the Lightning Thief, Who Let the Gods Out?



## Our World (Science & History):

Science focuses on body systems, exploring breathing, circulation and how the body responds underwater through pressure, oxygen needs and healthy habits. Geography covers weather and seasons, investigating how climates, storms and temperature changes affect the ocean and marine environments. Learners use observations, maps and weather recording tools to describe environmental patterns clearly.



## Careers and Independence:

Learners explore careers linked to oceans, including marine biology, conservation, tourism and water safety roles. They work independently or in groups on structured tasks that build teamwork, communication and responsibility. Skills such as hygiene routines, appropriate dress and workplace safety are embedded to strengthen employability awareness.



## Identity and Wellbeing:

Learners explore puberty and body awareness, understanding physical and emotional changes using correct anatomical vocabulary. Lessons promote body confidence, respect, and safe, inclusive discussions tailored to individual cognitive needs. Learners learn how changes differ for biological males and females.

