

Prime areas of learning:

Communication and Language ELG 1/2/3

- **New vocab:** treasure, desert island, ships, cannon, chest, map, walking the plank.
- Role-play as pirates, mermaids, Peter Pan, Captain Hook.
- Make and look at treasure maps using positional language.
- Learn pirate words and phrases.
- Can you talk like a pirate.
- Play buried treasure with phonic sounds and HFW.

Physical development ELG 4/5

- Make a pirate ship to play in.
- Set up a plank to balance on - walk along/jump off.
- Use play dough with gems etc.
- Dress up and act and play like pirates.
- Go on a treasure hunt.
- Play 'Pirate says...
- Go digging for gold in sand.
- Go paddling in water.

Personal, social and emotional development ELG 6/7/8

- Talk about pirates lives - did pirates always do good? Discuss stealing, the rights and wrongs of pirate's life.
- Talk about pirate's diets - relate back to own diet and how we keep healthy.
- Treasure hunt teams games - working in a team altogether.
- Working together to make a ship.

Pirates



Specific areas of learning:

Literacy ELG 9/10

- **Text ideas:** How I became a pirate, Pirate Pete, My Granny is a Pirate, The night Pirates.
- Write instructions for how to find treasure.
- Write a diary as a day in the life as a pirate.
- What would you need to pack for a pirate adventure?
- Design your own or become your own pirate character.

Mathematics ELG 11/12

- Use positional language for moving around a treasure map.
- Count the treasure that you have found.
- What shapes can you find on a pirate ship?
- Sort treasure into different groups.
- Look at repeating patterns of different flags.

Understanding the world ELG 13/14/15

- Water play investigations - objects sink or float.
- Make boats- can you make your boat travel?
- Look at properties of sand and what happens when we add differ things to it.
- Where did pirate travel to?
- Look at oceans on the globe/atlas.
- How did Pirate know where to go - looking at navigation.

Expressive arts and design ELG 16/17

- Make a pirate chest and treasure.
- Design and make own pirate flag.
- Make ginger bread pirates.
- Make own pirate clothing.
- Sing songs about Pirates.