



## Reception Weekly Focus

Week Beginning: 24th June 2024

This week we continue with our topic 'Under the Sea'. We will be working towards using a green screen to present some of the facts we have learnt so far in our topic.

In RE we will start our new topic of prayer, learning about how and why we make prayers to God.

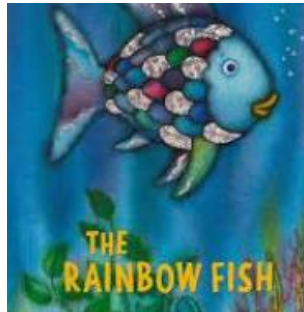
In maths our topic will continue with money. We will be counting coins, recognising different coins and paying for items. We will be working towards counting a mix of coins and giving change to 10p.

**Focus words this week:** change (money), green screen, present, confidence

Talk about the words and what they mean. Can you use these words within a sentence throughout the week?

### Focus Story:

Rainbow Fish



### Rhyme of the Week:

Sea shanty



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ByJZTmI4sLw>

### Maths Focus:

Money



Children could practise by counting out pennies to pay for their own sweets at the shops or pennies in a jar.

Here is a fun game that you can play with your child-

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/money/toy-shop-money>

### Story Time

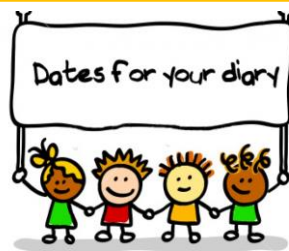
Reading books will be changed throughout the week.

1000 story books will be changed on Mondays this half term.



**This week the children will:**

- Play in our new under the sea role play area
- Shoe box scenes - under the water themed
- Learning some new poems and rhymes
- Writing messages in a bottle
- Listening and sharing stories about Jesus
- Learning which coins we need to make different amounts
- Role Play shop
- Counting and making amounts using pennies and two pence pieces.
- Writing information about sea animals
- Learning some new poems and rhymes.
- Writing and making up stories about the sea.
- Creating our own news documentary about the oceans



**Saturday 29th June** Parish Mini Fair & BBQ from 12.30pm – 3.30pm, Mass at 4pm

**Tuesday 2nd July** Class music performances for parents – all welcome 9.15am – Performances by Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 classes  
2.30pm- Performances by Years 3 – 6

**Wednesday 3rd July** Confirmation Mass at St Joseph's, Wolverhampton 7pm

**Friday 5th July** Reception visit to Sealife, Birmingham

**Monday 8th July** Sports Day for Nursery, Reception, Year 1 & Year 2, starting at 9.15am – Parents welcome

**Tuesday 9th July** Sports Day for Years 3 – 6, starting at 9.15am – Parents welcome

**Wednesday 10th July** Reception Parents workshop 2.15pm

**Friday 12th July** Transition Morning – children spend time in their new classes.

**Friday 12th July** New Reception Children Stay & Play with Parents 9.30 – 11am

**Friday 12th July** Nursery Stay & Play for new starters 9.30 – 11am

**Friday 12th July** Pupil Reports Sent Home

**Wednesday 17th July** – Leavers Mass

**Friday 19th July** Break up for summer