

Literacy

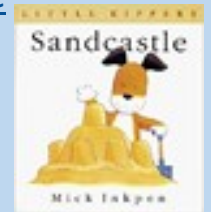
- Time for an ice cream party!
- Make party invitations.
- Draw and colour in the ice creams you would like to have at your party. Can you hear and maybe have a go at copying or tracing the first letter sound for each ice cream flavour.
- What words can you rhyme with shell, fish, sand and sea?



Book Recommendation

Little Kipper's Sandcastle

by Mick Inkpen



Seaside

Expressive Art and Design

- Design your own sandcastle. Draw a picture of what you would like your castle to look like. What would you use to decorate it? If you're lucky enough to have some sand, you could have a go at making your design! Make a flag to go on top.
- Paint or draw a picture of a seaside. Look at photos on internet.
- Do you have any shells/stones? You could make a pattern with them.

These activities are cross-curricular. That means they will support learning in other areas including the Prime areas; Communication and Language, Personal, Social and Emotional and Physical Development. Encourage your child to make their own suggestions, develop and change their own ideas and find ways of solving problems they encounter. This supports the development of the Characteristics of Effective Learning.

Maths

- Ice cream maths with pom-poms, small cherry tomatoes or grapes. Cut out some ice cream cone shapes from paper & write a number on each one. Give the children some kitchen tongs to move the pompoms, tomatoes or grapes to make ice cream scoops on top. Extend by adding 1 or 2 more scoops and saying the total or adding 2 ice creams together.

Understanding of the World

- Make your own frozen smoothie ice lollies. Talk about the changes that occur. Instructions here.
[Family Food Tube](#)
- Find out about animals that live at the seaside e.g. crabs, fish, seagulls etc. Look at books, YouTube and the internet. You could draw pictures of the different animals and learn facts about them.