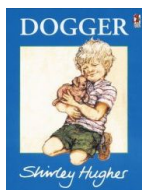
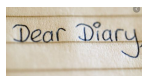


Week 17 (13/7/2020) Theme: We're all going on a summer holiday - KS2 (Yr3/4 & Yr5/6)

English	Creative - (Subjects included - Art, Music, Design & Technology)
When you go on a holiday you normally take lots of photos and might make a photo album when you get home. Why don't you go on a pretend holiday in your garden, home or local area. You can stage some photos ; sunbathing, swimming/paddling, eating icecreams or dinner out, good views, family shots, cool wildlife etc Then print them and make an album writing down information - who/where/when/ what for each. If you are unable to take/print photos you can draw them instead. Write a diary entry for a holiday of your dreams. Where will you go? what will you stay in? what will you see? What will you do? Who will you be with? Shirley Hughes is an author and illustrator, you may recognise some of her books and paintings. She wrote a poem about the seaside, you can read it here. Let it inspire you and see if you can write a poem about being at the beach. You could list all the things you may do there first to help. Or perhaps you could write an acrostic poem for HOLIDAYS? Descriptive writing - Go for a paddle. This could be in the sea, a river, a stream, a bucket or even a bath. Take off your shoes, roll up your trousers and dip your toe in. Then be brave and submerge your whole foot, then your other one. Close your eyes and really concentrate on the feeling of the water touching your skin, what do you hear, taste, smell? Is there mud between your toes? is it squidgy? Write a description, see if you can vary your sentence structure and include some fronted adverbials and relative clauses, use a range of verbs, adjectives and adverbs, you might add some alliteration or a simile or metaphor. Paint a picture with words. You may want to write a description of a whole setting (beach, coast, forest, river) you could do this from memory or if you are able you may want to go out and experience it first. Take a pad to jot down words and descriptions and feelings, use all your senses. You could watch this bbc lesson with Steve Backshall here. Or you could dip into or follow a whole weeks lessons on "setting description" on the oak academy site (year3, year 4, year 5, year 6 - you may need to scroll	Beach towels come in all kinds of bright colours and designs. Can you design one? Design an ice cream sundae! What flavour ice creams, which go well together, what sprinkles, any sauces? Draw a picture, label it, photograph it, make it, eat it, review it and don't forget to name it. Or perhaps with adult supervision you could make ice cream ready for the summer holidays https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hK2oBdThKvw or lemonade to quench your thirst on hot days https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=47yWJtF3X9I Design and build a sand castle. If you don't have any sand or can't get to any you could use stones or other natural things including mud! I have made some great mole hill sand castles in the park. Or you could make one from cardboard watch this Mr Maker video to help you. Cliff Richard and the Shadows released a song called 'We're all going on a summer holiday' in 1963. Listen to it here https://youtu.be/am5VNGSDpdl Do you like the song? Can you sing along? Is it still relevant for today? Would you change anything if you were going to write a song about a Summer Holiday? Have an imaginary summer holiday. Everything you need to stage your own (including songs) is here: Let's All Go on a Summer Holiday Music Festivals can be a big part of a Summer holiday. You might like to watch an online festival, plan or stage your own festival that could happen in your garden over the summer. Check out SingUp at home for some songs that you could sing. https://www.singup.org/singupathome



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or lemonade to quench your thirst on hot days

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=47yWJtF3X9I>

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down to find the right unit of descriptions).

I hope you take part in the **summer reading challenge** that the library runs, here is a [link](#) to join. I find choosing books so difficult. Could you recommend some of your favorite books you have read recently. You could make a top 5 list, or write a review or a video. Why did you like it? Where was it set? What were the characters like? How did it make you feel?

Become a tour guide for the day. Perhaps you could be one of the guides who stands on the top deck of an open double decker bus? Choose one of your favourite places to visit or research somewhere new and make a list of all the things you would need to tell your fellow passengers about. Perhaps you could make a virtual tour guide? Or record yourself speaking?

Where does the word 'holiday' come from? Take a look at how our summer holiday came about and find out about its origins. Are our summer holidays too long or not long enough? Which other countries have children on summer holiday for five weeks or longer? This has been a topic of much discussion for many years. Look at this clip to see other people's points of view:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/17561790>

What are you looking forward to in the new school year? Which class will you be in next year? Write or create something to impress your new teacher or tell them all about you.



This year we expect that a lot of families will go camping on their summer holiday. Pretend that your family has assigned you the task of assembling all the camping gear ready to pack into the car. What will you take? Will it all fit in? What is deemed essential and what would be a luxury? Can you draw a picture to show what you will take?

Or maybe your family will go to stay at a Holiday Camp where you will be assigned the job as camp entertainer? What things could you do to keep the families entertained for the duration of their stay? Can you design a poster to promote what is up and coming? Or film yourself entertaining everyone.

Yurts are a glamorous way to go camping. Can you design the interior of your yurt and include all the luxuries that people would hope to find inside?

Become a holiday tour operator and design a brochure to promote your holiday destination. Will it be a resort exclusively for children, animals or families? Will it be in this country or abroad? Look at this website to get some ideas. <https://www.tui.co.uk/brochures/>

Create a beach in a bottle. Watch this clip for ideas:

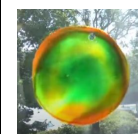
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sogR0_t5xc4

We will hopefully get some sunshine over the summer holidays - make a suncatcher to trap the sunlight!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RDz3sPp862A>

Make a sundial and use the sun to tell the time

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Gxo8orZ1X7g>



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Go Noodle on Youtube: LINK Cosmic Kids Yoga on Youtube: LINK Joe Wicks school workouts: LINK What games do you play on the beach? Bat and ball, cricket, running, jumping and sliding down sand dunes, petanque, kubk, get the stone in the bucket, fastest one to build 5 perfect sandcastles, scavenger hunt, skimming stones, or simple throw and catch. Visit a beach or a park or play in your garden. Pretend you are on holiday and play some of these games. Or if you have others do share with us. As you are aware, our Year 6s are leaving to go on to secondary school in September. Normally, we sign shirts and autograph books to wish them well. Do you have a special message or a special goodbye for all our Year 6s that you would like us to put on the website? Can you make it eye catching and illustrate it? Or perhaps create a song for them? Remember to add your name so that they will know who has sent it. Or you could write a prayer or a poem for them. At this time of the year, we would be hosting our Sports Day. Can you recreate your own Sports Day? Design your own activities and get your family involved! Will you have a cup for the overall winner at the end?	We have been very impressed by how much MyMaths work is being done and we are giving feedback, so take a look under 'scores' and you will see our comments at the bottom. Don't forget - if you need help - just email us at: year34@allsaintsprimaryschoolmaldon.co.uk or year56@allsaintsprimaryschoolmaldon.co.uk Keep going on your MyMaths tasks. Remember to have more than one go on a task to see if you can beat your score. In England our currency is pounds £, choose some other countries and find out what their currency is. Can you find out the exchange rate for converting between pounds and Euros, pounds and US dollars. What others can you find out? You could set it out in a table. It's a very important skill to have when going on a holiday. Why not try this currency conversion online quiz here. Probability: how many different outcomes? Choose 3 flavour ice creams (eg: vanilla, chocolate and strawberry). If you could have a cone with different combinations of scoops, how many could there be? All three scoops the same, different orders.... You could present your results pictorially or in a table. VVV CCC SSS VCS How many different outcomes are there if you were allowed four scoops, or 5 scoops, or 6 scoops? Is there a pattern?

History - Victorian seaside. Listen to this audio [clip](#) of a diary of a child in 1894. How are our seaside holidays different to holidays in Victorian times? Think about how they travelled to the seaside, what they wore, what they did. Imagine you went back in time and found yourself on a beach with some children from Victorian times. What would you ask /tell them? What adventures might you have?

Many of us like to visit the beach when we go on holiday but have you ever wondered how beaches are formed? There are lots of videos about coasts such as on BBC bitesize.

Can you find out some of these geography words linked to beaches : stack, arch, cliff, erosion, wave, longshore drift

See if you can find something out about Durdle Door (it's not a real door!) , Old Harry Rocks. Where are they? What are they? How were they formed?

Can you present in any way you like how beaches are formed? Have a look at this great website on geography and coasts - [LINK](#)

Can you make a model of a coast to show how cliff erosion can form an arch, then stack, then stump. (Like old Harry) . There is an example of this website using clay but you could use plasticine or playdough.

If you scroll further down the page on the above website there is an example of a comic strip to show the formation of these coastal features. Maybe you could create your own comic strip using drawings or photos of your model.

Many young people get a summer holiday job such as fruit picking . Look at this website and learn more about Londoners, in days gone by, who spent their holidays hop picking in Kent.

<https://mashable.com/2017/06/03/hop-pickers/?europe=true#:~:text=Hop%20pickers%20use%20stilts%20on%20a%20farm%20at%20Waterbury%20in%20Kent.&text=The%20flowers%20of%20the%20hop.cop%20of%20the%20Kent%20area.>



Help! My ice lolly is melting!

How can you stop ice melting? Can you investigate by carrying out an investigation to see which materials work well for preventing ice from melting? Try to set out your investigation carefully with a clear aim, what you will do , your predictions , your results and then your conclusion. What did you find out? Can you use scientific vocabulary - particularly insulator and conductor of heat?

We often like to go to the seaside for our holidays. Now is your chance to explore marine habitats. What creatures live in the sea? Choose one to focus on and create a report about them with lots of pictures. Are any marine animals endangered? Why and what can be done to protect them?

You might like to explore the environmental impact of plastic in our marine environments . You can start by reading [this](#) article in the National Geographic Kids. Another website to use is [Kids Against Plastics](#). Could you design a poster or a leaflet to persuade people to use less plastic and to recycle more to prevent so much plastic getting into our oceans and on our beaches?

You can learn lots about the wildlife we have on our beaches from the charity The Wildlife trust. On their [website](#) there are spotter sheets and guides to rock pooling and crabbing.

Another charity which looks after our wildlife is the RSPB which has an informative website. [Here](#) is a link to the cliffs and beaches section. Do some research on our wonderful coastal birds. Learn some facts and teach someone about it. What about doing some research into what birds we get in the Blackwater Estuary. Have you ever spotted an information board with possible birds you may spot down at the water's edge at the prom? Why not take the time to sit quietly and spot some? You could try and photograph them or draw/paint them.



France is popular for summer holidays.

What are the names of the different seas bordering France?

On a map of France locate:

Where is the longest beach? Can you find a photo?

Where is the most beautiful beach? Can you find a photo?

What are the names of the two main mountain ranges?

Name the highest mountain in France. Can you find a nice photo of it?

If you prefer the countryside, where would you go?

One region is very well appreciated by English people, its name starts by a D, ends with an E and contains 2 Os and 2 Ds. Can you work it out?

There is lots of great information, facts and activities on this [website](#). Why not try some of the activities out or learn some facts and make a quiz to test your family, friends or teachers. You could make up your own Kahoot quiz.

Go on a Summer wildflower hunt and take a camera, sketchbook and paints with you to record what you see. How many different wildflowers do you recognise?

Research and explain how the season of summer happens at different times in the northern and southern hemispheres.



Watch BBC information videos about rock pools [here](#), what you can find in them [here](#) and the survival techniques of the creatures in them [here](#). Could you draw and label a diagram of a rockpool or go and visit some in real life and take some photos and try and identify the different creatures found.

Create a poster about being safe in the sun. Think about the precautions that we need to take in order to remain safe.

There are many voluntary institutions around the country that work hard to keep us safe. Research the work done by the RNLI. Why is this institution important to us all and particularly during the summer holidays?

It is Bastille Day on 14th July 2020. Can you create your own celebrations at home? In school, you would make bunting, be tasting French-style food, singing songs and playing games such as petanque. Take a photo and send it in! Or maybe you would like to hold an end of term celebration instead? What games will you play? Can you make party food and design paper hats?

If you want to play petanque, watch the video below:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ljmLFKIVHlk> Bonnes Vacances!

