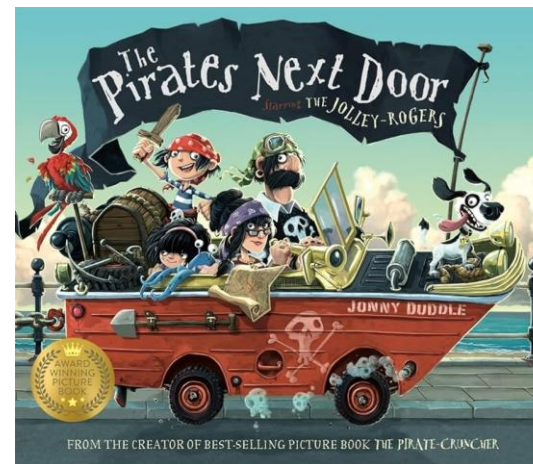


# Where is the treasure buried?

Year 1 and Year 2

Summer 1

2026



<p><b>Week 1</b></p>	<p>In <b>English</b>, Squirrels class will have a group discussion where they share their Easter break adventures. They will learn how to use the suffix 'ed' to write in the past tense. The children will plan and write a recount of their Easter break using time conjunctions, such as first, next, then and finally. The Hedgehogs will begin reading John Condon's <i>The Pirates are coming!</i> The children will begin to imagine what life is like on the sea as a pirate and explore the features of a letter in a bottle. The Shrews will begin reading 'Pirates Next Door' and start to make inferences about the characters. They will look at the features of a story opening and use evidence in a text to describe a character. Squirrels will talk about what they got up to over the Easter break and write a recount about it.</p> <p>In <b>Maths</b>, year 1 children will start the unit on measure, focusing on comparing lengths and heights. They will also complete the end of unit test for place value within 50. The Y2 Hedgehogs will explore length and height, learning how to measure in centimetres and metres, compare and order lengths and heights, and solve two-step problems. The Shrews will start learning about fractions and look at parts and the whole and equal and unequal parts. They will also learn to recognize and find a half. Squirrels will start their new unit on measure, focusing on comparing lengths and heights, measuring using objects and measuring using centimetres.</p> <p>In <b>Science</b>, we will be starting our Material World topic and the children will be distinguishing between objects and materials.</p> <p>Our <b>Topic</b> this half term is a <b>geography</b> unit. This week, the children will use compass points to navigate around a map.</p> <p>In <b>PSHE</b>, the children will learn about their families, including who is in them and how they are connected. They'll also explore why sharing and working together at home is important, and understand that every family is different.</p> <p>In <b>Computing</b>, the children will start their new unit about grouping data. This week children will label and match objects.</p> <p>In <b>Music</b>, children will explore loud and quiet sounds (dynamics) through movement, listening, and playing instruments using a space theme.</p> <p>In <b>RE</b>, the key focus is on where Muslims worship. This week, the children will be talking about a place that is special to them and how this place makes them feel.</p> <p>Our <b>PE</b> this half term is Tri-Golf. This week we will learn how to stand to use a golf club.</p>
<p><b>Week 2</b></p>	<p>In <b>English</b>, the Squirrels will begin reading John Condon's <i>The Pirates are coming!</i> The children will begin to imagine what life is like on the sea as a pirate and explore the features of a letter in a bottle. They will learn definitions of ambitious vocabulary that they can use in their own work. The Hedgehogs will continue reading <i>The Pirates are coming!</i> For their SPaG focus, they will explore different suffixes such as est and ness, and when to use is and are. The Shrews will continue reading 'Pirates Next Door' and look at the vocabulary in the text and summarise events in the form of a diary. They will explore the difference between informal and formal language revisiting apostrophes for contraction and they will explore descriptive language used to describe characters. Squirrels class will</p>

	<p>In <b>Maths</b>, the year 1 children will explore the concepts heavier and lighter, as well as learning how to measure mass. the Y2 Hedgehogs will begin their unit on mass, capacity and temperature. They will first learn how to measure mass in grams and kilograms, and compare different weights. The Shrews will learn to recognize and find a quarter and a third and a whole.</p> <p>In <b>Science</b>, the children will be naming and comparing a variety of every day materials.</p> <p>In <b>Topic</b>, the children will use aerial photographs and plan perspectives to study geography in our school and its surroundings.</p> <p>In <b>PSHE</b>, the children will learn about personal space and boundaries, including the different ways people show care and affection. They'll be encouraged to recognise what makes them feel comfortable and how to talk about their feelings.</p> <p>In <b>Computing</b>, the children will group and count objects.</p> <p>In <b>Music</b>, children will learn to recognise and respond to changes in dynamics by moving and playing along to music.</p> <p>In <b>RE</b>, the children will be finding out about the place that is special for Muslims – the Mosque.</p> <p>In <b>PE</b> this week we will be learning how to control our golf club to change the distance the ball travels.</p>
<p><b>Week 3</b></p>	<p>In <b>English</b>, the Squirrels will complete their low stakes writing task by creating a poster warning people about the pirates they can see coming. Squirrels class will then begin a sequence of SPAG lessons, including: using the prefix 'un' and learning how to make words plural using 's' and 'es'. The children will also recap using the conjunction 'and' correctly as well as practise spelling some common exception words that will be useful to their letter. The Hedgehogs will write their letter in a bottle telling the reader about their time at sea, and will begin exploring the features of a persuasive advert. The Shrews will use their senses and similes to describe a pirate story setting and they will be learning to use adverbs, conjunctions and apostrophes for possession.</p> <p>In <b>Maths</b>, the year 1 children will learn about the difference between volume and capacity, whilst learning how to measure and compare both volume and capacity. The Y2 Hedgehogs will continue exploring mass, capacity and temperature. They will learn how to measure in millilitres and litres, and compare capacity and temperatures. The Shrews will recognize unit and non-unit fractions and the learn about the equivalence of half and two quarters. They will also recognize and find three quarters and count in fractions.</p> <p>In <b>Science</b>, the children will be exploring how solid objects can change shape by squashing, bending, twisting and stretching.</p> <p>In <b>Topic</b>, the children will use simple fieldwork and observation skills to study the geography of our school and surroundings.</p> <p>In <b>PSHE</b>, the children will learn explore what can cause disagreements with friends and learn simple, positive ways to solve problems. They'll practise how to work through conflicts calmly and fairly.</p>

	<p>In <b>Computing</b>, the children will describe an object and its properties.</p> <p>In <b>Music</b>, children will use instruments to create space-themed sound effects, such as rockets and stars, using loud and quiet sounds.</p> <p>In <b>RE</b>, the children will explore the key features of a Mosque building, such as the minaret and the dome, and will begin to understand the purpose of these.</p> <p>In <b>PE</b> this week we will be controlling the use chipper and putter in golf.</p>
<p><b>Week 4</b> <b>Bank Holiday Monday</b></p>	<p>In <b>English</b>, the Squirrels will plan, draft, edit and publish their pirate message in a bottle. the Hedgehogs will focus on using imaginative, persuasive language using similes and exaggeration. The Shrews will plan their opening to a pirate adventure story and they will then write it ensuring they have a character description and setting description. They will then edit their story.</p> <p>In <b>Maths</b>, the year 1 children will start the unit on multiplication and division, starting off by learning how to count in 2s, 5s and 10s. the Y2 Hedgehogs will begin exploring fractions, beginning with a half and quarters. The Shrews will have their end of unit assessment and start learning about telling the time and use o'clock and half past.</p> <p>In <b>Topic</b>, the children will devise a simple map and use and construct basic symbols in a key.</p> <p>In <b>PSHE</b>, the children will learn the difference between safe and unsafe secrets, and when it's important to share something with a trusted adult. They'll also explore how it can feel to be asked to keep a secret and who they can talk to for help.</p> <p>In <b>Computing</b>, the children will group similar objects in more than one way.</p> <p>In <b>Music</b>, children will organise their ideas into a simple space soundscape with a clear beginning, middle, and end.</p> <p>In <b>RE</b>, the children will find out about the features inside the Mosque and their purpose.</p> <p>In <b>PE</b> this week we will learn how to control the height of the ball in golf.</p>
<p><b>Week 5</b></p>	<p>In <b>English</b>, the Squirrels will plan a party for the pirates, looking at invitations. The children will explore features of persuasive texts and plan their invitation. the Hedgehogs will plan and create their persuasive invitations to a pirate party! The Shrews will be looking at the features of rhyming poems and they will learn to use alliteration and rhyming couplets. They will plan a poem.</p> <p>In <b>Maths</b>, the year 1s will learn how to recognise equal groups, add equal groups, as well as make arrays and make doubles. The Y2 Hedgehogs will move on to finding thirds and recognising unit and non-unit fractions. The Shrews will be telling the time to the hour and after the hour. They will also be telling the time to 5 minutes.</p> <p>In <b>Science</b>, the children will be investigating materials that have a cushioning effect and they will try to prevent an egg from breaking.</p> <p>In <b>Topic</b>, the children will design a map, referring to key human features.</p>

	<p>In <b>PSHE</b>, the children will learn about the different people who help and support them at home, school and in the community. They'll also explore what trust means and how it feels to trust others.</p> <p>In <b>Computing</b>, the children will choose how to group objects and describe the groups. They will record how many objects are in a group.</p> <p>In <b>Music</b>, children will rehearse and improve their compositions, focusing on making their loud and quiet sounds clear and controlled.</p> <p>In <b>RE</b>, the children will be investigating different sounds and what they make us do e.g. a fire alarm would make us evacuate a building, an alarm clock would make us wake up</p> <p>In <b>PE</b> this week we will work as a team, putting our tri-golf skills to the test.</p>
<p><b>Week 6</b></p>	<p>In <b>English</b>, the Squirrels will write and post their invitations to the pirates and throw a pirate party! They will also complete an independent creative writing piece on pirates. the Hedgehogs will work on a creative writing piece based on <i>The Pirates Next Door</i> by Jonny Duddle. The Shrews will write their poem and they will edit and publish it.</p> <p>In <b>Maths</b>, the year 1s will be learning how to group and share equal groups and complete the end of unit assessments for measure. They will also start the fractions unit, focusing on recognising and finding half of an object and shape. The Y2 Hedgehogs will practice counting in fractions, finding equivalence and recognising three-quarters. The Shrews will be learning about the number of hours in a day and they will recap their learning on time.</p> <p>In <b>Science</b>, the children will be making parachutes out of different materials and comparing results.</p> <p>In <b>ART</b> the children will learn the skill of printing to create their own pirate flag.</p> <p>In <b>PSHE</b>, the children will learn to show appreciation for the important people in their lives and practise accepting kind words from others.</p> <p>In <b>Computing</b>, the children will decide how to group objects to answer a question. They will compare groups of objects then share what they have found out.</p> <p>In <b>Music</b>, children will perform their space soundscapes and talk about the different sounds and dynamics they have used.</p> <p>In <b>RE</b>, the children will find out how Muslims are called to pray.</p> <p>In <b>PE</b> this week we will work as a team, putting our tri-golf skills to the test.</p>