

Reception Topic Fact Sheet — Oh I do like to be beside the sea!



Our topic this half term will be Oh I do like to be beside the sea! Please spend time talking to your child about the key vocabulary and the pictures related to the topic.

pirate	a sailor who attacks other ships and steals their property
treasure	a collection of valuable objects - coins, jewellery
ship	a large boat that travels on the sea
Jolly Roger	a pirate flag, usually black with a white skull and crossbones
deck	a floor that goes from one side of a ship to the other
ocean/sea	a huge area of salt water
predator	an animal that hunts, catches and eats other animals
coral	a sea animal that lives in tropical water. It stays in one place and lives in groups
pier	a platform that sticks out of the water which people can walk on
postcard	a card on which a message is sent. It usually has a picture on one side
rock pool	pools of seawater between rocks
seaside	an area near the sea where people spend their holidays and enjoy themselves





