

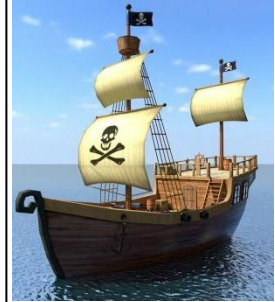


# Foundation N2K Summer 2



## Useful links

- <https://www.natgeokids.com/uk/discover/geography/general-geography/ocean-facts/> - ocean facts
- <https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/nature/habitats/article/ocean> - sea creatures facts
- <https://www.funkidslive.com/learn/top-10-facts/top-10-facts-about-pirates/> - 10 pirate facts.
- <https://learnenglishkids.britishcouncil.org/category/topics/pirates> - pirate activities and songs.
- <https://kids.britannica.com/kids/article/pirate/353633> - lots of information about the history of pirates.



## Enquiry Questions

What might you find in the sea?  
Why is the sea important?  
Do pirates really exist and what do they do?  
How did pirates find treasure?  
What materials would you use for a boat?  
How did ships move across the sea?  
What is a coral reef?

## Key Facts

Most of Earth is covered in water.  
There are 5 Oceans in the world  
Coral reefs are found in warm oceans.  
Sea is salty which is why we float more easily in it.  
Fabric like canvas catches the wind to help boats move without engines.  
Wood was used for many years to build boats because it floats easily.  
Pirates stole ships and treasure from other sailors.  
Treasure was called 'loot' and was shared out between the pirates.  
Pirates used maps and compasses to sail to different places.  
Not all pirates were men.  
Each pirate ship had their own rules and everyone had a job to do.

## Key Vocabulary

**Pirate** – a person who attacks and steals ships at sea.  
**Map** – a drawing or picture of land or sea that helps you find where something is.  
**Compass** – a special piece of equipment that shows where north is and helps to direct you to it.  
**Anchor** – a heavy object that a ship drops into the water to stop it moving  
**Island** – a piece of land surrounded by water.  
**Sail** – a large piece of fabric on a boat or ship that catches the wind and helps the boat move  
**Capture** – to take or steal something (pirates captured other ships and treasure).  
**Cutlass** – a small curved sword used by pirates.  
**Navigate** – to direct a ship or other vehicle to a place using maps or compasses  
**Ocean** – a large body of salt water  
**Telescope** – an instrument that uses lenses and mirrors to make distant objects appear closer  
**Cannon** – a large, heavy gun that fired large metal balls to damage ships or buildings.  
**Crow's nest** – a platform at the top of a ship's mast that is used to look a long way out to sea.

## Why Don't You?

Draw a map of your garden, your house or your street  
Make a pirate ship? You could use foil, cork, sticks or even straws.  
Write a message in a bottle.

## Understanding the World – Early Learning Goals

### Past and Present:

Talk about the lives of the people around them and their roles in society;  
Know some similarities and differences between things in the past and now, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class;  
Understand the past through settings, characters and events encountered in books read in class and storytelling.

### People, Culture and Communities

Explain some similarities and differences between life in this country and life in other countries, drawing on knowledge from stories, non-fiction texts and (when appropriate) maps.

### The Natural World

Know some similarities and differences between the natural world around them and contrasting environments, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class.