

Hello Nursery,

Thank you for the lovely photos, it has been great to see so many children having lots of pirate fun this week. Please keep them coming.

Literacy Challenge:

You've been a pirate for nearly a week now, it's time you had your own special pirate name. Ask a grown up to help you think of a 'piratey' name for yourself, for example 'Salty Sea Sally' or 'Jumping Jellyfish Jack.'
Ask your grown up to write your pirate name down. Can you trace over it? Can you copy it?
Can you draw a picture of yourself as a pirate?

Creative Challenge:

Can you make a pirate ship using recycled materials (e.g. cardboard boxes, plastic food trays)?
How many pirates will you make to go on your ship?
Do you think your ship will float or sink if you put it in water?
Maybe you would like to try it out in the sink or the bath.

Physical Development Challenge:

You have been captured by some pesky pirates –it's time to walk the plank!
Ask a grown up to help you mark out a narrow straight line on the floor (inside or outside) using masking tape, chalk, string or anything else that you have.
Can you balance carefully along the line, putting one foot in front of the other? Remember to put your arms out to help you balance.
When you get to the end, jump into the water.
Now try moving along your line in different ways –jumping, hopping, skipping, sliding or anything else you can think of!

Have fun,
Miss Aust and the Nursery Team