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Visit to the Seaside - a Paddle in the Sea

5th June 2026

Dear Parents & Carers

Many thanks for all the donations we have had so far. We are still waiting for some permission slips and for some donations. Without these we cannot take the children out of school.

I have updated most of the risk assessment for the visit. I explained that I would share the measures we will put in place to ensure the children's safety.

- Staff will explain to the children that they are only allowed to go in the sea, with their adult, up to their knee.
- A member of the RNLI will deliver a talk to the children on the 2nd July about safety.
- Children will enter the sea, within the cordoned part of the beach, in small groups (1:6 maximum) with an adult. If necessary staff will support the children 1:1 or in smaller groups.
- Two to three members of staff will remain in the sea as a marker so that no child can move beyond them. They will have a towel with them to throw to any child to hold onto.
- Tide times will be checked for safety. The weather forecast will be checked daily on the run up to the visits.
- Beach has been visited and risk assessed prior to the children visiting.
- A whistle will be blown to signal that all children should leave the water.
- When time up adults herd children out of the water.
- We will make constant head counts when paddling and all day long!

Many thanks

Jane Townsend, Headteacher

Parent/Carers signature

Paddling in the sea:

<input type="checkbox"/>	I would like my child to paddle in the sea.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I would not like my child to paddle in the sea.



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Please see below photos of our previous paddles.



We all got a little wet but we dried off back at base camp i.e. the top of the beach and then had a lovely lunch.



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