# DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL INTERNATIONAL HOLIDAY HOMEWORK MAY-TUNE 2012

#### Dear Student,

Summer vacation is a welcome break..... Break from fixed schedule, rules and regulations of school. Freedom brings more responsibility, keeping this in mind, we have planned most of the activities to keep you engaged and your energies positively directed. Though teachers will not be physically present to keep a supervisory eye on you and your work, a little help and supervision from your mama and papa will surely do wonders.

#### We wish you a wonderful time ahead!!

The wonders of where we are

And where we'll be

What we do

And what we see.

What we find and what we seek,

Not everyone knows

And I just wonder.... Mum and dad

Could you spend some time with me!!!

#### Dear Parent,

As the school closes for the summer break we have planned some activities, worksheets, projects for your child to enhance his/her learning skills in a fun-filled way.

- 1. **The first category** has some fun filled activities for your child so that you can spend some quality time together.
- 2. **The second category** has a few Worksheets (English, Hindi, Mathematics and French) to reinforce the topics covered in the class.
- 3. The third category has reading. The reading list for both the languages has been uploaded to inculcate reading habit.

"The process is more important than the outcome."

So enjoy the stages in between while accomplishing them.

# HAPPY HOLIDAYS!!

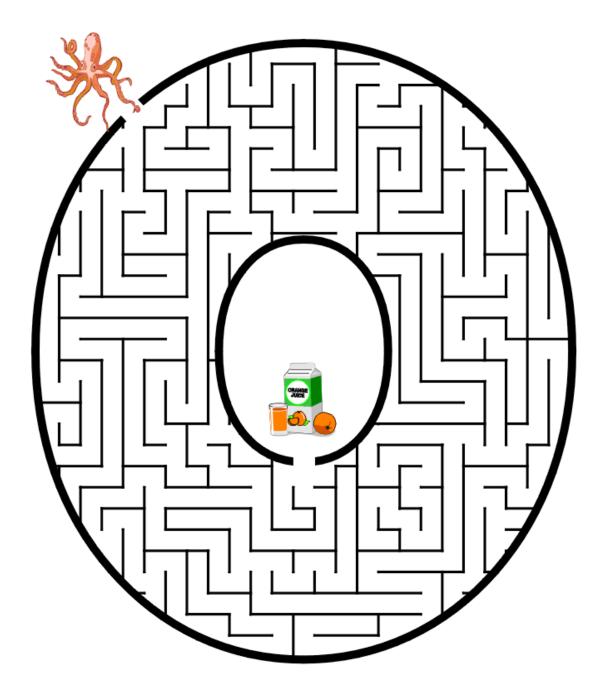


About 70 percent of the Earth is covered with water, but it remains a world that few people have experienced. Oceans are full of life where variety of animals and plants unite together and grow. Also, it brings surprises like some of the most amazing and most beautiful animal and plant species to behold. Scientists say that life began in the oceans which means that without these creatures, the human life would have not been possible. The ensuing pages of this holiday homework are dedicated to the amazing variety of underwater life.



# FIRST CATEGORY

## FUN FILLED ACTIVITIES....



• Help the thirsty octopus drink the orange juice.

#### <u>Seasíde Ríddles</u>

You use me to build a castle, or let me run through your hand.

I cover lots of beaches,

I am the \_\_\_\_\_\_.





I sail along in the ocean,
I'm the right shape to float.
I can carry lots of people,

*I am a* \_\_\_\_\_.

I come in all different colours and sizes, and can carry your sandcastle's flag.

I keep your belongings tidy and safe,

I am a \_\_\_\_\_\_.





I am lots of fun to play with, just don't drop me or let me fall.

I can be lots of colours,

I am a \_\_\_\_\_\_

You can use me to listen to the sea, and sometimes the wind as well.

I used to be home to a small sea creature,

I am a \_\_\_\_\_\_.

# I am an artist today....



#### Finger Painting- Prints charming

Finger paint a scene with blue paint all over (background), and then cut out a boat and then glue goldfish crackers underneath the boat and add foil stars in the sky. When painting, try adding white to make the sky lighter and maybe add yellow for the sun. Add yarn to make a fishing line into the water. Add stickers of different sea life, etc.

#### OR

### Craft activity - Under the Sea

Dioramas are a fun way to take part of our big world and put it into a small box that we can peer into, relate to, and hopefully let our imaginations soar into to fill in the missing elements.



#### Materials needed:

- Shoebox, or other small box
- Coloured construction paper
- Glue
- Scissors
- Sand
- Optional: paint, seashells, clear plastic wrap

Lay your box on its side and cover the inside with dark blue construction paper (or paint the inside of the box if you prefer). Spread a thin layer of glue on the bottom and sprinkle on sand. Now let your imagination go as you create sea life to fill your diorama. Paint seaweed and fish on the walls of the box, cut out fish and plant life from construction paper, glue sea shells and coral pieces to the bottom, add plastic fish or plants if you have any on hand. Try to create a 3-D effect by placing sea life in different areas. Use folded paper, or popsicle sticks to hold pieces up, or hang pieces from the top with "invisible" string. When you have your underwater world as you want it, cover the front with a piece of plastic wrap. To create an additional effect, paint or cover the outside of the box with paper. Crumble up blue tissue paper and glue to the top for waves, then place a toy boat on top.

## Tongue Twisters

It is a phrase or sentence which is hard to speak fast, usually because of a sequence of nearly similar sounds. It helps develop speech skills & helps in speech therapy.

To get the full effect of a tongue twister you should try to repeat it several times, as quickly as possible, without stumbling or mispronouncing.

Here are some cool English Tongue Twisters, have fun! Repeat them a few times and learn as many as you wish too.

- I saw Susie sitting in a shoe shine shop.
  Where she sits she shines, and where she shines she sits
- Can you can a can as a canner can can a can?
- There was a fisherman named Fisher
  who fished for some fish in a fissure.
  Till a fish with a grin,
  pulled the fisherman in.
  Now they're fishing the fissure for Fisher.
- Picky people pick Peter Pan Peanut-Butter, 'tis the peanut-butter picky people pick.
- What a terrible tongue twister, what a terrible tongue twister, what a terrible tongue twister...
- A big black bug bit a big black dog on his big black nose!
- How many cookies could a good cook cook if a good cook could cook cookies? A good cook could cook as much cookies as a good cook who could cook cookies.
- Mr. Tongue Twister tried to train his tongue to twist and turn, and twit an twat, to learn the letter "T".
- Birdie birdie in the sky laid a turdie in my eye. If cows could fly I'd have a cow pie in my eye.
- Tie twine to three tree twigs.
- Six slimy snails sailed silently.
- I saw a saw that could out saw any other saw I ever saw.
- A big bug bit the little beetle but the little beetle bit the big bug back.



## Learn any one of them

#### SAND

Sand at the beach, Sand at the shore. Sand in the ocean On the ocean floor.

Sand in the desert, Sand on the ground. Sand in a sandstorm Blowing around!

Sand from rock
that has
Crumbled into grains
Sand in a sand dune
Shaped by winds
and rains.

Sand on an island, Sand in the sea. Sand in a sandbox For you and me!

by Meish Goldish,

## A Sand Witch for a Sandwich

I walked the beach on a sunny day

And soon found a shell with which to play.

I made a castle, I made a moat,

I poured in water to sail my boat.

I made a farm and a racetrack, too

And then a figure that sort of grew

Taller and taller as I piled more sand.

Then I shaped a face with one wet hand.

Oh, what a face—with an ugly beak

And a tall, tall hat that came to a peak!

I looked with pride at my ugly witch,

While all around I dug a ditch.

To keep her safe from the incoming tide,

I dug it deep on every side.

The waves rolled in and then slid back.

I waited for their we attack.

One little wave crept up the beach,

But my sand witch it could not reach.

One, two, three waves filled the ditch.

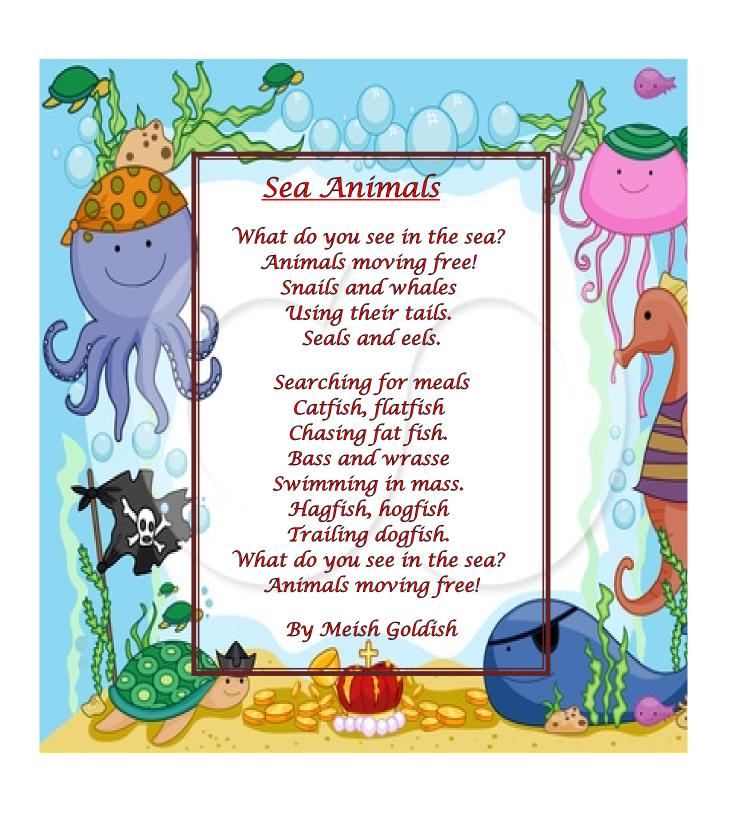
Another wave took a nip at the witch.

A whitecap pushed with all his might

And ate that witch in one big bite! laughed as the water swished round my feet,

For sandwiches are made to eat!

Emily Sweeneye!





Come along, come with me,

Take a dive in the deep blue sea.

Put on your gear, let's explore

All the way to the ocean floor!

See that snail wrapped in curls?

Look! An oyster wearing pearls! Watch the octopus oh so dark,
But don't you dare to pet the shark!

Dive on down, seaward bound,

Motion in the ocean is all around.

Dive on down, seaward bound,

Motion in the ocean is all around!

Now we're very far below,
The lantern fish are all aglow.
Is that a tiny shock you feel?
You just met an electric eel!

Giant blue whales start to stir,
Bigger than dinosaurs ever were!
Wave good-bye to the squid and sponge,
This is the end of our deep-sea plunge!

Dive on down, seaward bound, Motion in the ocean is all around! Dive on down, seaward bound, Motion in the ocean is all around!

# SECOND CATEGORY

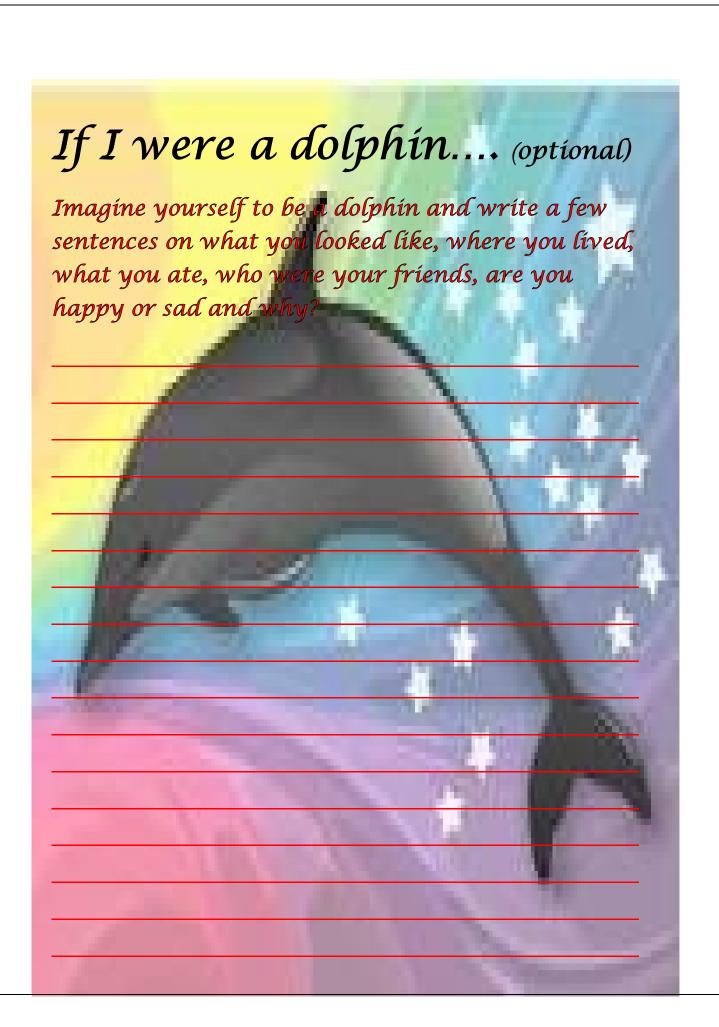
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- MATHEMATICS
- HINDI
- FRENCH

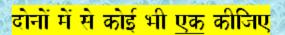
## TWIST A TALE

- If you could be anything in the ocean, what would you want to be?
- Once upon a time there was an octopus who couldn't find a thing to wear.
- Once upon a time there was a friendly shark who couldn't find a friend.
- There once was a crab whose leg got stuck between the ocean rocks.
- There once was a jellyfish who wished he was a real fish.
- One day, a boy swam to the bottom of the ocean and played tag with a school of fish.

Blend any two story starters and recreate a new story giving it a twist using various illustrations in the form of a storybook.





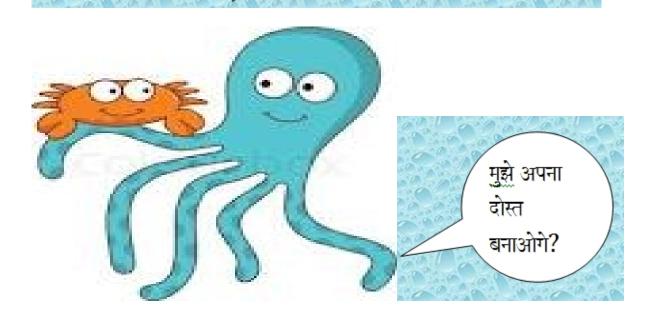


 काई भी दो समुद्री जानवरों या जलचरों के बीच हुई बातचीत अपने शब्दों में लिखो

(चित्र सहित चार्ट के कागज़ पर बनाओ)

जैसे:

दोस्त तुम कौन हो?



 एक चुटकुलो की किताब बनाइए जिसमें आप अपने मनपसन्द चुटकुले लिखे और प्यारे प्यारे हाथ से बने चित्रों से सजाए



मात्राओं से बने शब्दों का मोबाइल आओ सभी मात्राओं से मिलकर एक मोबाइल बनाए जिसेमें हर मात्रा से लगभग पाँच से दस शब्द बनाएँ

जैसे:

आ –(ा) समुद्री घोड़ा, पीला,-----दुत्यादि



Make a board game / flash cards / puzzles on any of the Mathematical concepts you have learnt so far in grade II.

#### FOR EXAMPLE:

- odd and even
- ascending and descending order
- addition
- subtraction
- place value
- multiplication tables

Maths Oxford book-New Enjoying Mathematics-Pages( 58to63)

Maths Practice book- Page-23

## SPELLING LIST

when			kitchen		to
what			careful		lik
enough			laboratory		garde
morning	favourite				curt
	tomorrow		animals	worship	
	brother		shopping	colourful	
	circular		different	helpful	
	beautiful		discipline	obedient	
	ugly		family	shrubs	
	because		flowers	giraffe	
	threw		lephant	hippopotamus	
	<mark>Se</mark> i	nse organs	stem	recipe	
	<mark>th</mark>	n <mark>igh                                    </mark>	insect	violet	
stomach	heart	mosque			
knee	neighbor	horse			
elbow	house	weather			
wrist	weak	February			
friends	their	daughter			
movies	vegetables	yellow			

cupboards almanac written

#### ENGLISH READING LIST

**Ahlberg, Janet. FUNNYBONES.** (EA) Three skeletons decide to take a walk through a dark, dark town to frighten somebody.

Blume, Judy. THE ONE IN THE MIDDLE IS THE GREEN KANGAROO. (EB) Freddie, the middle child in a family with three children, gets an ego boost when he is successful performing in the school play.

**Bonsall, Crosby. THE CASE OF THE CAT'S MEOW.** (EB) (Primary Reader) Four boys, Wizard, Tubby, Skinny, and Snitch act as "private eyes" to solve mysteries.

**Brandenberg, Alíkí . DIGGING UP DINOSAURS.** (J568B) Briefly introduces various types of dinosaurs whose skeletons and reconstructions are seen in museums and explains how scientists uncover, preserve, and study fossilized dinosaur bones.

**Branley, Frank. THE SKY IS FULL OF STARS.** (EB) A simple introduction to stargazing that explains how star positions change with the seasons and the common constellations.

**De Regniers, Beatrice. IT DOES NOT SAY MEOW, AND OTHER ANIMAL RIDDLE RHYMES.** (J793.7D) A guessing game of naming the animals from the clues.

**Hornblow, Leonora. ANIMALS DO THE STRANGEST THINGS.** (J591H) An entertaining book about the habits of such animals as the camel, lion, elephant, giraffe, gorilla, polar bear, and platypus.

**McPhail, David. THE BEAR'S TOOTHACHE.** (EM) An imaginative story about a Bear's visit to a little boy in the night who helps him cure his toothache.

**Noble, Trinka. THE DAY JIMMY'S BOA ATE THE WASH.** (EN) A little girl tells her mother about the class trip to visit a farm and how Jimmy's boa escaped and caused havoc.

**Parish, Peggy. GOOD WORK, AMELIA BEDELIA.** (EP) (Primary Reader) Amelia Bedelia's literal minded interpretations lead to comical situations in the household where she works as a maid.

**Pinkwater, Manus. I WAS A SECOND GRADE WEREWOLF.** (EP) Lawrence is thrilled to wake up one morning and find he has turned into a werewolf, even though nobody else notices.

#### <u>HINDI READING LIST</u>

# हिन्दी पुक्तकें - काक्षा दो के लिए

• अकबरी लोटा

अन्नपूर्णानन्द वर्भा

- भावती गोलू मोलू कैदरपिलर
- खटपट चूहा
- विश्वास की जीत

मित्र फुकन

- मैना मढ़क्गाय मीना
- प्यासी मैना
- महागिरि
- पास या नापास

वर्षा सहस्वबुके

- अनुपम कहानियां भाम 2
- चिटकू
- आरी कीन?

• जिश्न की चतुराई

मीनाक्षी भारद्वाज

• म्याऊं जिल्ली के सप्रेन

नवकीप

• ऐसा भी होता है

विभा कौल

• नटकट औन शेक्

नवदीप

• चूहा पार्टी ज़िबाबाद

कविताएं

HAVE LOTS AND LOTS OF FUN TOO

COME BACK AS "THE STAR READER" OF THE SCHOOL.