



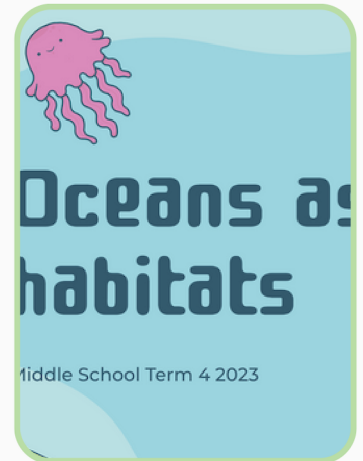
MIDDLE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Literacy and Numeracy

In Content Knowledge we have started a brand new unit which was selected by students last term. As a result of this process we have begun reading the text 'Oceans as habitats'.

In Text Construction students are developing their knowledge of information texts. They have been using their knowledge on ocean habitats to plan and write well structured paragraphs .

In Numeracy students have been learning about telling the time. They have refreshed their knowledge of analogue clocks and completed independent tasks on a range of skills such as telling time to the hour, quarter past, quarter to, time to the minute and time duration.



Skills in Focus : Word Work

EXTRA

During the literacy block students explore the morphology of words. This helps them to have a better understanding of spelling patterns, meaning and structures of words.

This week students will be focusing on the prefix 'extra'. This has the meaning of beyond. Some examples of these words are extraordinary, extraterrestrial, extradite.

Upcoming Learning

In Literacy students will continue to explore animals habitats in content knowledge.

In numeracy students will be continue working on time problems.

