

## English Ideas for Foundation Week 12

### Monday

This week we are going to write poems about summer. Today we want you to think about all the things that remind you of summer. Talk with your adult about what you did last week, or what you have done on a summer holiday and have a look at some holiday photos. Now draw a picture with all your ideas on ready for writing about later in the week. Don't forget to label some of your drawings.

### Tuesday

Today we are going to use our senses to write a poem. Have a look at your picture from yesterday to remind you of summer. Now, using this picture can you fill each of the poems lines with one or two words to describe summer i.e. Summer looks like ...blue sky, Summer smells like ...flowers, Summer feels like...sticky sun cream, Summer sounds like ...splashing, Summer tastes like ...ice-cream. Your poem might be even better if you could add some adjectives.

### Wednesday

Today we are going to see if we can make an acrostic poem all about summer! Remember to get out your picture from Monday to give you ideas. For an acrostic poem you have to think of a word or words that start with the first letter on each line i.e. S = sun, U = under the water, M = marvellous ice-cream, M = making sandcastles, E = everyone playing, R = rocket lollies. This can be quite tricky so good luck!

### Thursday

Today we are pretending we are at the seaside! We are going to write a poem to go along with the song 'The Wheels on the Bus'! The first verse is written for you, can you think of one or two more? What else could happen at the seaside? Could there be fish, or sharks, or boats, or even children or adults? What could they do 'all day long'? Don't forget to draw pictures around your page to make it look amazing.

### Friday

We are going to finish our week by thinking about ice-cream! We are going to try and write a simile poem! This means thinking about something that is like something else. If we were talking about ice-cream being cold, could we think of something else that is cold i.e. ice, or snow, or rain, or the freezer. If we were thinking about something being soft we might think of a teddy bear, or scarf, or a pillow. These are all your ideas and so anything goes! Have fun x