



Topic: Under the Sea

Year:1

Term:5

Background Information

- Children know that United Kingdom is made up of four countries.
- Children will be able to name and locate the four countries and the four capital cities of the UK.
- Children will be able to name and locate the surrounding seas.
- Children will be able to explore primary and secondary colours in Art.
- Children will study about Vincent Scarpace and learn about the different techniques used.

Diagrams / Timelines / Photos



Interesting facts

- United Kingdom is made up of England, Scotland, Northern Ireland and Wales. The following seas surround the UK - The North Sea, The English Channel, The Irish Sea and the Atlantic Ocean.
- Each country has a capital city (England— London , Scotland—Edinburgh, Northern Ireland—Belfast, Wales—Cardiff).
- There are five different animal groups; reptiles, amphibians, birds, mammals and fish.
- Amphibians live in the water as babies and on land as they grow older. They have smooth, slimy skin.
- All birds have a beak, two legs, feathers and wings.
- Fish live and breathe under water. They have scaly skin, fins to help them swim and they breathe through gills.
- Vincent Scarpace was born in 1971 in Buffalo, New York.
- His work is vibrant, imaginative and colourful.
- Vincent’s work represents an expression of beauty and freedom.

Key Vocabulary

Location	A particular place (Hunstanton and Long Sutton).
Country	Land that is controlled by a government.
Sea	A sea is a barrier between land and ocean.
Ocean	An ocean is very big, it joins the smaller seas together.
Capital City	It is a city or town where the government is.
Surrounding	An area all around a place or thing.
Warm blooded	An animal can make their own body heat even when it is cold outside.
Cold blooded	Cold blooded animals become hotter or colder depending on temperature outside.
Primary colours	They are red, yellow and blue. They cannot be made by mixing other colours together.
Secondary colours	A colour formed by mixing two primary colours together.
Media / medium	The materials and tools used to create a piece of art.
Technique	The way tools and materials are used to create a piece of art.
Colour Wheel	A tool used to show colours and their relationship to each other.

Know how to / Activity

- Find United Kingdom in an atlas, on a map or globe.
- Find out which animals live in the sea around the United Kingdom.
- To be able to mix/create appropriate colours for my painting.