ISA Young Storytellers Competition

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The Mystery of the Gold Coins

Once upon a time, there was a turtle named Bob. He was going to school when he found gold coins in a treasure chest, sitting by a rock. He thought "I need to find who these coins belong to!". He went to visit his shark friends, Thomas and Fish. Bob the turtle visited Thomas and Fish in a cave, near Bondi Beach. He said, "Can you help me deliver these gold coins to their owner?" The sharks said, "Yes! We think we know who they belong to". Off they went to the reef to find Michael the Octopus. But when they got there, they couldn't find him, all they could see were two eyes staring at them from the reef. Three coral snakes came out of the sand and whispered, "Visit the Temple of Light!". Quickly, they all rushed to find the temple and when they did, they found a sad dolphin named Rainbow. "What's the matter, Rainbow?" asked Bob. Rainbow said, "Someone stole my gold coins and now I'm sad". Bob the turtle replied, "Look what we found!". Rainbow the Dolphin was so happy, and she shared her gold coins with everyone. The end.

The Adventures of Lilly and Swimmy Finding a Shell

Once upon a time, there was Swimmy the dolphin and Lilly the Jolly Adventurer. They have a lucky shell that makes them have lucky things. One day Swimmy the dolphin finds a little shell on the ground and thinks "I'll take that to Lilly the Jolly Adventurer".

Then, just as the little dolphin is passing, something hit her with his enormous tentacles, she got poisoned on the poisonous tentacle plant. The Evil Octopus King swims towards Lilly the Jolly Adventurer and sucks her up with the suction cups on the end of his tentacles. The kind Killer Whale and Stingy the stingray kills the octopus king. The magic power in the special shell saves them. Stingy the stingray swims towards Lilly the Jolly Adventurer and gets poisoned by the poisonous tentacle plant. The magic shell saves the stingray. The good, nice killer whale goes to get food for everybody.

Whilst they went to get food the evil octopus king revives himself and then he swims towards Lilly the Jolly Adventurer and almost kills her, but Lilly the Jolly Adventurer punches him in the eye. The dolphin puts the magic from the shell into the octopus's eye and the eye comes out of the octopus. Then the search and rescue people come in a submarine and rescue Lilly the Jolly Adventurer. The kind Jellyfish stings the poisonous tentacle plant and it dies completely and can never come back to life. Lilly the Jolly Adventurer lives happily ever after.

Demetae Academy - Class 1

Waves of Friendship

On a rock in the Atlantic Ocean was an Otter named Oscar and his starfish buddy named Stanley.

They saw a turtle name Tutu on the beach.

Oscar and Stanley shouted from the ocean, "Would you like to play with us?"

Tutu shouted, "YES PLEASE!"

Then they went swimming in the ocean and splashed and dived in the water. They splashed each other and laughed.

In the ocean, Ola the octopus heard laughing. He saw the animals playing. Ola started to tickle their bellies and feet. The animals laughed so loud that more sea creatures came.

A dolphin named Dena.

A shark named Simon and a baby Seahorse named Sola.

They heard a cry and saw baby Sola was stuck in a plastic bottle. Oscar said, "I'll go and get help!"

Oscar swam to the beach and saw four children playing named Ajeet, Francesca, Hana and Iba'adah.

Francesca said, "What's wrong little Otter?"

Ajeet said, "Do you need help?"

Hana looked down at Oscar and he was crying. Oscar told the children that his friend, baby Sola, was stuck in a bottle.

Hana said, "Let's dive down deep to help them."

Iba'adah said, "Let's go!"

Oscar took the children to baby Sola. All the sea creatures were sad.

Ajeet said, "Don't worry we'll help you!"

Francesca said, "Let's cut the top off so Sola can come out."

The children cut off the top of the bottle.

Finally, baby Sola got out of the bottle.

Under The Sea Adventure

Once upon a time, in the deep, angry, stormy waters of the sea, there were sharks, crown fish, clown fish and an octopus. On the sandy beach, in the sunshine, there were children playing with a ball. Some children were building sandcastles, decorating them with seashells and seaweed. The ball landed in the water with a big splash! Sophie and Charlie jumped into the sea with a big splash! They sank all the way down to the bottom of the sea. There was coral and lots of multi coloured rock. Charlie and Sophie met the purple octopus and the orange and white crown fish. The sea creatures gave them a shiny necklace which turned Charlie and Sophie into merpeople. They enjoyed swimming around the deep sea, they saw purple seahorses, pink starfish, dolphins, a whale and colourful coral. They found their ball, they were so pleased and happy. When they took their shiny necklace off, they were not merpeople anymore! They gave the necklaces back and went back to the beach with their ball. It was an adventure that Charlie and Sophie would always remember.

Radlett Preparatory School Class RP

Under the Sea Adventure

One stormy day, in the gigantic ocean, the giant, splashing waves were crashing into a shiny speed boat. On the speed boat, was an excited turtle called Tilly, who was wearing sunglasses. She was on her was to an ice cream island. Tilly couldn't wait to eat a rainbow, bubble gum, chocolate ice cream cone. Suddenly a fast, ferocious wave crashed into the shiny boat and Tilly the turtle was tipped over the side. She sunk to the bottom of the sea. As she landed on the seabed, Tilly felt sad and scared. She looked around her and saw an angry, snappy shark and killer whale. Quickly, she found some seaweed to hide herself with. Out of the bumpy colourful coral, appeared a Mermaid called Milly. Milly asked Tilly what had happened. Tilly explained to Milly and Milly said she was going to help. Tilly crawled onto Milly's back and Milly swam all the way to ice cream island. They both enjoyed a delicious ice cream!

Radlett Preparatory School RE class

Addy and Poppy Save the Day

Once upon a time there was a shark called Addy. She was a very small, pink shark and she didn't have any teeth, at all. She was best friends with Poppy, the lobster. Poppy was a reddy-pink colour and she loved telling stories because her friend was Tiddler. Addy and Poppy went to nursery together and they were in Mrs Swim, the dolphin's class.

One day there was a big loud bang and Addy the shark and Poppy the lobster went to find out what was happening. They saw the edge of a boat that had been snapped in half as it had crashed on some rocks. They saw a diver in the sea who had banged her head. "Help!" she shouted, "I need to get back on dry land!"

Poppy and Addy decided to call the underwater ambulance. They used a phone made from seaweed.

Mrs Swim, the dolphin came over and asked what was happening. Addy and Poppy told her. Mrs Swim said "We must help!"

Addy, Poppy and Mrs Swim pulled the diver over to the underwater ambulance. The ambulance fish put a big, pink bandage on the diver's head.

"Thank you," said the diver. "My name is Debbie and you saved my life!" Debbie swam back to the shore.

Mrs Swim said, "10 house points each. Well done!"

The End

St Wystan's School - Reception



The lost Diver

Once upon a time, there was a diver that decided to follow a blue whale. He swam and swam until he realised, he got lost. He could not see

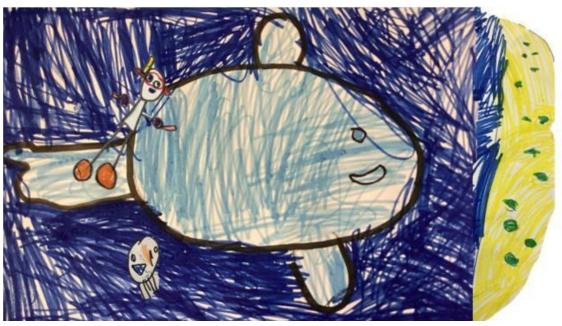
anything, all was black. But suddenly, he saw a light far away in the depths. The diver swam towards it and found a shining jellyfish in a shipwreck. The jellyfish was guarding a treasure chest. The diver decided to open it. Inside, there was a glowing golden compass. The diver decided to use it to find his way back home. As he swam, he started to get tired and began to sink. But the blue whale came and used his tail to flip the diver onto his back and took him back on land. As the whale started to get closer to the

shore, he got stuck on the sand. Now it was the time for the diver to help the whale. He started to sing a magical song to call in the waves. And slowly, the

whale started to move and wiggle back into the sea. The diver waved goodbye, and the whale waved back with his tail. The end.

The Gower School - Les Hiboux

(Les Hiboux)



This illustration is a combination of most of the group's illustrations! I copied and paste different parts of their drawings.

Under the Deep, Dark, Cold Sea

Under the deep, dark cold creepy sea near an iceberg there lived a dark, dark shark who also loved to eat fish.

At the bottom of the dark, dark sea there was a ginormous, enormous octopus called Gloomy. Gloomy was a smiling, purple, helpful octopus who was guarding gold and sparkly treasure from the Titanic.

There was also a dark, dark fish with a moustache and eyes that looked like glasses and he wanted to steal the treasure because he was jealous of Gloomy. He also wanted to steal it because he thought it was magic...

One day – when Gloomy the octopus was at sea school he learnt the black, exciting magic that would only open the treasure chest when he said it. He said the secret words, 'Treasure chest! Treasure chest! Open your lid!'. It exploded open and he could see lots of golden money and shiny, glittery diamonds.

The dark, dark fish was hiding behind a rock. And as the dark, dark fish got nearer and nearer Gloomy got out his eight tentacles and grabbed him. Gloomy held the fish to the sea floor and along came the dark, dark shark who loved to eat fish.

And the dark, dark fish with the moustache and eyes that looked like glasses was never seen again..

The End

Thorpe Hall School - RW

The Adventures of Finn the Fish

Finn the fish was a colourful fish who liked to swim fast through the deep blue sea. He was very friendly and liked to meet new friends, so one day he went to the top of the sea. The water was warm and bright at the top of the sea and guess what Finn saw... a mermaid!

The happy mermaid had rainbow sparkly hair, a colourful, glittery tail, a big smile, and she was sitting on a shiny shell. The mermaid waved at Finn the fish and he was excited to see her. The mermaid said she had a special adventure to go on and asked Finn if he would like to go with her.

The mermaid wanted to find some treasure, but she needed a golden key to unlock the chest. The treasure chest was hidden inside a scary shipwreck with a pirate guarding it... he had the golden key.

He said, "catch me if you can! If you do, you can win the key!" Finn and the mermaid had to swim so fast, and their hearts were beating very quickly, but eventually they managed to catch the pirate!

They unlocked the treasure chest with a click. Inside was a hundred golden, shining chocolate coins. Finn and the mermaid were so surprised and excited that they both fell over! Very quickly they started to chomp every single chocolate coin. They are so much that they hiccupped all the way home! After that, they stayed best friends forever.

Woodlands School Hutton Manor - Reception

Mandy the Mermaid and the magic rock

Deep down in the brilliant blue sea, lived Mandy the mermaid and her best friend, Freddie the fish. Mandy the mermaid loved swimming and could swim really fast when she flapped her gorgeous rainbow tail. Freddie the clownfish wasn't as quick as his friend but he always kept trying and didn't give up.

One day while they were swimming near the Great Barrier Reef, they met their friend, a happy dolphin called Daisy. They played games together, including hide and seek, in the colourful coral. "What is that?" thought Mandy when she spotted a light shining under the coral. Something was glowing. Mandy had found a sparkly rock. "Look at this" she said. The rock was all the colours of the rainbow.

Suddenly, a dark shadow appeared. "Oh no!" they screamed. It was a fierce Great White shark. "We need to get out of here" Mandy shouted. "I wish I could swim faster" said Freddie the fish, who was not as fast as the others. The sparkly rock in Mandy's hand began to glow. All three friends began to swim faster than a Sailfish through the sapphire blue sea. They stopped swimming and realised the scary shark was nowhere to be seen.

"Wow! This rock is magic!!!" they all laughed. Freddie the fish was so excited, "I can swim super-fast now!"

Thanks to the rock, all three friends had safely swam away from the shark, hooray!!!

Wilmslow Preparatory School - Reception