

# Yo Ho Ho Pirates


Hello Robins and Owls! This week our topic is all about 'pirates'. This follows on very nicely from our last topic. There are lots of stories about pirates and lots of fun can be had making pirate paraphernalia!

Do you already know anything about pirates? We are going to explore and learn about what they look like, their names and what we imagine they did. We can use the internet to help us

This week you will need: cardboard box, silver foil, paper,

Activity	How to do it	Or...
Singing pirate songs.	If you want to be a pirate. See words below.	
Pretend you are a pirate	Find an empty cardboard box sit in it, pretend to have adventures, use a toilet roll as a telescope, make an eyepatch, and talk like a pirate! 	Sit in a laundry basket and use a towel as a sail.

Make a cutlass.	Cut out a sword shape out of card. Cover the blade with silver foil, and wrap it around or stick it with tape, practice your moves!	Make an eye-patch or a pirate hat.
Make pirate treasure out of dough!	Think carefully about the treasure and use tools to add details like heads and patterns	Get an adult to cut out some circles cover them in shiny foil, you have treasure!
Find a treasure box	Use an empty baby wipe box, or an empty cardboard egg carton, put treasure in each section.	Close the lid and get an adult to guess what treasure you have put in. You can only answer yes or no but you can give some clues.
Read Nick Sharratt's Mrs Pirate	Type the Author and title into you tube, there is a nice version by Bunny books. Share it with an adult and notice the rhyming words.	If you haven't got access to the internet, share a favourite story or make up a story. Beginning with 'Once upon a time'.....
Walk the Plank	Go outside. Use a line or you could chalk one. You have to put on a blindfold and follow directions. When you reach the end of the plank the others shout stop. Then you have to jump onto a pretend safe island. If you land in the water you could be eaten by a shark.	Maybe you could walk across a plank of wood that is raised off the ground. If you can do it forwards can you do it backwards or sideways?

<p>Hunt the treasure</p>	<p>Get someone to hide something small and shiny. Then you have to hunt for it. You can ask " Am I getting warmer?" If you are cold you are far away, if you are getting warmer you are nearer, if you are HOT you are very close.</p>	<p>Guess the object under a scarf. Hide an object under a silk scarf, can someone guess what it is without touching it.</p>
<p>Bake pirate cookies</p>	<p>You could make round cookies and decorate with icing and icing pens.</p>	<p>Don't know a recipe? Use round biscuits and put icing on them.</p> 
<p>Try to talk like a pirate</p>	<p>Pirates spoke with a rough voice, saying words like..... Mateys, Ahoy, Shiver me timbers, Yo ho ho, I see Treasure, hearties, Pieces of eight, Ay aye captain.</p>	<p>Maybe you can write like a pirate. Or draw a treasure map.</p>
<p>Pirate gang Movement on cbeebies.</p>	<p>If you go onto Pirates -CBeebies-BBC you can scroll down and find the picture titled pirate gang. Join in.</p>	

Make a pirate pizza!

Using a pizza base decorate it by giving tomato eyes, a pepper slice, some olives (if you like them) and cheesy hair. What can you make the eyepatch out of?

Don't fancy pizza. Try using fruit or salad on a round cracker, and make a funny face.

**If you want to be a pirate** (to the tune of...If your happy and you know it)

If you want to be a pirate scrub the deck

If you want to be a pirate scrub the deck

If you want to be a pirate. Really want to be a pirate

If you want to be a pirate scrub the deck (swish swish).

Walk the plank (stop stomp).

Dig for treasure (dig dig).      Shout Ahoy (ahoy).