

## **Sea and Learn – Lesson Plan: Promoting IFOS**

**Key Stage:** Two

**National Curriculum Links:** ICT – 1b, 1c; 2a; 3a, 3b; 4a, 4b, 4c; 5a

English – En3 1c, 1e; 2a, 2b, 2c, 2d, 2e, 2f; 9b, 9b

**Main Subject Focus:** ICT and English

### **Learning Outcomes:**

Children will:

- Be able to use Microsoft PowerPoint to create a promotional slideshow.
- Show an understanding and awareness of their audience in the production of their slideshow.
- Be able to work effectively in a group.

### **Resources Required:**

- Whiteboard and pens
- Access to computers and Microsoft PowerPoint (or similar)
- Photos taken at the International Festival of the Sea \*
- Story Board design sheet enlarged to A3 size

*\* ensure these photos are installed on your school computer network for children to access*

### **Lesson Outline:**

1. Begin by asking the class to imagine that they work for the International Festival of the Sea management team and that they have to produce a PowerPoint presentation for parents and teachers to show how the International Festival of the Sea (IFOS) can be of educational value to their children.
2. Brainstorm as a class, the elements of IFOS that made it exciting and educational for them during their visit. Make a note of these ideas on the board.
3. Now place children in small groups (2-4 children) and give each group a storyboard design sheet so they can begin to map out their presentation ideas. Tell children that their presentations must have a minimum of 5 slides and be no longer than 10 slides. Encourage them to use transitions, animations and sounds. You may have to demonstrate how to use these elements of PowerPoint.
4. Once children have their ideas in place, they can begin to piece together their presentation. Remind them about their target audience and to save at regular intervals.
5. When each group has finished their presentation, show each presentation and ask each group to critically evaluate them. Discuss their evaluations and encourage them to suggest areas for improvement and also to highlight good design ideas and content.

**Extension/Homework Ideas:**

- Ask children to imagine they are reporting the success of IFoS for the school newsletter. They should produce a short report to parents including a photograph if possible. The use of ICT should be encouraged.
- Prepare a sheet of photographs from the visit to IFOS and ask children to add a caption to each photo. Compare captions across the class and discuss which caption is most appropriate.

## Sea and Learn – Worksheet (1)

Plan your presentation using this planning sheet to help you:

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