

Captain Katie's Pirate Show Learning Objectives

Teachers are a HUGE part of the show! It may look like all fun and games, but here are just SOME of the things we're exercising today:

• hand/eye coordination • listening skills • sense of rhythm • physical strength • balance • cooperation • creative movement • self-esteem

Program Activities

- 1) Song A Pirates Life For Me: Children **follow directions** rowing their boat using **upper body movement**.
- Game Ring the dolphin: Children take turns using large rings to try and loop the dolphin's nose. Aim and accuracy are exercised, as well as taking turns.
- 3) Song Balancing Act: This is a fun song that has a lot of movement and exercises gross motor skills, strength and balance
- 4) The Parrot: Encourages **self-expression** through creative dramatics.
- 5) Hula dance: We explore **culture** as well as self-expression and **storytelling through movement and dance**.
- 6) Under the Stick (Limbo) This is a fast pace song. The children go over and under the stick. This increases **physical strength**, **balance**, **and coordination**.
- 7) The Treasure Chest: Children look inside and find the true Treasures are the people in our lives: Our **family, friends and teachers!**

Read me, pass me around, return me to prop bag. Thanks!