

# PIRATE ADVENTURE

# CHOICE BOARD

Choose 3–5 activities from the board to complete. You can go in a row, column, or mix and match—just like hunting for treasure!

#### **Wanted Poster**

Research a real pirate like Blackbeard, Anne Bonny, or Stede Bonnet. Create a Wanted Poster with their picture and a list of what they were wanted for.

# **Geography Map**

Map the routes of famous pirates and naval ships. Add labels for the Caribbean, West Indies, and coastal North Carolina.

# **Build A Ship**

Design and test a model pirate ship using recycled materials. See if it floats when it carries "treasure."

# **Dear Diary**

Write a diary entry from the perspective of a young sailor or cabin boy on a pirate ship.

# Talk Like a Pirate

Research pirate words and phrases, then talk like a pirate with others in honor of *Talk Like a Pirate Day*.
Record yourself and share your best pirate performance with family or friends.

#### **Music or Drama**

Listen to songs from
Pirates of Penzance or
Muppet Treasure
Island. Write your own
short pirate chant or
act out a musical
scene.

#### Science

Investigate scurvy,
disease, and hygiene
on pirate ships. Use
your findings to
design a "healthy
pirate life" plan—what
would a pirate eat or
do to stay healthy at
sea?

#### Art

Draw a treasure map with landmarks, traps, and hidden symbols. Exchange maps with a sibling or friend for a treasure hunt.

#### **Invent a Pirate**

Invent your own pirate character—give them a name, flag, ship, and backstory. Share in a story, comic strip, or skit.