

# Year 1– Knowledge Mat– *History—Pirates T3*

## Subject Specific Vocabulary

word	definition
Significant	Of great importance
Individual	A single person in a group
Piracy	Piracy is an act of attacking and robbing ships at sea.
Cutlass	A short sword with a slightly curved blade used by pirates.
Booty	Treasure (like money or jewels) stolen by pirates.
Sloop	A type of ship that moved very quickly and easily. It was perfect for chasing another ship to steal from them.

## Sticky Knowledge



### Black Beard

An English pirate who sailed around the West Indies and North America. He became a renowned pirate. He got his nickname because of his thick black beard



### Calico Jack

An English pirate captain who sailed around the Bahamas and in Cuba during the Golden Age of Piracy.



### Mary Read and Annie Bonney

Two female pirates who dressed up as men. They sailed with Calico Jack until getting caught in October 1720.



### Golden Age of Piracy

Lasted 80 years. It began in 1650 and ended in 1730.

### 1623 – 1638

The Caribbean became a haven for pirates. Over 500 ships were raided and destroyed.



## Interesting Books



## Research at home

Create your own pirate. Use whatever resources you have at home.

