

# Ship Ahoy!

*'Ship Ahoy!' promotes key skills such as listening and concentration, which also offering a fun physical warm up for EAL students.*

*Whilst this activity is suitable for all ages, it involves specialist vocabulary that the children may struggle to understand.*

*The exercise should last about five minutes, and it requires a large space.*

## Instructions:

- 1) Arrange the pupils in a line in front of the ship.
- 2) The pupils then have a number of commands that they need to respond to:
  - 'Captain's Coming!'** = Stand and salute
  - 'Boom Crossing!'** = Duck
  - 'Scrub the Deck!'** = Scrub the Floor
  - 'Climb the Rigging!'** = Pretend to climb
  - 'Port!'** = Go to the left of the room
  - 'Starboard!'** = Go to the right of the room
  - 'Bow!'** = Go to the front of the room