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## Information for parents

This learning pack has been created to give you and your children a variety of activities and ideas to choose from while they are at home. We completely appreciate that many families will have a lot to manage at this time, so these packs have been put together as *ideas* to support your child's learning over the coming week. We have therefore compiled different activities that your child may wish to explore, depending on the time and resources that you have available.

When your children have completed different activities, you can upload them onto Google Classroom or Tapestry using their individual logins. However, if your child does work in separate books or on paper, this can be brought into school with them when they return. Work will not be formally marked but children will certainly be praised for all of the fantastic learning that they have achieved.

## **Diary entries**

Alongside all of the ideas that we have set out in these learning packs, we feel that it would be really interesting for children to write their own diary entries over the coming weeks. Imagine looking back on what they wrote in 20 years and being able to share it with others!



## **English**

This week we would like you to write instructions

List of the activities/resources that they can use...

As it's national pet month, let's think about how we can use instructions to care for a pet.

Watch an episode (or more) of 'My Pet and Me' on CBeebies to help with our writing task - <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episodes/b06r15z2/my-pet-and-me">https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episodes/b06r15z2/my-pet-and-me</a> Other websites that may be useful for research purposes are;

https://www.youngvetsclub.com/looking-after-your-pet

https://www.pdsa.org.uk/taking-care-of-your-pet/looking-after-your-pet

Now you've thought about how to care for a pet, can you write a set of instructions of how to look after a dragon?

https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z2yycdm/articles/zws9tv4

How To Train Your Dragon

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oKiYuIsPxYk

You may even wish to make a small booklet with a range of pages to cover various areas of dragon care. Remember to;

- Use heading and subheadings.
- Organise your paragraphs around themes.
- Punctuate correctly.
- Use numbering where appropriate.
- Can you use time conjunctions like first, next, then, after, before etc.?



## **Maths**

This week we would like you to visit the link: https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/

These White Rose Hub resources give you a video explaining the new concept, along with a number of activities to work through and then answers to check your work. We don't expect you to print the worksheets off, but it would be useful for children to show their workings and then check their answers.

Alongside these White Rose Hub activities, don't forget to use the following websites (using your individual logins) to practice other basic skills: Times Tables Rock Stars, Numbots and Education City







<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>
White Rose Hub: Activity 1	White Rose Hub: Activity 2	White Rose Hub: Activity 3	White Rose Hub: Activity 4	White Rose Hub: Activity 5

# **Spellings**



There are two main ways in which you can practice your spellings:

- Spelling Frame: <a href="https://spellingframe.co.uk/">https://spellingframe.co.uk/</a>
- Learn the words on your spelling list (see information below) in fun ways, including: Look, cover, say, write, check, Rainbow

	writing, Bubble writing, Backwards writing, Pyramid writing, Silly sentences or Mnemonics  To find your year group's statutory spellings, Google: E.g. Year 1 Common Exception Word List or E.g. Year 5 Statutory Spelling List  Below is an example of ways in which you could learn your spellings each day:			
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	<u>Friday</u>
Morning: Spelling Frame Rule 1	Morning: Spelling Frame Rule 2	Morning: Spelling Frame Rule 3	Morning: Spelling Frame Rule 4	Morning: Spelling Frame Rule 5
Afternoon: Bubble writing spellings from the word list	Afternoon: Rainbow writing spellings from the word list	Afternoon: Pyramid writing spellings from the word list	Afternoon: Silly sentences with spellings from the word list	Afternoon: Look, say, cover, write, check with spellings from the word list
Reacing	Reading  As you all know, reading is very beneficial to your education and nothing is better than escaping into a good book.  The expectation is that you are reading for at least 30 minutes per day. When you have finished reading, ask an adult to ask you some questions about what you have read.  Additional to this, you could visit the following websites:  Bug Club, www.phonicsplay.co.uk, Education City, Oxford Owl, Accelerated Reader			
Gyide'd Reading	Media Text: The Rocketeer You-tube Link: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ipmcluR3o6w">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ipmcluR3o6w</a> Vimeo Link: <a href="https://wimeo.com/25088498">https://wimeo.com/25088498</a> Watch the short animation, following the instructions below for when to pause the film. Write the answers to the questions on your Google Classroom document or on paper?  Watch the film to the end. Pay close attention so that you don't miss any details.  1. When do you think this story takes place? How do you know? What are the clues? 2. What is the first heroic act that the Rocketeer performs? 3. How do you think the little boy feels when he first sees the Rocketeer? 4. 'Not all superheroes wear capes.' Do you agree with this statement? Explain your answer. 5. Who is your real-life superhero? Why?			
	Remember to explain your answers as fully as you can.  YEAR 3 CHALLENGE  YEAR 4 CHALLENGE		HALLENGE	
		Superhero		per Article

Create your own superhero! Make a simple stick puppet to show how your superhero would look and create a character profile to give lots of information about your superhero. You might want to use some of the resources that have also been uploaded to Google Classroom.

Write a newspaper report about one of the incidents in the story. Make sure you include a catchy headline, a recount of the events, an introduction containing some of the 5 Ws (Who, What, Where, When, Why) and some quotes from witnesses.

## **ADDITIONAL CHALLENGE**

#### **Straw Rockets**

Why not have a go at making a straw rocket to launch? Follow the instructions on this link:

https://buggyandbuddy.com/straw-rockets-with-free-rocket-template/

Can you write your own set of instructions to explain how to make a straw rocket for someone else? How high can you launch your straw rocket into the air? What different designs for rockets can you come up with?

Alternatively, you could design your very own rocket. (See the additional resources that have been uploaded to your Google Classroom).

# **Learning Challenge Curriculum/Topic Work**



Your key learning question is: How did the blossom become an apple?

This key learning question will last for 6 weeks. We would like you to create a project based on this key question to show what you have learnt and found out about this topic. Read below for different ways in which you could carry out your project, based on your interests:

## If you like art:

 Do an observational drawing of a plant, tree, flower (that you can see from a window in your house, or find one online).

## If you like writing:

- Plant seeds for plants or vegetables and write about the process as you observe.
- Write instructions on how to grow a plant.

### If you like designing and making:

- Create a model of a life cycle of a plant.
  - Create an area to grow something of your choice.

## If you like researching/ presenting:

 Research the life cycle from seed to flower and present your findings in a fun way, a video, slide show, animation, be creative!

#### Other ideas:

- E.g. Make your own word search with key vocabulary we have learnt over the last term- linked with living things.
- Make a 'life cycle of a plant' rap or song.

Other Learning/Activities		
Mindfulness	www.headspace.com	
	<ul> <li>Twinkl – Mindfulness colouring sheets and activities</li> </ul>	
Exercise/PE Ideas	All ages: Joe Wicks Daily Workouts – 9am on YouTube (The Body Coach TV)	
	Just Dance (You Tube)	
	Cosmic Kids (You Tube)	
	Go Noodle – <u>www.gonoodle.com</u>	
	Achieve 4 All Daily Challenges – See attached document	

## **Free Online Resources:**

Name of Resource	Overview/Notes	Website address/Hyperlink
Times Table Rock Stars	Continue to encourage the children to complete regular practice of their multiplication and division facts.	
Numbots	For Reception and Key Stage 1 to build basic skills and number facts practice.  Your log in is the same as TTRock Stars.	https://numbots.com/
Spelling Frame Spelling frame	Spellingframe includes all the words - both statutory and the example words - from the National Curriculum for Spelling for Year 1 to Year 6. Choose a spelling rule and each word is read aloud and provided within a sentence for context. Different games to help with practice.	
Manchester Children's University	Useful information and resources about a range of different topics. The history and science resources are especially useful if completing topic-themed projects.	https://www.childrensuniversity.manchester.ac.uk/
Teach Your Monster to Read	Covers everything from letters and sounds to reading full sentences. Complements all synthetic phonics programmes used in schools. Computer	https://www.teachyourmonstertoread.com/

	version is 100% free.	
Phonics Play	Practice letter sounds and phonics using the simple games and activities on this website.	https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/
BBC Bitesize Primary  Bitesize	A vast bank of resources for the full range of subjects. Includes information slides, video clips, games and interactives.	https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/primary
Oxford Owl	Lots of different learning resources to support home learning, including a full range of Oxford Reading Tree e-books that can be read on tablets and computers.	https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/
Scholastic  Scholastic Learn at Home: Grades Prek-K	An American site, so organized into grades rather than year groups. However, there are daily activities which involve reading a text and completing some activities.	https://classroommagazines.scholastic.com/support/learnathome.html
Top Marks Education	Games and activities to support learning in different subjects	https://www.topmarks.co.uk/
Doorway Online	Doorway Online is a collection of free and highly accessible educational games that learners will find easy to use independently. Each activity has a range of accessibility and difficulty options. Originally developed with funding from Scottish Borders Council, it is now managed by the Doorway Accessible Software Trust, a Scottish charity.	https://www.doorwayonline.org.uk/
Britannica Visual Dictionary	A great site to support the development of children's vocabulary as part of their reading and 'word catching'.	https://kids.britannica.com/kids/browse/dictionary
Scratch Junior	Coding activities for children to develop their computing skills. Site has different projects for the children to complete and is available on	https://scratch.mit.edu/

	computers and tablets.	
Corbett Maths  Corbettmaths  primary	Key Stage 2 resources for maths. Differentiated worksheets, 5-a-day maths sheets and questions, as well as video clips of tutorials for questions that need more support. Can search for questions by topic.	
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