

Independent Tasks for Home Learning

Week beginning 20th April 2020

Hello everyone I hope you have had a restful Easter. I am missing you all terribly! Here are some more home learning ideas. I have included worksheets, practical ideas and purple mash activities where I can. I am not saying to do all of this! I have just given you a few options to see what works best for you. I also understand that above everything else your child's wellbeing is most important. So use this however you like. Again remember you can post a picture of anything you are really proud of on Class Dojo for me to see and

I will send you a message back, I love to see what you are all up to 😊 Any questions I am always a message away. Mrs Taylor.

Subject	Task	Done
Spelling	<p>Day 1 – Introduce two to and too. These are called homophones. They are words that sound the same but are spelt differently and have different meaning. Use intro cards to go through and discuss each one.</p> <p>Day 2 – Creative spellings - use paints, coloured pencils, lego or even write in sand (if you have it) to write the words two, to and too.</p> <p>Day 3 – Use the intro pack to read out the sentences. Then get your child to write down which spelling they think it is.</p> <p>Day 4 – Use the cards and fill in the missing gaps together using two, to or too.</p> <p>Day 5 – Have them complete the activity sheet.</p> <p>You could also play one of the phonics games on Phonics Play or Classroom Secrets.</p>	
Reading	<p>As you have probably read through the books we gave by now I would encourage you to choose any books you have lying around at home or use the link below. Aim to read for about 20 minutes a day and use the “questions for when reading” sheet to ask questions while your child reads.</p> <p>https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/find-a-book/library-page/?view=image&query=&type=book&age_group=Age+6-7&level=&level_select=&book_type=&series=#</p> <p>Use the link above to select a book to read. It is all free and tablet friendly you just need to register. You can adjust the age if these books are too easy or too hard.</p>	
Writing	<p>Day 1 – 5</p> <p>I have included some creative writing ideas. You could choose one to work on over the week or use one each day. The Writing targets show you what your child should be looking to include in their writing. Use your best judgement on what targets to look at. You can always use different ones in each column. Feel free to message me though if you have any questions. These are just ideas please feel free to allow your child to do any writing that excites them. You could ask them to re-write their favourite story, we</p>	

	used to read a book and then I would get them to change the character or setting. They really enjoyed this.	
Maths	<p>Day 1 – Recognise 2D shapes. Look at the shape word mat and go through shapes. Then look at worksheet. Or practical idea: go on a shape hunt. Purple Mash activity online.</p> <p>Day 2 – Count sides. Have a look at the shape word mat showing how we count the sides. Complete worksheet. Or practical idea: worksheet (if you have playdough)</p> <p>Day 3 – Count vertices. Second part of worksheet.</p> <p>Day 4 – Draw 2D shapes worksheet.</p> <p>Day 5 – Lines of symmetry worksheets. Symmetry is when an object looks the exact same on one side as the other. Definitely complete sheet 1 for basic shapes. Others are more for fun. Purple Mash activity online. Or practical idea: Do some symmetrical painting by folding a piece of paper in half, open it up and paint one side. Then fold it again and open up.</p> 	
These Tasks below are not daily.		
Science	<p>Look at the Beach Habitats PowerPoint. Ideas for work after:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Write a fact page about beach habitats or just one of the animals • Design a habitat for a beach animal and label • Build or make a habitat 	
Geography	Since we have had some nice weather I thought a scavenger hunt would be a lovely idea while out on a walk. I think I will try with my daughter this week too 😊	
History	As the NHS is doing such an amazing job at the moment I thought we'd look at someone else in history that helped people. I have included a PowerPoint about Florence Nightingale you can read through. The worksheet is for matching the problems she faced with the solution she came up with. There is an additional writing task if they like (but it is not a must 😊)	

Art and Design	Self-portraits. A mirror would be handy for this or alternatively your child could draw another member of their family. I have included a sheet to help. Maybe you could paint or colour this if you have some resources at home. If not, you could make it on Purple Mash using the 2Paint app.	
P.E	Do some form of exercise each day. You could even draw a picture of what you did or write about it for your writing target that day. Why not write instructions for a game you played or write rules for your own game.	

Other useful websites:

Twinkl have a vast range of learning resources to print off for all ages and covering all topics. They are offering a free trial for a month for any one to sign up. Visit www.twinkl.com/offer and use the code CVDTWINKLHELPS

Purple Mash - Children have their own logins for this which can be found in this pack.

Teach your Monster to Read – phonics and reading resources. Children have their own logins which have been sent home.

Phonics Play – phonics and reading games. This app is free now!

Classroom Secrets Kids – a range of online learning activities – sign up for free at <https://kids.classroomsecrets.co.uk/>

Master the Curriculum – a range of printable resources for maths - <https://masterthecurriculum.co.uk/>

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/education> – games, videos and activities covering the whole curriculum

Oxford Owl – hundreds of free e-books as well as spelling and maths activities - oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/find-a-book/library-page/

National Geographic Kids – good for research

Fun Brain

Woodlands Junior School Resources – links to a range of websites

Shaun the Sheep’s Game Academy – helping children to learn computer coding skills and game design

Kids Know It – good for researching information

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