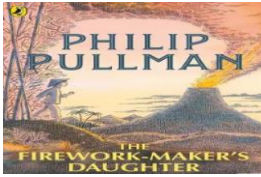


## Monday

### English

#### The Firework Maker's Daughter: To retrieve information



Home learning focus

In this lesson we will be starting to read the Firework Maker's Daughter by Philip Pullman (published by Puffin Books). We will read the first few pages of Chapter One and will be focusing on retrieving key information.

**Equipment needed:** You will need a piece of paper and a pencil.



This lesson includes:

- Spelling – 10 common exception words
- Reading skill of the day
- Reading a text
- Answer retrieval questions
- Self-assessment task.

Please click on the link to access your learning:

<https://www.thenational.academy/year-2/english/the-firework-makers-daughter-to-retrieve-information-year-2-wk1-1/>

### Maths

#### To identify shapes by the number of vertices



Home learning focus

In this lesson we will be naming 2-D shapes and describing their properties!

**Equipment needed:** You will need a piece of paper and a pencil.



This lesson includes:

- Activity 1 quiz to help assess your previous learning on this topic and to recap any elements you may have forgotten.
- Star Words – key vocabulary needed for the lesson.
- Review of knowledge quiz
- Talk task and review answers
- Independent tasks and answers
- Final quiz to see what you have remembered

Please click on the link to access your learning:

<https://www.thenational.academy/year-2/maths/to-identify-shapes-by-the-number-of-sides-and-vertices-year-2-wk1-1/>

### History

#### How do we know about Shang Dynasty?



Home learning focus

In this lesson we will be learning about an ancient Chinese civilisation called Shang Dynasty! We are going to find out how we know about Shang, by looking at the ancient artefacts and writing archaeologists have found.

**Equipment needed:** You will need a piece of paper and a pencil.



This lesson includes:

- Introductory quiz
- Star Words – key vocabulary needed for the lesson.
- Where was the Shang Dynasty?
- What do archaeologists do?
- Ancient Chinese writing
- Artefacts from the Shang Dynasty
- Quiz

Please click on the link to access your learning:

<https://www.thenational.academy/year-2/foundation/how-did-the-shang-dynasty-begin-year-2-wk1-4/>

## Tuesday

## English

To find the meaning of words



Home learning focus

In this lesson we are going to be finding the meaning of key words in Chapter One of the Firework Maker's Daughter by Philip Pullman (published by Puffin Books).

**Equipment needed:** You will need a piece of paper and a pencil.



This lesson includes:

- Spelling – 10 common exception words
- Reading skill of the day
- Read text
- Answer translating questions
- Self-assessment task.

Please click on the link to access your learning:

<https://www.thenational.academy/year-2/english/the-firework-makers-daughter-to-find-the-meaning-of-words-year-2-wk1-2/>

## Maths

To identify right angles in shapes



Home learning focus

In this lesson, we will learn what a right angle is and identify right angles in 2-D shapes.

**Equipment needed:** You will need objects within your home, a piece of paper, a pencil and a scrap piece of paper.



This lesson includes:

- Activity 1 quiz to help assess your previous learning on this topic and to recap any elements you may have forgotten.
- Star Words – recap key vocabulary needed for the lesson.
- Right angles
- Talk task and review
- Independent tasks and answers
- Final quiz to see what you have remembered

Please click on the link to access your learning:

<https://www.thenational.academy/year-2/maths/to-identify-right-angles-in-shapes-year-2-wk1-2/>

## Geography/Spanish

El alfabeto y los numeros



Home learning focus

In this lesson we are going to learn about where Spanish is spoken in the world and we are going to learn the Spanish alphabet as well as numbers 1-5.

**Equipment needed:** You will need a piece of paper and a pencil.



This lesson includes:

- Which countries speak Spanish?
- Learning key sounds (phonics) in Spanish
- Learning some Spanish numerals
- Quiz and self-assessment task.

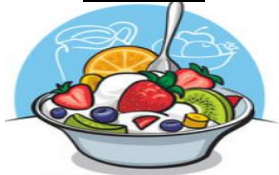
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## Wednesday

### English

To identify the key features of instructions



Home learning focus

In this lesson, we will be identifying the key features of instructions. We will be learning what all sets of instructions need to include so that we are ready to write our own.

### Maths

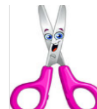
To recognize lines of symmetry within 2-D shapes



Home learning focus

We will be discussing what symmetry is. We will identify lines of symmetry within shapes.

**Equipment needed:** You will need objects within your home, a piece of paper, a pencil, a scrap piece of paper and scissors.



### Art

To investigate colours



Home learning focus

In this lesson we are going to be creating a piece of work inspired by Andy Goldsworthy. We are going to be using items from nature (you may have already collected these items last week).

**Equipment needed:** You will need petals, leaves, sticks, pebbles and other items.

**Equipment needed:** You will need a piece of paper and a pencil.



This lesson includes:

- Spelling – 10 common exception words
- Heading
- Subheadings
- Adverbs of a) time b) manner
- Imperative verbs
- Numbers
- List of equipment
- Self-assessment task.

Please click on the link to access your learning:

<https://www.thenational.academy/year-2/english/to-identify-the-key-features-of-instructions-year-2-wk1-3/>

This lesson includes:

- A quiz to help assess your previous learning on this topic and to recap any elements you may have forgotten.
- Star Words – key vocabulary needed for the lesson.
- Symmetry
- Talk task and review
- Independent tasks and answers
- Final quiz to see what you have remembered

Please click on the link to access your learning:

<https://www.thenational.academy/year-2/maths/to-recognise-lines-of-symmetry-within-2-d-shapes-year-2-wk1-3/>



- This lesson includes:
- Instructions for the task
- Colour wheel
- Introduction to today's artist
- Review of the task
- Colour scale challenge

Please click on the link to access your learning:

<https://www.thenational.academy/year-1/foundation/to-investigate-the-colours-year-1-wk1-5/>

## Thursday

### English

To identify and use adverbs



Home learning focus

In this lesson, we will be learning about adverbs of time and manner. You will find out when and how to use these and will be learning how to add them to the start of instructions.

**Equipment needed:** You will need a piece of lined paper, a pencil and your work from yesterday.



This lesson includes:

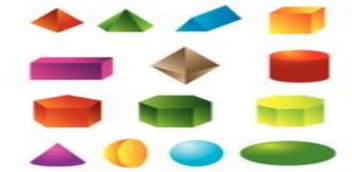
- Spelling – 10 common exception words
- Understanding adverbs
- Identifying adverbs of time and manner
- Add Adverbs to instructions
- Self-assessment task.

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<https://www.thenational.academy/year-2/english/to-identify-the-key-features-of-instructions-year-2-wk1-3/>

### Maths

To name and describe 3-D shapes



Home learning focus

In today's lesson we will be naming and describing 3-D shapes.

**Equipment needed:** You will need 3-D objects within your home, a piece of paper and a pencil.



This lesson includes:

- A quiz to test your knowledge – recap on 3-D shapes
- Star Words – key vocabulary needed for the lesson.
- Identify 3-D shapes and objects
- Talk task and review answers
- Learn properties of 3-D shapes
- Independent tasks and answers
- Final quiz to see what you have remembered

Please click on the link to access your learning:

<https://www.thenational.academy/year-2/maths/to-name-and-describe-3-d-shapes-year-2-wk1-4/>

### Science

What is light?



Home learning focus

In this lesson we are going to learn about light and dark. We will learn where light comes from and how we can see it. We will also learn about what causes things to be dark.

**Equipment needed:** You will need a piece of paper and a pencil.



This lesson includes:

- Starter Quiz
- Light and Dark
- Sources of light
- Light examples
- Post Quiz

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<https://www.thenational.academy/year-2/foundation/what-is-light-year-2-wk1-3/>

## Friday

### English

#### To write a set of instructions



#### Home learning focus

In this lesson, we will be writing a set of instructions for how to create a firework display.

**Equipment needed:** You will need your work from yesterday and a pencil.



#### This lesson includes:

- Spelling Quiz
- Features of instructions
- Star Words
- Writing
- Self-assessment task.

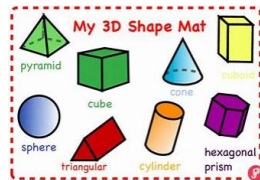
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<https://www.thenational.academy/year-2/english/to-write-a-set-of-instructions-year-2-wk1-5/>

Don't forget you can also share your fantastic work with your class teacher by emailing them at school!

### Maths

#### To identify 2-D shapes on the surfaces of 3-D shapes



#### Home learning focus

In today's lesson we will be naming the 2-D shapes that we can see on the surfaces of 3-D shapes.

**Equipment needed:** You will need a piece of paper and a pencil.



#### This lesson includes:

- A quiz to test your knowledge – recap on shapes
- Star Words – key vocabulary needed for the lesson.
- 2-D and 3-D shapes
- Talk task and review answers
- Independent tasks and answers
- Final quiz to see what you have remembered

Please click on the link to access your learning:

<https://www.thenational.academy/year-2/maths/to-identify-2-d-shapes-on-the-surfaces-of-3-d-shapes-year-2-wk1-5/>

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### English

#### Book Trust Getting Children Reading

# Pyjama Yama



#### Home learning focus

As part the festival of book-filled fun today, we've got loads of brilliant Pyjamarama activities to help you celebrate wherever you are- from colouring and crafts to puzzles and drawing.

**Equipment needed:** You will need a piece of paper or the printed templates, and some colouring pencils, pens or crayons.



This lesson includes an option of any of the activities below and more:

- Create your own pair of funky pyjamarama PJs – how colourful can you make them?
- Pyjamarama crossword puzzle
- Pyjamarama word search puzzle
- Pyjamarama create a comic strip

Please click on the link to access your learning:

<https://www.booktrust.org.uk/books-and-reading/have-some-fun/pyjamarama/pyjamarama-activities/?cldee=Z3JpZmZpbmxAZ2FybGluZ2Uua2VudC5zY2gudWs%3d&recipientid=contact-e5a5c1675a55ea11a811000d3ab824df>

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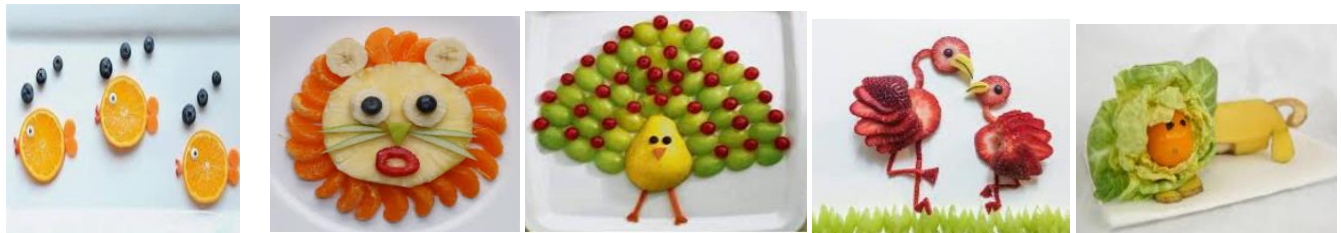
## Other activities for the week

### **Creative Activities**

#### **Feeling competitive? Can you dress a fruit or vegetable?**

By combining different fruits and vegetables can you create your favourite animal or book character? Why not have a competition with a family member!

Don't forget to wash your hands before getting creative and to enjoy your tasty creation as a delicious treat after!



#### **Cereal box puzzle**

Ran out of cereal? Don't throw the cereal box away. First, open up your cereal box and draw a beautiful and detailed picture of your choice on one side. Then, cut your picture up into 16 pieces (ask an adult to help). Next, carefully mix up all of the pieces to create a puzzle. After, can you try and put them back together to make your picture again? Finally, why not have a competition with a family member to see who can make your puzzle picture in the quickest time!



#### **Creating a Small World**

Can you make a small world using a shoe box or a spare small box? Use your own small toys or make people or animals to go inside.



### **The World**

**Take some time each day to watch the sky in the day and at night.**



When you look at the sky in the day watch the clouds. Can you spot different patterns? Draw a picture of the clouds or imagine that you can see pictures in the different shapes.



When you look at the sky in the night watch the stars and find the moon. Can you find the brightest star? Can you learn about the moon?



### Speak Spanish

Can you research and learn three new Spanish words of your choice?



**¡HOY!**      *Gracias!*      **ADIOS**

### **Health and Wellbeing Activities**

#### **Find and share happiness**

- Research happy news articles from around the world and make your own happy news bulletin, newspaper or TV show. Can you share these with your family?
- Write an email to a friend or a family member. Maybe you could attach a drawing or a photograph? Can you also tell them why they are special to you? Don't forget to ask them a question!

**HAPPINESS**



## **Keeping Healthy and trying new food**

What can you remember about healthy eating? Why is it important that we have a balanced diet? Can you find out anything new? What is your favourite healthy food? Would you like to taste any new foods this week? Did you like or dislike them? Why?

Print or use the template below to create your own food journal for the week. Don't forget to record any new food that you may try!

# My Food Journal

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Breakfast							
Lunch							
Dinner							
Snacks							
Drinks							

## **Making Menus**

Write and draw the perfect menu – starter, main and dessert. Do your family members agree or disagree?



**Exercise Challenge Cards - What can you do in one minute?**

How many times can you throw and catch a ball in one minute?

How many star jumps can you do in one minute?

How many kick-ups can you do in one minute?

How many skips can you do in one minute?



**Wellbeing Craft**

Please see activity below:



## Wellbeing Craft - Things to Look Forward To Jar

Use these craft instructions to create your own wellbeing jar. Having things to look forward to can make you feel happier and improve your wellbeing. Each time you think of something you would like to do in the future, write it on a piece of paper and place it inside your decorated jar.

### You will need:

- glass or plastic jar
- scissors
- paintbrush
- white glue
- sticky label or strip of paper
- tissue paper or coloured paper
- pencil
- paper to record the things you are looking forward to



### Instructions



1 Cut shapes out of the colourful paper or tissue paper.



4 Write a label for your jar. You could write 'Things to Look Forward To'.



2 Use the paintbrush to put some glue onto the jar.



5 You can use white glue to paint over the top of the shapes on your jar and the label. This will give it a nice, shiny effect.



3 Stick the paper shapes carefully onto the jar.



6 Once dry, your jar is ready to use. Write things that you are looking forward to on pieces of paper and place them into your decorated jar.

### Feeling Good Inside and Out

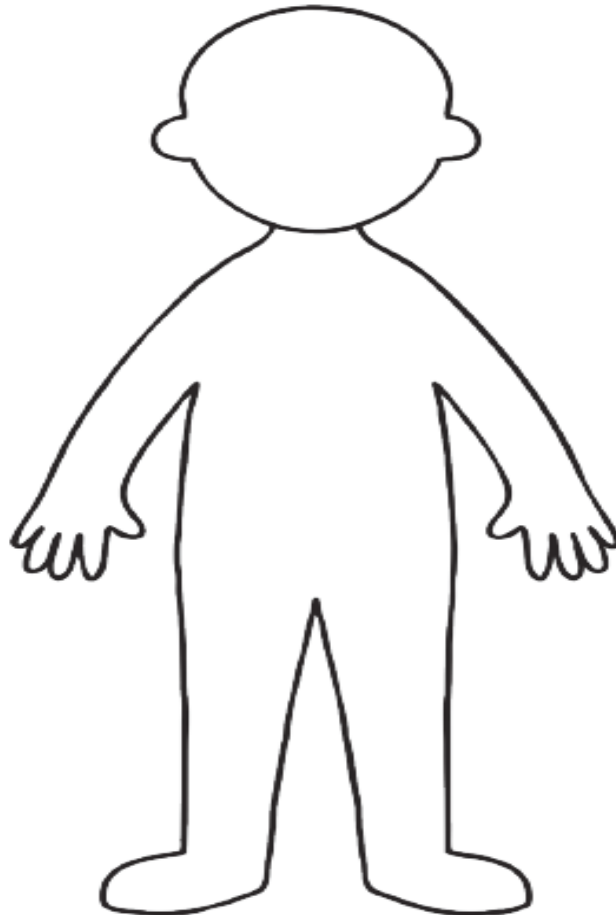
Print the template or draw your own to complete the activity below:

# Feeling Good Inside and Out

We can do lots to keep our minds and bodies feeling good; these are often linked.

Outside of the body outline below, write the things that help to keep your body healthy.

Inside the body outline, write the things that help to keep your mind healthy.



## **Weekly Challenges and Games**

### **Memory Game 1**

First, collect some objects from around your home. Next, lay them on a table and ask a family member to look carefully at all of your chosen objects. Then, ask your family member to close their eyes whilst you cover your objects with a blanket or towel. After, take time to test your family member – can they remember the name of every object? To make it more challenging you could use a timer when testing your family member.

### **Memory Game 2**

Close your eyes, then someone moves something in the room. Can you tell what it is? Extra fun if you use the whole house!

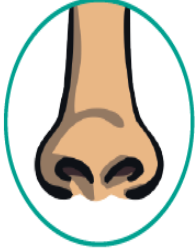
## Name Game

Can you think of a name for every letter of the alphabet?



**Name 5 Things Game** – see task below

Name **5** things



... that **smell** nice!

Name **5** things



... that **feel** soft!

Name **5** things



... that **sound** nice!

Name **5** things



... that are **blue**!

Name **5** things



... that are **red**!

Name **5** things



... that are **green**!

Name **5** things



... that taste **sweet!**

Name **5** things



... that are **circular!**

Name **5** things



... that are  
**rectangular!**

Name **5** things



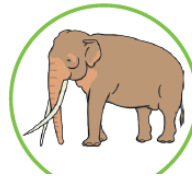
... that are  
**triangular!**

Name **5** things



... that are **small!**

Name **5** things



... that are **big!**

Weekly Home Learning Timetable