

Year 1 Home Learning

Year 1 have collated the following resources to support learning at home during this time. These are a guide and if you find anything else please feel free to use it.

Topic / English:

Our topic at present is Landscapes and in Term 5 the children in Year 1 will be learning about Space. Children could learn about:

- Landscape features in the country
- Places of interest in Margate/Thanet
- The names of different planets
- Space facts

<http://www.sciencekids.co.nz/sciencefacts/space.html>

<https://www.nasa.gov/kidsclub/index.html>

- Neil Armstrong and other real astronauts

<https://www.natgeokids.com/uk/discover/science/space/neil-armstrong-facts/>

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCRFIPG2u1DxKLNuE3y2SjHA>

English:

The children have been learning about *We're Going on a Bear Hunt* this term:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Waoa3iG3bZ4>.

- Can your child write the story including as many adjectives for the settings as possible
- Can they put themselves in the story and re-write it

Next term their lead text will be *Bob Man on the Moon*.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Rt5zQ1UO6rE>

- Can children write the story?
- Can they identify adjectives in the story?
- Can they describe the characters and settings?
- Children can also practice their handwriting using pre-cursive letter formation.
- Can they write their own stories with them in it using adjectives and connectives (and, but, so, because).

Twinkl have offered free subscription for their resources;

1. How do I sign up for the free month?

Step 1: Go to www.twinkl.co.uk/offer

Step 2: Enter the code you have received, or CVDTWINKLHELPS if you have not yet been given a code

Step 3: Share the offer code and website link with anyone who could benefit

Phonics/Reading:

The children are getting really good at phonics but will always benefit from practicing more!

Here are some resources:

<https://www.ictgames.com/mobilePage/literacy.html>

<https://www.phonicshero.com/new-login/> - some free resources or a 7 day parent trial if you wish.

<https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/> - lots of free phonics games with a free months subscription



Coronavirus Update

In response to the ongoing situation, we have decided to make PhonicsPlay free to use during this period. Children can use the site at home without their parents needing to subscribe. To access our resources all you need to do is log on using the following details

Username: **march20** Password: **home**

We are currently very close to completing a new version of the PhonicsPlay site that is accessible on all phones and tablets. We will therefore also ensure that it is possible for users to freely access this new version of the site (with apologies in advance for any areas of the site that are not yet fully finished or double checked). The site can be accessed here: new.phonicsplay.co.uk.

Our aim to ensure that existing subscribers aren't disadvantaged and will seek to make sure that after the school closures are over and the site returns to normal, that existing subscribers have additional time added to their subscription.

If you haven't already discovered www.phonicsplaycomics.co.uk you may also find these free decodable comics useful at a time when you can't physically exchange your children's decodable reading books.

We wish you good health and all the very best at this stressful time.

- There are also lots of Youtube videos which focus on specific phonic sounds such as Alphablocks and Geraldine Giraffe.
- Children would benefit from reading as much as possible while at home.
<https://www.phonicsplaycomics.co.uk/>
- Can they design an alien and use the sounds they know to make up a name. Remember it must be an alien (made up) word.

Maths:

- This term the children have been learning tens and ones with numbers up to 50.
- They have also been adding and taking away with numbers within 20
- They have been measuring length, height and weight.

Next term the children will be focusing on multiplication and division by;

- Counting in tens
- Making equal groups
- Adding equal groups
- Learning doubles
- Grouping and sharing equal groups

The following websites have a lot of good resources

<https://www.ictgames.com/mobilePage/index.html>

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/>

- Your child could also practice their number formation for numbers up to and beyond 50
- Your child can practice all the different ways of making 10 and then 20.

- Your child has a login for the Numbots website and they can practice counting and number recognition on this site
<https://numbots.com/>

Science:

The children have been learning about The Seasons with a focus on Spring this term

Next term the focus will be Growing Plants

Children could:

- Plant seeds and make a growth diary
- Learn the names of plants
- Learn the different parts of plants
- Help in the garden

The Arts:

- Draw pictures depicting seasonal change
- Create their own model to do with space eg. A planet or a rocket
- Practise the *Spring Chicken* song that we have been learning in assembly
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IEey4LZLeGw>

PE:

- Children have been enjoying practising mindfulness via the use of Cosmic Yoga
<https://www.cosmickids.com/>
- How many star jumps can they do in one minute?
- Design a poster about how we can stay healthy and fit