

Beech Base - Useful websites

Current Topic: Animals (Why don't penguins fly?)

Next Topic: Communities ('How does the location of Kampong Ayer compare with where I live?').

Whole Curriculum

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk> – Learning Games for maths, literacy and science.

This website also provides links to other websites with information as well as links to educational games. You can select the subject and age of the child or type in a specific activity. It also tells you whether a site is tablet-friendly or not.

www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/primary - good for all subjects, games, worksheets and activities

Oddizzi – A great resource to discover lots of different things about the world. There are quiz's, reading comprehensions and lots and lots of facts to explore.

Twinkl – Lots of teaching resource available and is offering free membership for a month. Follow the link to their website and use the code CVDTWINKLHELPS when you sign up.

Literacy/Reading

<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk> – Go onto website, click on 'My Class Log in', type in your class name: **vfsbeech** and your password **VFS19** and you have access to all their books. There are lots of activities but also access to books from all reading band colours. The ebooks will read the story when clicked on but do not read continuously. There are also interactive resources for maths. Although this website is great you may need to adjust your screen to see the whole window.

www.ictgames.com – Look, Cover, Write, Check. This is great for practising spellings and spelling rules. There is also a link to some fun literacy and maths games.

Maths

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/5-7-years/counting> - A really useful website for maths games. We are focussing on 2, 5 and 10 times table in Beech Base.

Timestable Rockstars – Continue to practice times tables using the timestables rockstars website. Your child should have their login credentials in their reading record.

Please also see our school website for ideas that do not involve a computer, go to Learning, Curriculum, Mathematics, Sycamore and Beech helping at home.

Science

<https://www.theschoolrun.com/fun-science-activities-try-home> - A nice website for science experiments you can do at home.

<https://sciencebob.com/> - Lots of ideas for experiments, videos to watch and Q and A sections.

Typing

<https://www.typingclub.com> - There are activities to help improve typing skills. There are videos to explain these.