

Year Four (Ash Base suggested learning activities)

Week beginning: 20/4/2020

Maths

Daily Mental Maths Warm Up: Practise your six, seven and nine times tables and division facts:

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button>

<https://ttrockstars.com/> (use your personal login)

The White Rose Maths Team has prepared a series of five weekly maths lessons. Every lesson comes with a short video showing you clearly and simply how to help your child to complete the activity successfully.

<https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/>

Please use the link to go to the website and select Year 4 (week 1)

- Lesson 1: Recognise tenths and hundredths
- Lesson 2: Tenths as decimals
- Lesson 3: Tenths on a place value grid
- Lesson 4: Tenths on a number line
- Lesson 5: Dividing 1 digit by 10

We have also attached some real life word problems to have a go at – you can record your answers in your exercise book. Can you create your own real life word problems too?

Additionally, there are some Easter maths challenge cards if you'd like to challenge yourself further!

Maths fun:

In addition to the above learning, we have also attached some activities that you may want to do. These activities should be suitable for the whole family and incorporate some everyday maths opportunities. If you are able to, we would love for you to record what you have done, by either writing it in your yellow exercise book or taking some photos and sticking them in.

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Writing

Pobble 365: The Magic Tree Look at the Magic Tree image and story starter. Use the image and the story starter to imagine what magic makes the tree different and what has happened to all the other trees around it? Can you finish the story? Write it in your exercise book – we look forward to seeing your amazing handwriting too!

Remember to use **expanded noun phrases** (for example: the soaring, vast tree with browning leaves) and **fronted adverbials with commas** after them (for example: As darkness descended, Earlier that year,).

There are lots of questions and prompts to help with your writing. The image on the website changes daily so you can challenge yourself and write about another image too, if you'd like to. Visit www.pobble365.com for additional writing opportunities.

There is also a writing task attached to the British Values topic learning this week.

SPAG: Fronted adverbials. Please see attached the learning sheets based on this year 4 writing objective.


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Reading	<p>Read a story of your choice. Think about: What is your favourite part of the story? Why? Who would you recommend this story to and what are the reasons for this?</p> <p>You could use the Oxford Owl website to do this, (you can search by age, level and book type). www.oxfordowl.co.uk/ (Login: Class Name: vfsash Password: VFS19)</p> <p>‘Recyle Reading Comprehension Activity. This comprehension includes different levels of questions, including inference and retrieval questions. Please see attachment.</p> <p>Write a book review on either of the above texts (or of any other books that you have at home!). What happens? Did you find the plot interesting? Are there any plot twists? Who are the main characters? Who was your favourite character? Why? Did you like the book? What was your favourite part? Why? Would you recommend this book to a friend? Why or why not?</p>
Spelling Focus	<p>This week we would like you to practise spelling the following words from the Year 3 and 4 Spelling list:</p> <p>heart height history imagine increase important interest</p> <p>CHALLENGE: Can you write these words into sentences? What about all of the words in one sentence?</p> <p>Handwriting: Complete the handwriting Week 5 learning sheet, either by using the sheet or by copying the words into your home learning book.</p>

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Topic	<p>Please see the Art/British Values topic learning  attached.</p>
Mindfulness	<p>Each week, we will be uploading a mindfulness activity onto the 'Mindfulness and Learning Values' tab on our website. This can be found under 'Home Learning'. Activities currently include a VFS mindfulness colouring (drawn by Mrs Begley!), guided relaxation and positive affirmations colouring sheets.</p> <p>Why not try and learn the words to your favourite song at the moment? Singing can really make you feel good!</p>
PE	<p>Sign up free to 'Go Noodle' for a range of physical activities, including, yoga, aerobics and Zumba. https://www.gonoodle.com/for-families/</p> <p>Subscribe to Joe Wick's YouTube channel, 'The Body Coach TV'. He has created multiple short, energising workouts for children to complete at home. https://www.youtube.com/user/thebodycoach1/videos</p> <p>Challenge Card 1: Design your own workout. Take a look at Mr Webb's challenge card for details of this week's fitness challenge. Mr Webb would love to see your workouts so be sure to email any photos or clips – awebb@verwoodfirst.dorset.sch.uk</p>

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Picture News

Take a look at this week's Picture News, you can find this under: Home Learning – Week 5 – Whole School Picture News

This week's question to talk about is 'Whose job is it to protect animals in the wild?' There are lots of suggested activities to keep you busy and we have included the weekly newspaper so you can read about some of the interesting events that are taking place around the world!

Please see letter attached, which gives parents/carers guidance on how to use the Picture News resource at home.