

Year One (Sycamore Base suggested learning activities)

Week beginning: 27th April 2020

Maths

Daily Mental Maths:

- Practise counting in 10s. Learning to count in 10s now will make learning your times tables in Beech base even easier!

To help with counting in 10s you could;

- Google 'Splat Square 100' and click on the first result. This is a tool we use regularly in school and is useful to highlight patterns when counting in 10s (e.g. they all end in 0, the tens number goes up by 1 each time)
- Alternatively, there is a 100 square attached for you to print and you can colour in the pattern.
- This counting in 10s song is sung to the tune of 'This Old Man' <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VPLguSksEIE>
- Play the attached 'Counting in 10s board game' with your family.
- Try the 'Counting in 10s dot to dot'. The numbers get quite high but once you have spotted the pattern it isn't as hard as it first looks!

BBC Bitesize have prepared the following maths sessions for this week. Follow the link to access Year 1 lessons;
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/tags/zjpqqp3/year-1-lessons/1>

- Lesson 1: Ordinal numbers
- Lesson 2: Partition numbers 1-50
- Lesson 3: Compare objects 1-50
- Lesson 4: Order numbers 1-50
- Lesson 5: Challenge of the week

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.

Maths Fun 1: Estimate It! Maths Fun 2: Make It!

Writing	<p>BBC Bitesize have prepared the following English sessions for this week. Follow the link to access Year 1 lessons; https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/tags/zjpqqp3/year-1-lessons/1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lesson 1: Forming letters correctly and using basic alliteration • Lesson 2: Using capital letters and full stops in sentences • Lesson 3: Create a minibeast fact file using nouns and joining words • Lesson 4: Creating sentences with description • Lesson 5: Reading lesson: 'Funny Bones' by Allan Ahlberg <p>Through conversations with many of you over the past few weeks some common feedback is that engaging your children in writing is proving more difficult than maths! The above resource from BBC Bitesize may help you with this. Please also remember that writing does not have to be long stories or letters, it can just be one or two sentences, practising grammar or even handwriting. All children develop at different rates and for most children in Year 1 writing is still a very difficult process with lots to think about; spelling, letter formation, which sound to use, grammar, finger spaces...the list goes on! If you are finding writing more challenging to engage your child in, you could;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Write a list of animals you see on your daily walk ➤ Help write a shopping list ➤ Correct a sentence that an adult or older sibling has written for you ➤ Write a sentence including one of your spelling words ➤ Play hangman! (A great way to practise spelling without them realising!) ➤ Draw a picture and label what you have drawn
Reading	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Visit the Oxford Owl website and read a book of your choice. You can search by age, level and book type. www.oxfordowl.co.uk/ (Login: Class Name: vfssycamore Password: VFS19) • Write your own book review on 'Funny Bones' by Allan Ahlberg in your home learning exercise book. <i>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?</i> • Reading Comprehension: Read 'Earth Day 2020' and answer the related questions. (Differentiated Reading Comprehension)

Phonics KS1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review set two and three Sounds: Watch Read Write Inc. phonic Speed Sound lessons at home. Lessons show at 10.00 am, from Monday to Friday. Each one is ten minutes long and available for 24 hours. After Easter, RWI will be adding further sessions to help with spelling. https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCo7fbLgY2oA_cFCI9GdxtQ Phonics Play: children can use the Phonics Play site without needing to subscribe. To access all their phonic resources and fun games, all you need to do is log on using the following details: Username: march20 Password: home April Phonics Activity Calendar (Phase 5): A fun PowerPoint full of quick spelling, sorting and reading activities for each day of the month. The activities have an April Fools and spring theme for April (See PowerPoint attached). <p>Oxford Owl provides also provides a useful guide on how to pronounce sounds and blend sounds together to read words. https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/reading/learn-to-read-phonics/</p>
Spelling, Punctuation & Grammar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tricky Words: This week we would like you to practise spelling and reading these tricky words: where love come some one CHALLENGE: Can you come up with a mnemonic to help you remember each tricky word? (E.g Sally Ann Is Dancing would help you remember how to write 'said') You could also complete the attached activity based around these words. (see attached learning named 'spelling focus') Grammar: Please follow the link to the following BBC Bitesize grammar challenges. What are nouns? https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zrqqtfr/articles/zpd8ng84 What is a verb? https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zrqqtfr/articles/zpxhdxs
Topic	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Please see the 'Climate Change and Environment' topic learning attached.
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>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This week is all about reflecting on what brings you happiness! Take a look at the questions and see if you can answer them using words or pictures. • Also, take a look at Miss North's fabulous colouring for you to complete!
Physical Activity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sign up free to 'Go Noodle' for a range of physical activities, including, yoga, aerobics and Zumba. https://www.gonoodle.com/for-families/ • 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 • Challenge 2: Around The World - Take a look at Mr Webb's challenge card for details of this week's fitness challenge.
Picture News	<p>Take a look at this week's Picture News, you can find this under: Home Learning – Week 6 – Whole School Picture News</p> <p>This week's question to talk about is 'Do you think we will travel less in the future?' 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!</p> <p>Please see letter attached, which gives parents/carers guidance on how to use the Picture News resource at home.</p>
Special Educational Needs & Disabilities	<p>Please see Parents' Toolkit SEND for a wide range of information, support and activities to help you and your family during lockdown.</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zh9v382</p>