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Weekly Home Learning - Year 1

Week commencing: 1st February 2021

	Maths Activities	Completed
1	<p>WALT: Compare the temperature in different places.</p> <p>Over the last few weeks we have been learning about life in Antarctica and the Rainforest.</p> <p>Temperature tells us how hot or cold it is and we measure this in degrees celsius. In school we have been taking the temperature outside as part of our Spring bulbs project and every day we have been checking on the thermometer to see what the temperature is.</p> <p>I would like you to keep a weather diary every day this week for Mumbles, Antarctica and the Amazon Rainforest, which is in Brazil. You could do this by asking Alexa or google or by checking on the BBC website.</p> <p>I have attached a worksheet for this in teams.</p> <p>I would like you to write one sentence for each day, using temperature words such as hottest, coldest, hotter, colder etc.</p> <p>For example, On Monday it was colder in Antarctica than Mumbles. On Tuesday it was warmer in Mumbles than Antarctica but colder than in the Amazon Rainforest</p> <p>Don't worry if you are not able to print the worksheet out. You can just record the answers in your homework book instead.</p>	
2	<p>WALT: Understand the value of numbers.</p> <p>A long, long time ago, in September, we did some work on place value where we were working out what numbers mean.</p> <p>For example: 15 = 10 + 5 18 = 10 + 8</p>	

	<p>I have added a video in teams to recap this activity and a worksheet.</p> <p>Cold: Understand the value of numbers to 30 Warm: Understand the value of numbers to 50 Hot: Understand the value of numbers to 100</p> <p>You don't have to complete all three levels, choose one of the challenges.</p> <p>Once you have finished, try this game to see how clever you are. https://www.topmarks.co.uk/place-value/place-value-charts</p> <p>Don't worry if you are not able to print the worksheet out. You can just record the answers in your homework book instead.</p>	
3	<p>WALT: Recall number bonds to 10/20</p> <p>Knowing our number bonds is very important and it can help us to improve our Maths skills as we get older.</p> <p>I have attached a video recapping number bonds using numicon and an activity on teams for number bonds to 10.</p> <p>If you are super confident, why not try number bonds to 20.</p> <p>Once you have finished, try these games.</p> <p>Number bonds to 10 https://www.twinkl.co.uk/go/resource/T-GO-01-number-bonds-1-to-10</p> <p>Number bonds to 20 https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resource/T-GO-02-number-bonds-1-to-20</p>	
4	<p>WALT: Solve Mathematical problems – Ice Cream Challenge</p> <p>There are 4 flavours of ice cream – <u>vanilla</u>, <u>strawberry</u>, <u>chocolate</u> and <u>mint</u>. How many different 2 scoop ice creams can you buy?</p> <p>Challenge: There are 4 flavours of ice cream – <u>vanilla</u>, <u>strawberry</u>, <u>chocolate</u> and <u>mint</u>. How many different 3 scoop ice creams can you buy?</p> <p>For this activity I am looking to see how the children solve the problem. Do they use a strategy?</p> <p>Don't worry if you are not able to print the worksheet out. You can just record the answers in your homework book instead.</p>	

5	<p style="text-align: center;">My Maths</p> <p>This week I have set you some My Maths challenges on place value and ordering numbers.</p> <p>Watch the lessons first and then complete the online homework activities. Once you have finished I will know and can see how clever you are.</p> <p>If you have any problems setting this up please let me know.</p>	
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	Literacy Activities	Completed
1	<p style="text-align: center;">WALT: Read a range of texts with confidence</p> <p>It is so important for the children to keep reading as much as they can during the time we are not in school.</p> <p>Use this link to find some brilliant eBooks https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk I know lots of you are already doing this and having great fun too.</p> <p>You will need to set up a free account on Oxford Owl if you would like to use it. There are a range of great books available .</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Please record any books read in the Reading diary.</p>	
2	<p style="text-align: center;">WALT: Use a storyboard to plan our writing</p> <p>Over the next two weeks I would like you to write an exploration story. A good story is well planned and the author (you) knows what is happening at the start, the middle and the end of the story before you start writing.</p> <p>Today I want you to plan your story by making a storyboard.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Who is your main character? 2) Where is your character going to explore? 3) What is the special item your character finds on their exploration? 4) What happens at the end? <p>I have attached a template for setting out your storyboard and an example of a story written by me and illustrated superbly by Mrs Harris. Try to stick to this structure if you can and use Once upon a time, One day, Suddenly, Fortunately to start each section.</p> <p>Remember we are not writing the story yet, just planning. We can extend it by describing the character and setting next week.</p> <p>Don't worry if you are unable to print out the storyboard, you can just draw your plan in your homework book.</p>	

WALT: Spell words using common digraphs

This week, our sounds of the week are ng, ow and air.

Mrs Franklin's group - ng

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zvq9bdm/articles/z6bkbdm>

I have attached a cut and paste worksheet with **ng** words for you to try.

Mrs Harris' group - ow

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zvq9bdm/articles/z64j47h>

I have attached a worksheet with **ow** words for you to try.

Read the words and sort them into real or nonsense.

Can you write me some silly sentences using **ow** words?

Mr Lloyd-Jones' group - air

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zvq9bdm/articles/zj39382>

I have attached a worksheet with **air** words for you to try.

Read the words and sort them into real or nonsense.

Can you write me some silly sentences using **air** words?

Don't worry if you are unable to print out the worksheets, you can just write the words in your homework book.

Once you have finished, practise your sound of the week, or any other sounds we have been learning by playing one of these games.

<https://www.ictgames.com/mobilePage/tellATRex/index.html>
<https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/resources/phase/2/picnic-on-pluto>
<https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/resources/phase/2/dragons-den>

4	<p>WALT: Recall details from information texts</p> <p>Read the information about the Rainforest with your Mum or Dad. It is a little bit tricky but it is good to challenge yourself and you should be able to sound lots of the words out.</p> <p>Answer the questions to show me how much you understood.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Where are rainforests found? 2) What is found in the sunlit zone? 3) What do rainforests give us that we need to breathe? 4) What do we get from rainforests? 5) What is the forest floor like? <p>Don't worry if you are unable to print out the worksheet, you can just answer the questions in your homework book.</p>	
5	<p style="text-align: center;">Weekly Welsh</p> <p>Weekly Welsh is happening right across our school. You can find this week's sheet by clicking on the link below or going to the Welsh Language page on our Website.</p> <p>Take your time to watch the film clips before you practice the patterns and make sure that you can remember some of the vocabulary. Practice the patterns with your family or if you are talking to friends online, be brave and ask them: Sut wyt ti?</p> <p>You can listen to the story, and then perhaps mute the sound and have a go at reading one or two of the phrases yourself.</p> <p>This week our pattern is all about saying how we are feeling by using these phrases:</p> <p>Sut wyt ti?</p> <p>Dw i'n.....</p> <p>You can also find out how other people are feeling. The story this week finds out how each of the friends are feeling and we have a band of the week: Calan who play traditional music in a very modern way.</p> <p>We hope that this helps you to support the Welsh that your child is learning and that it is fun to do. Diolch</p> <p style="text-align: center;">https://oystermouthprimaryschool.com/welsh-language/</p>	

	Topic Activities	Completed
1	<p>Jungle and Rainforest writing</p> <p>The Jungle and Rainforest are such interesting places which are home to some amazing animals.</p> <p>Play these games to see if you can match the animals to their pictures.</p> <p>https://www.twinkl.co.uk/go/resource/jungle-and-rainforest-animals-interactive-matching-activity-tg-391</p> <p>https://www.twinkl.co.uk/go/resource/jungle-and-rainforest-animals-interactive-matching-activity-tg-391</p> <p>Write some sentences about some of the animals that live there. I have attached some worksheets to teams. Choose at least one of the worksheets and write me a sentence to describe them.</p> <p>Remember to use a capital letter and a full stop in each sentence.</p> <p>Don't worry if you are unable to print out the worksheets, you can just write the sentences in your homework book.</p>	
2	<p>Explorer's backpack</p> <p>Imagine you are about to set off on an epic adventure to Antarctica or the Rainforest. What would you need to pack to take with you?</p> <p>Make a list of at least five things you will need and tell me why you need them for your adventure.</p> <p>Don't worry if you are unable to print out the worksheet, you can just make me a list or draw pictures in your homework book.</p>	
3	<p>Weather Forecast</p> <p>I would like you to make a Welsh weather forecast like you see on the television.</p> <p>For our Weekly Welsh a few weeks ago you were practising weather words and phrases to do with the weather such as Mae hi'n</p> <p>Now I want you to put it all together.</p> <p>I have attached a video on teams of me doing the weather forecast and the vocabulary from a few weeks ago to help.</p> <p>Good luck</p>	

4	<p style="text-align: center;">Exploring another country</p> <p>When we did our EPIC planning some of you came up with other countries you wanted to explore. Unfortunately we haven't had a chance to cover them all in detail but today I would like you to do some of your own research about a country of your choice. It could be Australia, America, Japan or India.</p> <p>Please don't choose China as we will be going on our final exploration to China next week as it is the build up to Chinese New Year.</p> <p>Can you find out:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What the capital city is? • How many people live there? • Which animals come from your country? • What special buildings are there? • Who is the Prime Minister or leader of the country? <p>Write your facts and draw me some pictures, either in your homework book or on J2E.</p>	
5	<p style="text-align: center;">Health and Well Being</p> <p>Keeping active is so important to us. Try one of these activities each day.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Going for a walk • Riding your bike • Cosmic Yoga on you tube - there are loads of different versions of Cosmic Yoga which we have been doing in school over the last few weeks, including Harry Potter, Star Wars and Moana. I am keen to do this when we eventually come back to school. • Joe Wicks is also doing fitness sessions on you tube on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Have a try at one of those if you can. 	

I hope you all had a lovely weekend. I am so impressed with all the amazing home learning you are doing. Keep it up!! Here is this week's plan for home learning which I hope your child enjoys completing. I have uploaded some videos which show me introducing some of the activities on teams to help you. It would be lovely to see what the children have been up to this week, even if it is not from the plan. There will be Dojo points available as a reward for completed tasks.

My email address is tuckers27@hwbcymru.net

Have a lovely week.

Mr Lloyd-Jones

I hope you and your children are keeping well during these difficult times. Please do not worry if your child does not complete all the Home Learning activities. From personal experience, I know how hard it can be to encourage your child to work from home.

All the teachers, including myself, have recorded videos for the children this week. I hope you enjoy them!

If you require any additional support, please let us know. We appreciate that this is a difficult time for everyone with many of you trying to juggle working from home as well as supporting your children with their activities. We are all here to help!

Please stay safe and healthy!

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