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Weekly Home Learning - Year 6

Week commencing: 8th February 2021

	Maths Activities	Completed
1	WALT develop our mental maths skills	
	Each day this week, please complete at least one daily 10 session.	
	https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/daily10	
	You should start on level 4	
	Doubling and halving: there are 6 challenges within this section	
	If this is easy, go to level 5 doubling and halving	
	Write your answers down in your homework books	
2	WALT use negative numbers and calculate intervals across zero.	
	This is a revision unit and so, should not cause too many problems.	
	Top Tip: Draw a number line in your book which goes from -2 to 0 and then	
	on to 20. It will help you.	
	Sheet 1 in the Maths folders	
	Remember to layout the sums neatly and use a ruler to draw lines. Do written	
	work in your homework books.	
	Choose one colour:	
	Green: I want to check I understand this	
	Pink: I think I know what I am doing	
	Purple: I am confident with this	
	YOU DO NOT HAVE TO DO ALL 3 COLOURS	
3	WALT use negative numbers with temperature	
	Sheet 2 in the Maths folders	
	Again, this is a revision session. You only need to do one colour.	
	Do written work in your homework books.	

4 WALT recognise and use multiples

A multiple is simply a number in a times table. Watch the clip on Bitesize to help you.

https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zqbg87h/articles/zgbpnbk

So for example 12 is a multiple of 4. It is also a multiple of 2 and 3.

Multiples of 4 include 4,8,12,16 and 20

Multiples of 6 include 6,12,18,24 and 30

A **common multiple** is one that is in 2 tables, so for example 12 is a common multiple for 4 and 2

Common multiples of 2 and 5 are 10, 20 and 30 as they both go into these numbers,

The **lowest common multiple** is the smallest number that both go into, so:

10 is the lowest common multiple of 2 and 5

8 is the lowest common multiple of 2 and 8

18 is the lowest common multiple of 2 and 9

Complete one colour on the worksheet

Green: I want to check I understand this Pink: I think I know what I am doing Purple: I am confident with this

5 WALT develop our coding skills

Task 1

Hour of code

Last week several of you asked about the Hour of Code. What a good idea. I have used an easy one to get us going. Practice on the template and then do a version yourself in our class account if you want.

https://studio.code.org/flappy/10

Task 2

If you want to take the challenge you can complete another activity later in the week. Follow the link below:

https://hourofcode.com/es/gb/learn

	Literacy Activities	Completed
1	WALT read a variety of texts, fiction and non-fiction	
	Read every day for at least 20 minutes If you find it hard to remember what you have read, record yourself reading on a phone	
	or tablet, talk about it with someone in your family or write a short review on word or	
	in your homework book.	
	Each time you read, record it in your reading journal or your homework book.	
	Try these sites if you have run out of reading material or log onto the online books at	
	Swansea Library. stories.audible.com	
	https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/audio-stories/zh3t2sg	
2	WALT spell words with different prefixes and suffixes	
	 Copy the words out neatly in order to practise your handwriting 	
	Say them aloud and see how the sounds change even if it's just a little bit.	
	Learn your words	
	• Get someone to test you.	
	• (the sheet has been shared with you on Teams)	
	Take the Challenge	
	Try this game for tricky spelling words:	
	http://www.ictgames.com/littleBirdSpelling/	
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3	WALT write a plan for my story	
3	As we come to the end of this unit, I would like to combine all of the hard work that	
	you have been doing in your literacy with your topic work for the final piece of writing.	
	Please write a story based on An Adventure in Mumbles.	
	Your story should be no more than 500 words and you should incorporate all of the	
	work that you have been doing on planning, character and setting.	
	Task 1 Using a story mountain (planning mountain) map out your ideas for:	
	• The introduction	
	Build up	
	• Critical event	
	• Resolution	
	• Conclusion	
	This is often the hardest part so take your time. Make your story believable so think	
	about including details for places that you have researched around Mumbles. Task 2	
	Make notes on your characters and settings using all of the notes that you have made	
	over the past 2 weeks.	
	Your plan should have	
	all of the key people places and events	
	a starting sentence or paragraph that will grab your attention	
	a believable event (NO ALIENS)	
	a satisfactory ending	

4 WALT write the final version of a short story

Use your plan to write your story.

You should split your story into paragraphs, each paragraph should have one idea in it (either an event or a description)

Remember the **show don't tell** technique so that you build your characters up through their actions and show the settings through what is happening in your story.

You have up to 500 words for your story. So be careful to stick to your plan.

When you have finished, read your work aloud. Listen for sentences that don't sound quite right, repeated words or weak vocabulary.

Go back and check your character and setting descriptions. Have you used strong language?

Check your work against the checklist, which is in the files.

Do any edits to improve your writing.

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Weekly Welsh

Bore da pawb!

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.

This week's pattern asks Ble wyt ti'n mynd? Where are you going?

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: Ble wyt ti'n mynd?

You can listen to the stories, and then perhaps mute the sound and have a go at reading one or two of the phrases yourself.

The story this week finds out how each of the friends travel to school and a story for the Foundation Phase about Ceri a Huw read by Poppy. Our artist of the week is Kathryn le Grice who makes fantastic prints.

We hope that this helps you to support the Welsh that your child is learning and that it is fun to do.

Diolch

https://oystermouthprimaryschool.com/welsh-language/

I am aware that Welsh at home can be difficult and hope that it will be a good way for you to share what you know with your families.

I would welcome any feedback so that I can continue to improve our Welsh provision.

	Topic Activities	Completed
1	WALT stay safe when using the internet This week is safer Internet week, so we are going to investigate our presence on social media, and how we can make sure that we use it safely. These activities have been designed to do as a family, so although you will be able to lots of it yourself, it is important that you discuss the issues, dangers and precautions with your parents and show them this website as it has lots of good advice for parents as you become more active users of the internet.	
	Task 1 https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/8_10/ Play the Band Runner game to remind yourself of the safe way to use the internet. https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/8_10/stay-safe/ find out more by clicking the link above for videos, hints and warning signs https://www.net-aware.org.uk/ Use this tool to check the apps that you use and find tips to keep you safe.	
	Task 2 Now draw a list of top ten tips for staying safe online. Save them to your home learning file https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/support-tools/home-activity-worksheets/ If you want to know more, explore this resource with your parents	
2	WALT show what we have learned from our topic work on Exploring Mumbles You have free choice!! You have worked really hard to learn about Mumbles. You have been able to find out about the tram, some of the key landmarks, natural features and green spaces. Can you choose one or more elements of this topic work and create something to show what you have learned? Some suggestions: • leaflet for visitors • a puzzle book • a treasure hunt around Mumbles • a quiz • a map with clues to solve • a tour for visitors You could also do something that is your own idea. You decide. If you want to check with me then send me an email. This is your final piece of work and so should be done with care and attention to detail.	
3	WALT review what we have learned In the topic file you will find an end of the topic review sheet. Please fill this in with lots of detail. You can do it on paper if you wish but I will use your comments to improve my planning next time and to set your targets for when we come back to school.	

4 WALT draw by observing carefully

At the check in lots of you asked to close our topic with some art work. What a great idea. You have free choice on your medium so you may want to draw, paint or collage, make a model or use digital art to create your artwork.

Your theme should be something linked to our Exploring Mumbles topic. You might want to draw one of your favourite places, an old view of Mumbles in the past, an animal or plant that you can find in Mumbles or an activity or event such as a sport or the Raft Race.

Take care when creating your artwork. Choose your medium to suit your skills. If you want to try some digital art then most Microsoft packages include 3d painter and if you use a tablet then Ibis Paint is free to download.

Take a photo of your work and upload it to your home learning folder.

5 Choose at least one of these to do each day

- Cosmic kids yoga: (bit cheesy but good)
 https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC5uIZ2KOZZeQDQo_Gsi_qbQ
- 2. Marcus Rashford stretch session: https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/m000jycy/celebrity-supply-teacher-series-1-3-marcus-rashford-pe?xtor=CS8-1000-[Discovery_Cards]-[Multi_Site]-[SL07]-[PS_IPLAYER~N~~P_CelebritySupplyTeacher_S1E3]
- 3. Joe: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xs_g2B-D7zg

Notes and any questions you might have will be answered via the Year 6 Team which you can access by logging into Hwb and selecting Office 365. Click on Teams and then Year 6 Home Learning 2020. In here, you will find Literacy, Numeracy and Topic Channels which contain various activities and worksheets. More will be added each week.

Any written work should be completed in your Homework book. For any work on Word or Powerpoint (Office 365 within Hwb), please first go to your Y6 home learning file. Then press +new and select either Word or Powerpoint. This will automatically save your work in the correct folder. I will receive a notification as soon as you have done it, and can give you feedback on your work. Any longer communications will be sent as an email to your account so please keep an eye on your Office 365 email account

My email address is websterd6@hwbcymru.net
Mrs W

You and your family are invited to a Key Stage 2 Quiz On Friday 12th February At 5.00 pm

www.myquiz.com

Code will be sent out in a text

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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