

**Year 2 Remote Learning
Overview
Week Beginning
15.11.21**

Remote Learning Information for Parents
We know remote learning can be difficult and depending on your circumstances will vary.

This planning sheet is a range of activities that mirror the Year 2 learning in school this week as much as possible.

We would suggest a daily Maths, English and focusing on one or two of the foundation activities each afternoon.

If you need any resources please email your child's class teacher.

English

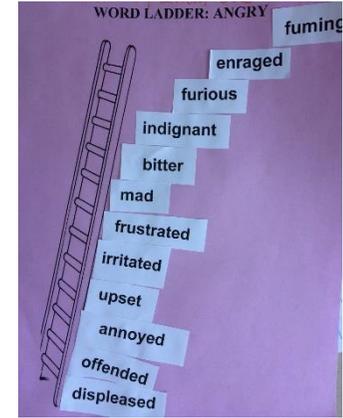
Monday: Read up to slide 4 of Vlad and the Great Fire of London. What do you know about the plague? Read the letter from the maid on the accompanying PowerPoint. Your task today is to think about what disgusting things would be needed to go in a potion in order to cure the plague. Look at the PowerPoint slide of extended noun phrases. Can you create your own extended noun phrase to describe the object in your potion?

Tuesday: Today your focus is on synonyms (words which mean the same or almost the same). Choose one of your extended noun phrases from yesterday and see if you can think of other adjectives which mean the same but have more or less power e.g.in the phrase "a mad rat", mad can be replaced with irritated or furious. Create a ladder of words depending on their power just like the one in the picture.

Wednesday: Look at the two examples of recipes. Which is more descriptive and why? Is this better? What is the format of a recipe? What type of sentences are used? (commands). Write a list of the different subheadings needed for a recipe and begin to make notes of what you will include in each section when writing a recipe for a potion to cure the plague.

Thursday: Today you will use everything you have collected throughout the week to write your own recipe for a plague sure. You must make sure your instructions are clear and in the correct order so that they can followed. Add pictures to your recipe to illustrate the different ingredients.

Friday: Handwriting practice. Go to <https://www.theschoolrun.com/homework-help/the-great-plague> and read the 10 facts about the plague. Choose your favourite 3 and copy them out using your very best handwriting.



Maths

This week we will be learning all about length.

Monday: Complete the Oak Academy lesson based on estimating, measuring and comparing length.
<https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/estimating-measuring-and-comparing-length-in-centimetres-cmup6e>

Tuesday: Complete the Oak Academy lesson on investigating the length of certain body parts.
<https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/investigating-the-length-of-certain-body-parts-6nh6cc>

Wednesday: : Complete the Oak Academy lesson on measuring curved and straight lines.
<https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/measuring-curved-and-straight-lines-6wvkad>

Thursday: Complete the Oak Academy lesson on drawing line with specified lengths.
<https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/drawing-lines-with-specified-lengths-6hgkac>

PE

This week we are focusing on the sport of handball.

Bounce a ball to yourself and strike it with the palm of your hand to a partner so that they can catch it after the 1st bounce.

Now strike into a wall with your partner catching the rebound. How many successful palm strikes and catches can you make before dropping the ball? Try chalking a target on the wall. Can you hit the target before your partner catches? Take turns to have a try.

Game: How long can you keep a continuous rally going against the wall just using hand strikes and allowing the ball to bounce once?

Repeat this activity a few times throughout the week. Can you improve on your previous score each time?

History

Using the questions you created last week about the Great Fire of London, use the link below to see if you can find out the answers.

<https://www.fireoflondon.org.uk/browse-the-collection/>

Write down what you discovered.

Were there any questions you did not find the answers to? Did any of the answers you found create any new questions?

Computing

Digital photography – landscape or portrait?

Run through the PowerPoint slides 1-5, discussing the difference between landscape and portrait photography.

Ask your child to take a photograph of a person in portrait and again in landscape and then repeat with a place as displayed in slides 6-9.

Now complete the rest of the slides in order to evaluate yours and other people's photographs.

RE

Ask your child what they already know about Christians. Discuss how Christians believe in God, the creator of the world and Jesus the Son of God. Discuss the Holy Book, the bible, and that some Christians go to church to worship God.

Introduce Advent being a time of preparation for Christians as they prepare for the celebration of the birth of Jesus. Go through the Advent PPT. Discuss the different parts of the wreath and what they mean. Now follow the instructions to colour their Advent wreaths in preparation for next week.

PSHE – Children in Need

Take a look at the Children in Need website on the link below to see what you can find out about the fundraising event.

<https://www.bbcchildreninneed.co.uk/schools/primary-school/>

Take part in the Joe Wicks workout quiz at 9.30 on Friday morning.

Take a look at the stories relating to the Difference Your Fundraising Makes.

Discover how Children in Need have helped people in our local area as well as our very own Plaza Cinema.

Can you think of a creative way you can raise money from your own house?

