Otter Class Home Learning Term 4 - Week 5

English – 10am Zoom lesson

This week we are going to be looking at the Julia Donaldson story ‘A Squash and a Squeeze’. You can read through the story using the powerpoint attached.

1. Using the pictures (resource 1a) order the pictures and retell in sentences. See if you can use some story language such as ‘Once upon a time’, ‘One day’, ‘After that’
2. Draw an outline of a person. Around the outside write descriptive words/ phrases about the old lady and in a different colour you might also like to add questions you would ask her. Inside the outline write down words to describe the old lady’s thoughts and feelings.
3. Using some of the ideas that you came up with yesterday, write some sentences to describe how the old lady is feeling e.g at the beginning I felt …. Because….. When I pushed all the animals I felt…..
4. We can show the reader how we know characters are cross, upset by describing what they were doing in the story. For example ‘The little old lady folded her arms, pursed her lips and huffed. Write some examples about the little old lady and the wise man.
5. Exclamation marks (!) go at the end of sentences- the sentences usually start with ‘what’ or ‘how’. Look at the examples (3a) write them out on a piece of paper and add an ! or ?

Phonics

On the website below you will find a selection of phonic games. You can sign in free using the following login:

Username jan21

Password home

<https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/>

Pick a different game each day for your child to work on. The children would benefit from accessing games from Phase 4 onwards. Do get in contact with us via phone or email if you would like more advice. For those of you who have picked up a pack you can continue with a game from there.

Reading

We have registered for Oxford Owl reading ebooks. It has a selection of ebooks that you and your child can share together. The website is:

[www.oxfordowl.co.uk](http://www.oxfordowl.co.uk)

The login details are:

Username: otter class 2020

Password: Otters1

You may also like to try these two websites which provide games for you to play

<https://onthespot.offbook-edu.com/>

You can also access the Oak Academy library using this link <https://library.thenational.academy/> where you can find a selection of books and activities.

Maths- 11am Zoom

This week we will be learning about shape. Once the video has finished there are worksheets attached that your child can work through. Whilst you can print the worksheets, you do not need to as your child can write the answers on a piece of paper. You can either send their work to us via a photo or by dropping it into the office so that we can mark it or you can mark it yourself. Once again some of the Year 3 work may be labelled Year 2. This is because as the children learn it’s important to recap on previous learning.

Year 2- 2D shapes

<https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-2/spring-week-7-geometry-properties-of-shapes/>

Year 3- 3D shapes

<https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-2/spring-week-8-geometry-properties-of-shapes/> - Just lesson 5

<https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-2/spring-week-9-geometry-properties-of-shape/> - all lessons

Science

We have been finding out about materials in school and this week we are going to learn more by following some videos on Changing Materials. Follow the links to learn about changing shape, why we change materials, the stretchiest materials and absorbent materials.

<https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/how-can-the-shape-of-solid-objects-be-changed-74uk2c>

<https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/which-material-is-the-stretchiest-c9jp8e>

<https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/which-materials-are-absorbent-c5j6ar>

<https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/why-do-we-change-materials-cgu62c>

Topic

We have been starting to think about where our food comes from. This week we are going to look at how our food gets to our plate. Look through the powerpoint to find out where our food comes from and how it changes form by the time we buy it from a shop. Using a piece of paper create diagrams showing some of the different stages.

RE:

This week we are following on from our lessons in school and learning more about the Parables of Jesus. Follow the link to find the learning.

<https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/what-are-the-parables-of-jesus-6ngp4r>