**Year 1 Home Learning**

Year 1 have collated the following resources to support learning at home during this time. These are

a guide and if you find anything else please feel free to use it.

**Topic / English:**

Our topic at present is Journeys and in Term 5 the children in Year 1 will be learning about Farms.

Children could learn about:

• Landscape features in the country

• Places of interest in Canterbury

• Farm facts

• Space facts

<http://www.sciencekids.co.nz/sciencefacts/space.html>

<https://www.nasa.gov/kidsclub/index.html>

• Neil Armstrong and other real astronauts

<https://www.natgeokids.com/uk/discover/science/space/neil-armstrong-facts/>

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCRFIPG2u1DxKLNuE3y2SjHA>

**English:**

The children have been learning about We’re Going on a Bear Hunt this term:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Waoa3iG3bZ4>.

• Can your child write the story including as many adjectives for the settings as possible

• Can they put themselves in the story and re-write it

Next term their lead text will be Farmer Duck

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Rt5zQ1UO6rE>

• Can children write the story?

• Can they identify adjectives in the story?

• Can they describe the characters and settings?

• Children can also practice their handwriting using pre-cursive letter formation.

• Can they write their own stories with them in it using adjectives and connectives (and, but, so, because).

Twinkl have offered free subscription for their resources;



**Phonics/Reading:**

The children are getting really good at phonics but will always benefit from practicing more!

Here are some resources:

<https://www.ictgames.com/mobilePage/literacy.html>

<https://www.phonicshero.com/new-login/> - some free resources or a 7 day parent trial if you wish.

<https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/> - lots of free phonics games with a free months subscription

• There are also lots of Youtube videos which focus on specific phonic sounds such as

Alphablocks and Geraldine Giraffe.

• Children would benefit from reading as much as possible while at home.

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



• Can they design an alien and use the sounds they know to make up a name. Remember it

must be an alien (made up) word.

**Maths:**

• This term the children have been learning tens and ones with numbers up to 50.

• They have also been adding and taking away with numbers within 20

• They have been measuring length, height and weight.

Next term the children will be focusing on multiplication and division by;

• Counting in tens

• Making equal groups

• Adding equal groups

• Learning doubles

• Grouping and sharing equal groups

The following websites have a lot of good resources

<https://www.ictgames.com/mobilePage/index.html>

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

• Your child could also practice their number formation for numbers up to and beyond 50

• Your child can practice all the different ways of making 10 and then 20.

• The Numbots website and they can practice counting and number recognition on this site

<https://numbots.com/>

**Science:**

The children have been learning about The Seasons with a focus on Spring this term

Next term the focus will be Growing Plants

Children could:

• Plant seeds and make a growth diary

• Learn the names of plants

• Learn the different parts of plants

• Help in the garden

**The Arts:**

• Draw pictures depicting seasonal change

• Create their own shoe box farm

• Practise the Spring Chicken song that we have been learning in assembly

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IEey4LZLeGw>

**PE:**

• Children have been enjoying practising mindfulness via the use of Cosmic Yoga

<https://www.cosmickids.com/>

• How many star jumps can they do in one minute?

• Design a poster about how we can stay healthy and fit