

Year 4 Home Learning
Summer Term
Week 1 20.04.20

I do hope you have managed to have a good Easter break and spent some time with your families in this strange time. Over the next few weeks we will aim to pull together some online resources which can help with learning at home. There are so many different resources and websites so fingers crossed that this sheet, along with this information provided on the school website, will help you find the best learning for your children.

It is vitally important that some kind of routine is found and regular breaks are timetabled in throughout the day. I suggest doing small bursts of learning in different subjects and then regular short breaks too – this will allow children to remain focussed.

Please remember that online applications such as: Active Learn, Conquer maths, Fiction Express, Lexia, Times Tables Rockstars and Spelling Shed are also available and should be used wherever possible. I have really enjoyed receiving your work sent to our class email: y4rosa@cclt.education and encourage as many of you as possible to share the hard work your children are doing.

The BBC Bitesize and Oak Academy websites are full of lots of different learning and you are more than welcome to choose some of these tasks yourself. The ones I have chosen below match our plan from school where possible so will prevent children redoing work they have already done this year.

Maths:

Please make sure that you are keeping up to date with the maths work I have set on Conquer Maths; I can access this and check your progress. There are some more maths challenges for you to try this

week: <https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-4/>. There are some good videos and tasks to complete here. Also, BBC Bitesize is launching daily lessons which are really fun and you might spot some famous faces you recognise along the way- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/tags/z63tt39/year-4-lessons/1>

Remember to keep the Times Tables going on TT Rockstars as well.

At 10am each day, White Rose is having a 'Maths Party'. Here's how you should join:

Go to www.Whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/

Choose your year group.

Watch the video

Try the questions.

Tweet your solutions or ask questions using the hashtags

#MathsEveryoneCanAtHome and #MathsParty

English:

Keep using Bugclub (Active Learn), Lexia, Fiction Express and Spelling Shed as this helps with the grammar and spelling elements of the curriculum really well.

I wanted to look at stories from other cultures with you and a nice one to start is a little animation on the literacy shed called 'Ride of Passage'. Please can you watch the animation and then complete the 2 activities I have outlined below:

<https://www.literacyshed.com/the-other-cultures-shed.html>

Task 1: create a map of Toki's village. Be creative – you can do this any way you like, using any materials you have in your house, or you can just draw it!

Task 2: Imagine you are Toki – write a diary entry about a day in your life.

Finding a routine that works for you will be really important and hopefully some of these suggestions will help. Remember, these are to be done throughout the whole week and it is vitally important that regular breaks are taken.

Most importantly, take time to relax with each other! Enjoy plenty of arts and crafts. Grab a jigsaw and play some board games.

Missing you lots at school and look out for some messages in your inbox on Active Learn when you've completed some work.

Can't wait to see you all again very soon.

Mr Hornsby