

Friday 1st May – Friday 8th May

[Class 2 Planning overview](#)



Dear Parent/Carer,

Please find below an overview for the teaching and learning for the week ahead. I hope the overview is helpful to give you an insight into what your child will be exploring at home over the week.

Our writing this week will continue to be based on Pie Corbett's Magnificent Machines. The children will be developing their writing skills based on the models and diagrams that they made. We will also introduce another spelling strategy. Remember you can use phonics play which is a free online site where the children can practice their phonics sounds as well as tricky words and SPAG.com where quizzes have been set about grammatical features we have learned already the links to these are on the English page.

Our maths this week will look at Roman numerals and addition in different contexts. I hope that the tutorials help to give your child/ren a model to work from and they can expand their understanding from what they see in the short video. The lessons are covering our maths MICE (manipulatives, images, calculations and explanations) which the children are used to completing at school. If your child is enjoying using the White Rose maths tutorials then they can continue with these but please check they are now on Summer week 2. It is great to see some of you doing a mixture of the White Rose and the revision activities.

Mr Thomas will continue to set activities linked with forest school based on the summer term planning; exploring animals and their habitats and comparing where we live which also links in with our science topic of plants.

It is so important that the children look after their bodies as well as their minds; daily workouts with Joe Wicks on You tube are available at 9am, they are a great way to start the day waking up the brain ready for learning. It has been great to see lots of you have posted your morning work outs, pictures, music playing, cookery and outdoor learning. These are extremely important too so please keep it up! We had posted a life skills chart in last week's learning overview. It would be lovely to see some photos of some of these skills like making your bed, setting the table or looking after your pets.

Remember learning takes place all the time, in lots of different situations. I hope that this learning is helpful, fun and engaging for the children. This is a new and unfamiliar situation that has been put upon us all. Working together is vital, so please feel free to email or contact me directly through the class dojo if you have any questions, problems or difficulties you may be facing and I will try my best to help.

Many thanks for your continued support through these challenging times.

Keep safe everyone, Mrs Lee

English tasks

Class 2

- Pretend you are an interviewer on a programme called How Do They Do That? Interview the designer of the machine, asking them to explain how it works. Thinking about the questions which will be asked.
- Create a poster to sell your machine. Which features need to be made prominent? Will you use sub headings?
- Write an explanation about how your machine works.
- Write a set of instructions about how to use the machine.
- Spelling activity.

Online learning resources:

Nessy: www.nessy.com (pupils with access only)

Read theory: www.readtheory.org

BBC Bitesize: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/primary>

Literacy shed: www.literacyshed.com

Primary Resources: www.primaryresources.co.uk

Maths tasks

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- Continue White Rose Maths learning it starts this week at Summer Week 2 lesson 1
- Matching games or dominoes to show figure/image and word for numbers and then the roman numeral on another card
- Imagine each letter of the alphabet has a number (eg A= 3 B=6 C=9 etc) and you have a target to make a word that equals 396. Then, how many words can you make with less than £200 or which word is worth £x amount?
- Use menus to buy items and work out the cost of them. Then imagine you have been given a budget of £35 what combination of food could you buy? Pay with 2 £20 notes. Can you work out the change?
- Create your own board games which using the four operations: addition, subtraction, multiplication and division



- Nrich Reach 100 maths addition problem <https://nrich.maths.org/1130>

Online learning resources:

RM Easimaths: www.rmeasimaths.com

BBC Bitesize: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/primary>

Timestables rockstars: www.trockstars.com

Percy Parker times tables: www.percyparker.com

Themathsfactor.com: <https://www.themathsfactor.com/>

Wider curriculum tasks

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Online learning resources:

Switchzoo.com

Natgeokids.com

Science -Plants

Writing a poem about the lifecycle of a plant.

R.E

Reflecting on your beliefs and what you think your representation of Jesus is.

Topic- Romans

To create a roman mosaic and understand how they were used.

PSHE

Exploring our feelings and how to express them