Year 1 Week 6 - commencing 6th July Learning Overview

Thank you for your ongoing support with home learning. As in previous weeks we have planned the same learning for children in school and children at home. This is to ensure that children at home don't miss out on the curriculum we are teaching in school. However we understand that all families are working with different circumstances and have



indicated what we are asking for as a minimum as well as what is optional. Please select those lessons on google classroom that work for your family and support your child's interests.

School children: Children attending school will receive all lessons in school <u>except</u> science, mental maths, phonics, common exception words and reading on Bug Club.

Home learning children: As a minimum, please complete the maths lesson on time (please submit worksheet 1 on google classroom), the English poem lesson (please submit their poem on google classroom) and continue reading regularly on Bug Club. All other lessons are optional.

Summary of lessons - week 4:

PSHE In preparation for the transition to Year 2, we are reading the book 'Red: A Crayon's Story'. This lesson helps children understand that we don't know what someone is like just from their appearance. The children will complete a crayon template about their likes, dislikes and feelings, to share with their new teacher. This lesson is optional for home-learning children but if they do complete a crayon template please share with us on google classroom - their new teachers will be able to see it too!

English This week we are looking at poetry and Acrostic poems in particular. We will look at the different features of poems and how to create an acrostic poem. The task is for children to create an acrostic poem using their name. The teachers have made some examples on the slides and there is also a wordbank for vocabulary that they might want to use. Please submit the poems to Google Classroom.

<u>Maths</u> The maths lesson on time continues the children's learning from last week. Please submit worksheet 1 on google classroom. Worksheet 2 is optional but does support their learning of the days of the week and months of the year. The mental maths lesson recaps learning from this term. There is also a summer holiday maths activity booklet which has lots of fun maths activities.

Holiday Day activities

Each year we take the children on a pretend holiday for 'holiday day'. We usually choose a country, pretend to travel there on an imaginary airplane and then once we 'land' we spend the day doing fun activities based around that country. This year we will be going to Italy, making italian art, visiting an Italian cafe, learning about the Ancient Romans and learning some Italian. We understand that there may be some areas where activities may be different for you at home. For example, the Cafe activity requires some italian snacks, and we will leave you to decide whether this is something you would like to do at home. Please feel free to change these activities in order to make holiday day work for you. Some other ideas include, making your own pizza's, using lego to make Italian landmarks, or listening to Italian music. You don't have to share your holiday day learning with us, but please feel free to send in photos if you would like to share. If your child comes to school they can come in holiday clothes on Tuesday and Thursday. They do not need uniform but no flip flops or sandals please!

Reading and Spelling

- 1. Reading: books on Bug Club
- 2. Grammar days of the week.
- 3. Spelling revise all common exception words
- 4. Phonics split digraphs

Science - signs of summer

Listen to Mrs Davies read a story about two children going on a Nature Treasure Hunt. Learn about the signs of summer and go on a summer treasure hunt to find the signs of summer in all the colours of the rainbow!

<u>Year 2</u>

Your new Year 2 teacher is setting you a task on Google Classroom too. They will also be popping in to see the children in their classes this week. If your child does not come to school you will have been invited to come and see your current teacher and new teacher on Friday.

Silly Squad Stories

We hope you have enjoyed the Silly Squad stories! Thank you for sending us your Silly Squad stories back! Please keep sending them to us and don't forget to join the Summer Reading Challenge!

DON'T FORGET

If you come to school please wear your own summer clothes on Tuesday and Thursday.

Please return all books to school as soon as possible!