

June 2020

Dear Parents,

Hope you are all keeping well during this extremely difficult period. Remember that although it is important to try and spend part of each day doing some school work, it is equally important to have some time to just enjoy being at home doing 'fun' things. The current situation is so uncertain at the moment, but school will stay in touch as much as possible.

This 'Home Learning' pack has been provided for you to complete work at home over the next three weeks. This is the order we are going to be teaching in school for weeks 1-3 of Summer Term 2. If your child is coming into school on any day next half term please could you follow this pattern to ensure they haven't already completed the work we are going to do. If your child is staying at home you could complete these in any order. Thank you

Monday	Literacy LPDS sheet	Numeracy White Rose maths Lesson 1	RE	Gangsta Granny Reading to finish off the book
Tuesday	Literacy LPDS sheet	Numeracy White Rose maths Lesson 2	Art	Gangsta Granny Reading to finish off the book
Wednesday	Literacy LPDS sheet	Numeracy times tables/ maths games	PSHE	Gangsta Granny Reading to finish off the book
Thursday	Literacy LPDS sheet	Numeracy White Rose maths Lesson 3	PE - Time to get active *Catch up with Joe Wicks – The Body Coach TV YouTube channel * Practise throwing and catching skills or bat and ball skills * Devise an obstacle course around the garden (make sure it's safe!) * Make up your own dance routine	Billionaire Boy Class reader (completed in school, but if you have a copy the children could read at home too)
Friday	Literacy LPDS sheet	Numeracy White Rose maths Lesson 4	Topic- Rivers	Billionaire Boy Class reader (completed in school, but if you have a copy the children could read at home too)

Literacy

- We have included a weekly literacy plan for weeks 1-3 published by LPDS. After clicking on the relevant link, you will need to create a free account which requires your email address and a password to access the texts.
- From the lovely posts you have been putting on Facebook, the children seem to be really enjoying reading and completing activities based on 'Gangsta Granny' by David Walliams. We are sure that the children will be keen to finish the story, so we have included some optional activities for the children to work on which are listed on the separate sheet.













<u>Maths</u>

- Continue to practise times tables regularly using Times Table Rockstars or Hit the Button.
- Each day, log on to White Rose Maths Home Learning Year 4 where there are daily maths lessons with a power point. The worksheets have been provided in this pack and answers will be emailed to you weekly.

Here is the website: <u>https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-4/</u> For further help or information, you can also look at BBC Bitesize.

Geography

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This half terms topic is 'Rivers'. On the separate sheet, we have provided a variety of activities for the children to complete based on rivers in the UK and around the world. Please complete these activities in week order. These activities include watching online videos, research, some worksheets and a chance to be as creative as you like!

<u>PSHE</u>

During these extremely unusual times we need to continue to 'Think Positive', so we have included a variety of activities that promote positive thinking.

Week 1 Have a go at creating a poem that includes all the things that make you feel happy.

Week 2 Design a 'Positive Thinking Cap' that has a key message for others.

Week 3 Over a week, complete a diary that records a positive thought at the end of each day.

There are also lots of extra activities to complete on the Positive Thinking Challenge Cards and these can be completed in any order.

Art

Week 1 Warm up drawing exercises and drawing texture double sided sheet

Week 2 Geometric designs (link with Islam topic in RE)

Week 3 Design a prayer mat (link with Islam topic in RE) no pictures of people or animals on the prayer mat, mostly patterns. Save this there is a prize for the most beautiful one!

RE

Week 1 Visiting a mosque sheet to complete

Week 2 Features of a mosque

Week 3 Islam quiz

Purple Mash

You can continue to use your Purple Mash login details to access lots of programs linked to the curriculum.

We hope you enjoy doing these activities. Remember it's also important to exercise daily, play games, do things you enjoy, laugh and have time to just relax too!

Best wishes Mrs Belshire and Mrs Mayor













Investigating Rivers

'Rivers' is our topic for this half term. Here are some activities for you to complete at home. Please completed them in week order.

<u>Week 1</u>

River features/Investigating Rivers Factfile

Some useful websites:

https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z849q6f/articles/z7w8pg8

http://www.onegeology.org/extra/kids/earthprocesses/rivers.html

https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/geography-ks1ks2-rivers/z6qsf4j

https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/clips/zb39jxs

Have a look at the above websites. They show the key features of a river and the journey a river takes. Read the fact file sheet and using the words at the bottom the 'River features' sheet try to label the diagram of the river. The key words sheet in this pack will help with the definitions of each word or you could research them on the internet.

I have included an answer sheet too, but don't look at it until you have had a go!

Week 2 UK

Seas and Rivers/World Rivers Map

Using an atlas or the internet, try to find the rivers and seas of the UK and the world and label them using the labels on the sheet. How many have you already heard of?

Answer sheets included....no peeking until you have completed the work though!

Week 3

<u>Rivers of the World (This may take a couple of sittings to complete!)</u>

Choose a river of the world (it could be one closer to home if you like) and find out as much about it as you can. You can choose how to display your research. It could be a poster that includes question and answer lift the flaps, a factfile booklet or you could make a powerpoint to show to the class when we are all back at school (which might be before the holidays but if not we can do it when you are in Y5....now that makes you sound old!). You may even decide to invent and make a game that includes travelling along the river answering/finding out













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facts about the river. It's totally up to you how to display your research, be as creative as you like! Try to include facts such as:

How long is the river?

What countries does it run through?

Where is the source/mouth of the river?

What towns/cities are built on the river?

What wildlife lives in or near the river?

Where does the name of the river come from?

Any additional facts you can find out about your chosen river.

Feeling creative? This can be completed at any time during Week 1-3

If you are feeling creative, you could make your own model of a river with all the key features labelled! Look at the picture below as an idea.















Next activities for Gangsta Granny by David Walliams Summer term 2

Read each chapter and then complete the activity linked to it.

Ch 19	Comprehension questions- see extra sheet			
Ch 20	Using a dictionary (real or online) work out what these words and			
	phrases mean:-			
	evaded, ashamed, humiliated, notable, electrified with excitement,			
	prickle of anxiety			
Ch 21	Flavio Flavioli was running the dance competition. Ben was hoping the			
	competition would be cancelled. There is a list of things that could			
	happen, please think of three more.			
Ch 22	Just read this one.			
Ch 23	Comprehension questions- see extra sheet			
and 24				
Ch 25	See if you could make up a plan/map of their journey from one side o			
	the River Thames, under the river and into the jewel house.			
Ch 26	Read about all the fantastic crown jewels. If you are feeling arty you			
	could draw some of them.			
Ch 27	Make a list of questions to ask the Queen if you had the chance. Could			
	you role play an interview with the Queen?			
Ch 27	Read these last chapters spread out over a few days. (some of it is			
onwards	quite sad) Your last task is to write a newpaper report. I want you to			
	imagine that Ben and Granny did manage to steal the crown jewels. I			
	have provided a sheet for you set out in columns to write on. Don't			
	forget you need a headline and your report should answer the			
	questions, what, who, where, when, why and how.			
	Make it sound as exciting as possible. Include exciting description and			
	interesting phrases. You can look back in the book for more			
	information on the jewels and the Tower of London. Don't forget a			
	description of Ben and Granny as wanted people.			
	In school this would take 2-3 lessons. You would plan it, draft it, edit			
	it and copy it out in neat.			
I hope you have enjoyed reading the book. If you have the DVD it might be nice				
to watch that now and see how closely they kept to the plot in the book.				









