

# Year 2



# Homework 8

Practise weekly spellings. Read to an adult **5** times a week. Practise your times tables. Activities from the list below are to be completed over a two-week period.

# Spellings Week 1

's' sound is spelt with 'c' if it before e, i or y.

- 1. race
- 2. face
- 3. brace
- 4. ice
- 5. mice
- 6. nice
- 7. cell
- 8. city
- 9. fancy

10. spicy

## Spellings Week 2

'I' sound can be spelt 'le' at the end of words.

- 1. Bible
- 2. apple
- 3. little
- 4. table
- 5. cable
- 6. bottle
- 7. middle
- 8. scramble
- 9. tumble
- 10. trouble

Write a sentence for each spelling.

### **English**

If possible, watch this video about Grace Darling:

www.bbc.co.uk/teach/schoolradio/history-ks2-gracedarling/zkwq47h

Write a diary entry as though you are Grace Darling. Write about what happened the night of the storm and how you would have felt. Remember to describe the weather and how the waves crashed. Include 2A sentences and good adjectives. Challenge yourself to use a simile.

#### Maths - Money & Coins

- **1.** If possible, play this coin game: www.topmarks.co.uk/money/coins-game
- **2.** Draw and label all the notes we have in England. Remember £ means pounds.
- **3.** Make these amounts using notes and coins: £5, £7, £9, £10.50, £15.10, £21.30, £26.70
- **3.** Draw and cut out all of the coins and notes we have in England. Once you have cut them out, put them in order from smallest value to largest value.
- **4.** Continue to practise key skills such as times tables and number bonds.

#### RE

**1.** See Y2 Home Learning RE for weekly activities and resources for the topic of Reconciliation.

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ts/homework/year-2-home-learning/

- 2. Grace Darling was a very brave and courageous woman who saved people's lives. Create a prayer card thanking God for Grace Darling. Decorate your prayer card with pictures relating to the sea and any other images that symbolise her.
- **3**. Using the words BRAVE or GRACE, create an acrostic poem.

## DT - Making a Boat

- 1. **Design** Design a model of a boat and label the materials you will use.
- **2.** Make Following your design, make your model using scrap materials!
- **3.** Test Does your boat float in water? If not, why?
- **4. Evaluate** Look at your model. Think about what has worked well and what would you change next time.

**PE** – Try to get 30 minutes of exercise a day.

- 1. Join in with PE with Joe Wicks every morning.
- **2.** Put something on the floor that you can safely jump over. Jump from one side to the other counting how many bounces you can do in 1 minute. Can your family members beat you?

## Science

As we are learning about Grace Darling, we are going to think about floating and sinking. Collect 5to 10 items that can get wet like spoon, a pencil, an apple etc. Draw a table with the headings 'Item',

Item	Prediction	Result
Pencil	Float	Float
Plate	Sink	Sink

'Prediction' and 'Result'. Predict if each item will float or sink. Get a container of water, place each item into the water and see if it floats or sinks. Complete your table!

## History & Geography - The Seaside - Lighthouses

Grace Darling was a lighthouse keeper's daughter. She is famous in history for rescuing survivors from a shipwreck that happened in the night. Research Grace Darling and find out what happened on the night of the shipwreck. Write down facts that you find including her date of birth and how she spent the rest of her life. Present these facts in any way you wish – a poster, leaflet, PowerPoint etc.