

HELPFUL RESOURCES YOU CAN USE AT HOME

Literacy

At home you could

- ◆ Read a library book together.
- ◆ Hear your child read their book every night and sign the reading log.
- ◆ Practise your child's spellings every night. Make it fun by getting them to see how fast they can write, write in different colour pens, sing them, use foam letters in the bath!
- ◆ Write a shared story together and read it at bedtime.
- ◆ Practise handwriting together.

Websites and apps

<http://www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/literacy/>
<http://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/ks1/literacy>
<https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/>

Numeracy

At home you could

- ◆ Children can support parents with measuring ingredients while cooking.
- ◆ Measure objects around the house and compare the length and height of different objects.
- ◆ Weigh a variety of objects around the house and compare the weight of different objects.

Websites and apps

<http://www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/maths/index.html>
<http://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/ks1/maths/>
<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/>

DK 10 minutes a day times tables (free app)

History / Science

Trips

- ◆ Visit the Royal Air Force Museum. Admission is free. It is free for children to travel on public transport.
- ◆ Visit the Science Museum. Investigate how things are made and why.

At home you could

- ◆ Make paper airplanes and explore how to make them fly.
- ◆ Take care of mature plants and explore different conditions for plants to grow in.
- ◆ Watch animations of the first flight on Youtube - The Wright Brothers - First Flight.
- ◆ Use craft to build a simple version of the 1903 airflyer.

ENGLISH

We are learning to:

- ◆ Currently we are focusing on Narrative writing.
- ◆ Our core text is Rosie Revere, Engineer.
- ◆ Writing an invention narrative and a narration.
- ◆ Understanding the writer's knowledge.
- ◆ Use a variety of punctuation in our writing (.,'?!)
- ◆ Use a variety of grammar features such as conjunctions, expanded noun phrases and compound nouns.
- ◆ Use suffixes (-less -ful, -er -est)

MATHEMATICS

We are learning to:

- ◆ Length and height.
- ◆ Mass and capacity.
- ◆ Measuring in centimetres and metres.
- ◆ Compare lengths and heights.
- ◆ Order lengths and heights.
- ◆ Four operations with lengths and heights.
- ◆ Compare mass.
- ◆ Measure in grams and kilograms.
- ◆ Four operations with mass.
- ◆ Compare volume and capacity.
- ◆ Measure in litres and millilitres.
- ◆ Four operations with volume and capacity.

HISTORY

We are learning to:

- ◆ Identify important events surrounding the history of flight.
- ◆ Explain how a significant event has changed the lives of others.
- ◆ Ask questions about people and events in the past.
- ◆ Use primary sources to find out about people and events in the past.
- ◆ Correctly order five events on a timeline.

SCIENCE

We are learning to:

- ◆ This half term we are focusing on plants.
- ◆ Taking care of plants.
- ◆ Do mature plants need light?
- ◆ Does temperature affect the growth of mature plants?
- ◆ Do mature plants need water?

YEAR 2

Why was the first flight significant and what can you recall about it?



MUSIC

- ◆ Zootime - Reggae

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

We are learning to:

- ◆ Identify how some prophets' feelings changed and explain the people's reactions to new prophets.
- ◆ Understand the promises God made to some individuals, including promises shared across the Christian and Jewish worldviews.
- ◆ Describe the story of the Night Journey and identify common prophets in the Muslim, Christian and Jewish worldviews.

COMPUTING

We are learning about:

- ◆ E-Safety

PSHE

We are learning to:

- ◆ Getting on with others
- ◆ When I feel like erupting
- ◆ Feeling safe
- ◆ Playing games
- ◆ Harold saves for something special
- ◆ How can we look after our environment?

ART

We are learning to:

- ◆ Sort map images into groups, explaining their choices.
- ◆ Draw a map of their journey to school, including key landmarks and different types of mark-making.
- ◆ Decide how to place 'jigsaw' pieces to create an abstract composition.

PE

We are learning:

- ◆ Sitting volleyball and Boccia
- ◆ Games- Throwing, catching, aiming and striking.