

Learning at home guidance and ideas

<u>Year 1</u>

It is important that you continue to learn while you are at home during this time out of school. The combination of resources and websites will provide your child with the opportunity to continue to be educated while at home; along with the ideas listed below.

English	 Daily spelling practice using look, cover and check strategies; along with other activities – a pack of resources is included to do this. Reading regularly – this can be books (fiction and non-fiction), magazines, comics or information on the internet. This will help to practice fluency and develop understanding. www.oxfordowl.co.uk have a lot of free e-books available to read, including within the different colour bands (see attached user guide) Use of Lexia at home – at least 20 minutes a day (not every pupil has a log in to this) https://www.lexiacore5.com/ Handwriting to practice letter formation of capital letters and lower case letters (see attached format sheet). Practice writing their full names (first name and surname). Phonics – there are a number of interactive games that pupils can play on these websites: https://www.letters-and-sounds.com/phase-2-games.html http://www.letters-and-sounds.com/phase-3-games.html Most pupils are currently working within Phase 5 so should practice sounds in Phase 3 and Phase 5.
Maths	 Practice times tables – in Year 1 pupils should be able to recall the 2, 5 and 10 times tables Use of Times Table Rockstars daily <u>https://ttrockstars.com/</u> Use of Numbots – log into TT Rockstars and then click on the Numbots logo to access it. <u>https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button</u> and <u>https://www.timestables.co.uk/</u> - these can be used to practice times tables. Diagnostic questions website (see information below).
Other subjects	 In History, we have been learning about Explorers. Use the internet to find out more about Neil Armstrong and Christopher Columbus.

 In the Summer Term, we will be learning more about the seasons and the weather in the United Kingdom in Geography. Look out of the window to find out what the weather is like and keep a record. In Science, we will be learning about plants. Use the internet to find out what plants need to grow and if you can, plant a seed and watch what happens.

The BBC Bitesize website is a really useful resource to help Year 1 pupils revise different areas of the curriculum:

https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/levels/z3g4d2p

Twinkl have created packs of learning for each year group to use while at home:

https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resources/extra-subjects-parents/school-closures-category-free-resources-parents/school-closures-free-resources-parents

Diagnostic Questions Guidance

https://diagnosticquestions.com/Account/Login

All children have a log in and password for this account, which will provide them with a range of quizzes which can be monitored by Mr Jessop at home. Mr Jessop will be setting more quizzes daily. There will be plenty of work for the children to do to practice their skills. Use the revision guides to help if they become stuck with certain questions. Individual usernames and passwords will be sent out in a separate Parentmail.

<u>https://corbettmathsprimary.com/</u> also provides a range of videos which help explain any mathematical concept that the children need to know for Year 1 learning.