



Home Learning WEEK 5 – 18th May 2020



Age Range: Y5

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Weekly Maths Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day)

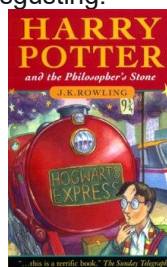
Focus of the week: Multiplication

- Log on to [Times Table Rock Stars](#) and try to move up the school leader board! Your login details are in your school planner.
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- Use the IXL website to:**
 - [Multiply a two digit by one-digit number](#)
 - [Multiply a two digit by two-digit number](#)
 - [Multiply a three digit by one-digit number](#)
 - [Multiply a three digit number by a two digit number](#)
 - Challenge yourself by attempting the [Nrich Multiplication Square problem](#). Click on the [solution](#) to see if you have completed the task correctly.
 - Use your multiplication skills to complete the attached reasoning problems.
 - Log on to MyMaths and complete the work for each day. This week, you will be working on: **short and long multiplication**
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Weekly Reading Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day)

Focus of the week: Author's use of language

- Complete [this lesson](#) about author's use of language. The lesson is based on Malorie Blackman's book 'Tell Me No Lies'
- Answer three comprehension questions about the Paper Bag Prince. They all focus on the author's use of language.
- Listen to Daniel Radcliffe (the actor who played Harry Potter) read the [first chapter](#) of Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone
- Listen to David Williams read a chapter from the World's Worst Children – '[Windy Mindy](#)'. Warning, it's disgusting!



- Keep accessing Reading Plus! We recommend you complete 2 reading activities and 2 vocabulary activities, as a minimum, each week.

Weekly Spelling Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day)

Spelling focus: Words with silent letters

- This week's spellings are: **category, cemetery, committee, communicate, community, competition, conscience, conscious, controversy, awkward, bargain, bruise.**
- You could write these spellings in some silly sentences, bubble letters or picture words.
- You can click on to **Spelling Tiles** the free game for this rule is '**Snowball Smash**'.



- Ask someone to test you on this week's Year 5/6 spellings.
- Weekly spelling strategy:** make and practice with **FLASHCARDS**. Put the word on one side of the flashcard and the definition of the word on the other side.









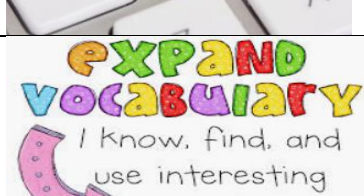

Weekly Writing Tasks (Aim to do 1 per day)

Writing focus: Descriptive narrative

- For a writing challenge, use one of these [story starters](#). Try to write a short and descriptive narrative.
- You will need to [describe your setting](#). Watch the video for tips on how to write an excellent description.
- Watch [this video](#). It shows us how to 'show and not tell.' Can you include this technique in your writing to make it more descriptive?
- Remember to include [prepositions](#) in your writing. They will help to build a detailed picture in your narrative.
- Once you have completed your story, you need to check it makes sense. Here's how to [proofread and identify errors](#).
- Looking for an extra challenge? Greater depth writing activities can be found on the [Talk 4 Writing](#) website.

Talk4Writing

Creative aims to provide opportunities for your child to gain a better understanding of the topic that they are studying. Learning may focus on the different areas of the curriculum and provides your child with the flexibility to lead their own learning. They are in control of the direction they wish to follow on their journey to make new and exciting discoveries.

C		Look at this website . It has lots of healthy meals which you could create. Look at each of the meals and pick one which you would like to create. You must do the preparation and any cooking with an adult. Please email or Tweet us pictures of your meals!
R		Watch this video and read the article about a balanced diet. Can you pass the balanced diet quiz? Write down any tips you are given on how to get more fruit and vegetables into your diet.
E		Explore this healthy recipes website. Find recipes for snacks which you think are healthy but also delicious! Which of these snacks could you include with your balanced meals?
A		Draw yourself a blank plate. Sketch the different foods which make up a balanced diet.
T		Watch some videos from the Blue Peter Cooking Club . This will help you decide which meal or snack you would like to create for your family. Remember to check you have all the ingredients and watch the video very carefully.
I		A child of ten years old should have two pieces of fruit and five portions of vegetables each week! I wonder if you do? Use Microsoft Excel to record how much fruit and veg you have each week. Think about ways you could increase the amount you have.
V		Use an online dictionary to define the following words. Generate a picture for each word to show its definition visually. This week's words are: fibre, nutrients, carbohydrates, proteins, vitamins, calories.
E		Write an explanation of what a balanced diet is and why it is so important. Try and use some of the focus words above , to make your explanation sound as scientific as you can. Why not make a poster to show off your learning?

SCIENCE INVESTIGATION

This week, we have another science experiment for you to try.
Your task is to make and explore dropping paper spinners
(see separate sheet for details)

[Classroom Secrets](#) – has home learning packs for each different year group. The packs include activities linked to reading, writing, maths and practical ideas you can do around the home.



[Oak National Academy](#) has lessons which help parents to support children with special educational needs. They cover a range of subjects including: communication and language therapy, numeracy, creative arts, independent living and therapies.



[Hamilton Trust learning packs](#) can form the basis of home learning or be used alongside other materials. They have excellent resources for English and Maths.



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Look out on Twitter for:

[Mrs Biddle Rawbone's painted rocks](#)

[Mr Iqbal's Maths challenge](#)

[A special shout out to a child in Y5 for some amazing maths work!](#)

[Mrs Harmer's weekly French challenge](#)

Thank you for your continued help and support.