



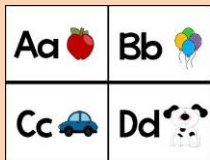
Queensgate Primary School

Home Learning



Below you will find the areas to focus on with your child this week. The children will have already been taught the sounds, tricky words and numbers below so this is an opportunity for them to consolidate their learning. Please also remember to read regularly with your child at home and access the suggested websites for more activities for you to do at home.

Sounds / blends of the week



Mrs Aitken's
Group

Miss Sutherland's
Group

Miss White /
Mrs Heath's Group

er (better)

or (fork)

k (kit)

st (nest/star)

ur (burn)

ck (duck)

Can your child think of any words that have these sounds in? Can they write a list of the words containing these sounds or write some sentences with these sounds in?



Each week your child will be set a challenge on Spelling Shed linked to our Sounds of the Week. Please encourage them to log on each week to complete their task.

Tricky words



said

have

Can your child read and write these tricky words? Can they tell you what is tricky about the word? Can they say a sentence containing one or more of these tricky words? Perhaps they could write a sentence with these tricky words in? Can they spot the tricky words in books, stories online or in print in the environment?

Number of the week



18 eighteen

Can your child identify this number? Can they count out the correct number of objects? Can they count on/back from this number? Can they tell you one more/one less or ten more/ten less? Can they find this number in the environment? How many different ways can they add together 2, 3 or 4 numbers to total this amount? Can they make this amount using coins? Can they share 18 into 6 equal groups?



White Rose Maths provide some excellent, free resources for Early Years. Click on the images to the left and it will take you to the website. Next week (Summer term, Week 5) the activities are based around 'Superworm'. We would love to see pictures of any of the activities you manage to complete on the ILD.

ILD task



This week our area of learning is...

Expressive Art and Design



Art for Kids Hub is a great YouTube channel full of videos showing children how to draw different animals, characters, flowers etc. Each video provides clear, step-by-step instructions for the children to follow. I would love to see any pictures of the children's drawings on the ILD. Please click on any of the pictures above and it will take you to the Art for Kids Hub YouTube page.

ILD Task continued...



Or you could take a look at www.accessart.org.uk/matchboxworlds as recommended by our art subject leader. We would love to see your miniature creations. Be sure to practise your own cutting with support from a grown up. You can be as creative as you like with your design. If you don't have a matchbox to hand then any small box or even a small piece of card will do just fine. As an alternative you can create any piece of art or collage that you feel inspired to do, maybe even in the style of an artist you admire!

Eat Fit, Keep Fit week

This week would have been our annual 'Eat Fit, Keep Fit' week in school, when, for the entire week, our whole curriculum is focused around PE, exercise and sport. So, we'd love you to run the week, as best as you can, at home. Click on the blue link below to take you to a folder containing a wide range of activities for you to have a go at: there's a home-made Sports' Day; a treasure hunt; English and maths linked fun; a home-made Olympic Games; healthy-eating recipes; family challenges and much more.

[Eat Fit - Keep Fit resources](#)

Please see the letter within the folder which explains things in a little more detail. In the letter it mentions a 'Healthy Lifestyles' video and a 200 word challenge which are more appropriate for the older children which is why the related links are not on our blog.

Hopefully, you will find lots of fun ideas to try at home and feel free to roll activities over into the holiday if you need to!

Hello from Chester and Ben!

This week Chester and Ben have been doing lots of reading. They had a good look through my book collection at home and chose which ones they wanted to read. They really enjoyed Farmer Duck. I wonder if you have listened to that story before?



Useful Websites

Just click on the images below to take you to the following websites.



A range of online activities and games to try at home. Children's log in details can be found in the back of their reading records.



A range of reading and writing activities to try at home. Children's log in details can be found in the back of their reading records.



A fantastic range of resources to support all areas of learning and they are currently free. PowerPoints can be downloaded and many resources can be printed for use at home.



Free eBooks for your child to read at home.



PhonicsPlay has a new, updated website. All of the characters and games are the same and it is still free but the set up is slightly different.



Topmarks

A variety of online activities and games for all age groups.



A collection of fun activities / ideas to do at home to give you some inspiration if needed!



PhonicsPlay.com
COMICS

Free, decodable comics linked to the phonics phases as an alternative to reading books online.



A fun, interactive phonics game! The children create their own monster who they then teach to read whilst adventuring around a magical world. The game is free on a computer and there is an app available to purchase.