

## Year 1 Home Learning Tasks W.B: 13.07.2020

Hello Year 1,

I have enjoyed seeing your work on The Bear who came to Babysit! That was a fun story!

This week we are going to try some poetry! As we are in the Summer months, this week I would like you to think about signs of Summer and things you like to do in Summer.

As usual, keep an eye on Class Dojo for your extra challenges and any resources needed! Remember to keep sharing your work too!

### Suggested English Activities:

(All activities do not need a writing template and should be written straight in to a book).

This week in your writing, I would like your focus on rhyming and repeated refrains. The main aim when writing a poem is to make sure it has a good flow, rhyming words and ideas that link together, related to your theme of Summer.

Please access 'Discovery Education Espresso'

<https://www.discoveryeducation.co.uk/what-we-offer/discovery-education-espresso>

Use the school log in provided on Class Dojo. Select, Key Stage One, English and then Poetry. I will direct you to useful things on here throughout the week, but to start look at the videos and listen to some of the poems for some inspiration. I will share any additional resources needed on Class Dojo during the week.

- Listen to Espresso poems. Brainstorm your ideas about Summer, think of the weather, activities, memories, signs of summer, summer foods etc. List all of ideas about Summer that you could include in a poem.
- Rhyming – Access Espresso or Phonics Play rhyming games. Practise making rhymes using these games. Look back at your work from yesterday, select words about summer and see if you can make any summer rhymes.
- Summer Acrostic Poem – Write down the word 'Summer' think of your ideas about Summer and create an acrostic poem.
- Use all of your ideas from the week to construct a summer poem, make sure it includes some of your summer rhyming words.



## Phonics/Reading

Keep accessing Lexia each day too. We recommend 10-15 minutes each day!

Please keep continuing to access the 'Letters and Sounds for home and school' on YouTube Daily at 10.30am.

Don't forget to continue accessing E-Books on Oxford Owl website:

<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/reading-owl/library-page>

Remember, you can also now access Discovery Education 'Espresso' and Ed Shed sites. Both have great phonics and English resources that you can use at home!

Try to keep up with daily handwriting and letter formation. I have attached the handwriting groups to this document for you to use and make your way through, why not try practicing a group each day?

There is also a video showing correct formation for each letter, on Espresso.

## Maths

Please continue to access White Rose home learning for Maths. There are lessons and activities on here daily. These lessons follow on from what we were learning when we were last in school. I will prompt you to these and send you some challenges on Class Dojo throughout the week.

<https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-1/>

If you find things tricky remember it is always good to practice with practical resources first!

Remember to keep accessing Numbots regularly each day too!

## History Project -Transport Continued -The History of Trains!

This week to finish our History project, we will focus on the history of Trains and significant individual George Stephenson.

I will share information and resources with you about George Stephenson and trains on Class Dojo.

Activity Ideas:

- Create a fact file of George Stephenson's life, inventions and achievements.
- Draw your own time line of George Stephenson's life.
- Write about the first steam train. Where was it built? What was it called? Where was the first journey? How fast did it travel?
- Compare the first steam train to the trains we use now. How have they changed? What improvements have been made? What differences are there?

Handwriting Groups:

### Curly Caterpillar Letters

c c a a o o  
q q g g d d  
e e s s f f

### One Armed Robot Letters

r r m m n n  
h h b b  
k k p p

### Ladder Letters

l l i i j j  
t t u u y y

### Zigzag Monster Letters

v v w w  
x x z z

History Project Continued:

### George Stephenson Word Mat

engineer machine  
inventor track  
locomotive Stephenson's Rocket  
railway steam engine  
George Stephenson

# George Stephenson



Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_



Date of death: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ is significant because \_\_\_\_\_

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A picture of George Stephenson.



Interesting Fact

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Darlington's Brick Train Landmark:



### Other Creative Ideas

- Make a junk model Locomotive/Steam Train.
- Make tickets for the first ever train journey Stockton-Darlington
- Sketch the Brick Train Landmark.
- Design a poster advertising the first steam train journey for passengers.
- Pretend you were alive and went on the first passenger train journey, write a postcard to a friend telling them all about it.