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Year 2 Mrs Horton's class

Dear Year 2 children and parents,

Once again it was great to see you all in the Zoom meetings last week and I am looking forward to this week's meetings.

Your learning this week has a 'summer' theme and I hope you really enjoy choosing from the range of activities suggested. Please continue to use 'Nessy' this week as it is a brilliant tool for reading, spelling and writing. Please note that our Nessy subscription will run out at the end of this week.

Week Commencing: Monday 13th July 2020

Summer Project ideas (including English, Art and DT)



Design a delicious new ice cream or ice lolly. Will your ice cream have one scoop or two scoops? What flavours will you choose? Will it have a flake or a cherry? Will it have raspberry sauce or sprinkles?

- draw your ice cream or ice lolly and colour it in
- label it
- give it a fabulous name

Design a poster for selling your ice cream or ice lolly. Imagine it will be stuck onto the window of an ice cream van.

- think of a catchy phrase that will get a customer's attention
- how much will it cost?
- think about including a special offer

Perhaps you could make your own ice lolly...

<https://www.bbcgoodfood.com/howto/guide/five-easy-ice-lollies>

Write a 'summer' story. Imagine that your ice cream or ice lolly is magical and just one lick takes you to the seaside for an adventure. Would you ride on a dolphin to visit a mermaid or be chased by a scary octopus and rescued by a friendly shark? Would you join the crew of a pirate ship and sail the high seas?

Perhaps 'Bubbles' will give you some inspiration <https://www.literacyshed.com/bubbles.html>

or

Imagine your dream holiday with your family. Would you go to a beautiful sandy beach next to a bright tropical sea? Would you swim with dolphins or snorkel over a coral reef? Would you build a fantastic sand castle with flags in the towers and a deep moat filled with seawater? Would you go crabbing in the rock pools? Would you zoom down the highest slides at the water park? Would you drink coconut milk and eat a delicious ice cream sundae?

Write a postcard to your friends. Draw a holiday scene on the front.



Design yourself a pair of sunglasses – use the ‘Sunglasses Design Sheet’ on the website.

Make and then decorate a paper aeroplane. Perhaps you could also make one for your grown-up and challenge them to a flight competition.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=r9ReNKZiZnc>

Create some Pop Art with a ‘summer’ theme. Perhaps you could draw around your own flip flops or the sunglasses template on the website.



Maths

- Complete the ice cream challenge on the website.
- Have a go at the ‘Summer Maths Booklet’ on our home learning website.
- Try the ‘Activity Mats’ in the ‘Maths’ section of our website.
- Please keep using ‘Times Table Rock Stars’ to improve fluency of times tables.
- If you love maths and like a challenge, why not watch some ‘Maths Mansion’
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=v1G6PXayO3Q&list=PL47Eq6-2EcXLwkwMHK9qQEyh2L-DXRBUu>
Some of the episodes may exceed Year Two expectation, but they’re good fun!

PSHE and reading

Here are some stories you may enjoy listening to, reading and discussing.

Following your dreams – ‘Mae Goes To The Stars’

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=k6JDDoZixZ8&safe=active>

Being yourself -

‘Perfectly Norman’

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bNqt9x-pfKM&safe=active>

‘The Hueys’

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0c5IAvmj04A&safe=active>

‘Something Else’

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DSp9j3yDKKQ&safe=active>

Facing challenges – ‘Jabari Jumps’

<https://www.bing.com/videos/search?q=roof+top+reader+jabari+jumps&docid=607998593936524302&mid=D759236CAE54335B435BD759236CAE54335B435B&view=detail&FORM=VIRE&adlt=strict>

'My Monster and Me'

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jUedx58rTA0&safe=active>

If you are celebrating your birthday this week or during the summer holidays then a huge 'Happy Birthday!' to you. I hope you have a lovely day.

As this will be your final home learning letter for this academic year, may I take this opportunity to thank you for your patience and support as we have all faced the many challenges of the past few months. It has been lovely to hear about the learning your children have been doing at home, to see the photographs in the gallery on the school website and to have a chat with them via Zoom. I hope you and your families have a very happy summer and everyone at Five Ways look forward to welcoming the children back to school in September.

My thanks and best wishes to you all,

from Mrs Horton

