

# **Five Ways Primary School**

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# Year 2 Mrs Horton's class

Dear Year 2 children and parents,

I hope you are all feeling fit and well and full of energy because this week we have a new and exciting theme ...

# it's 'Sports Week!!' /



As we cannot have this year's Sports Day together at school this year we are going to celebrate all things sporty during your home learning this week.

This week's letter includes options for your home learning in maths, reading, spelling and writing, and also some projects themed around 'Sports Day'.

Our advice for your week's home learning is to complete up to one bullet point from each section, if possible, per day. If you are able to spend between one to three hours, per day, on your home learning, that is great. Most Year Two children would benefit from doing a daily phonics or spellings session of 15 to 20 minutes, a daily reading session of between 15 to 30 minutes including discussion, a daily maths session of between 20 to 40 minutes, a daily writing session of between 10 minutes to 30 minutes depending on the task, and an active PE session. Remember to take a break between each session of learning and take the chance to do something sporty.

Please continue to use 'Nessy', our online reading and spelling programme. It is a super resource and all children at Five Ways have an account. Your grown up will have received an email in March containing your log in details.

Just a reminder that you are not being asked to do all of the activities, you are being provided with suggestions to choose from. Please refer to the resources on the website to help you navigate this week's learning.

If you would like this week's sporty activities to be celebrated on our school website then please send a photograph of it to: <a href="mailto:y2photographs@fiveways.staffs.sch.uk">y2photographs@fiveways.staffs.sch.uk</a>. It is great to see all of the brilliant learning you are doing at home!

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

Best wishes and take care, from Mrs Horton















# Week Commencing: Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2020

#### **Daily Spelling**

#### Children in Miss Heeley's phonics group:

• 15 to 20 minutes of Nessy every day All other children:

- 10 to 15 minutes of Nessy
  - learn this week's spellings

# Strategies you may wish to use to help you to learn your spellings:

- Look, say, cover, write, check
- Quickwrite, Pyramid, Squiggle

#### **Extension challenges for confident spellers:**

- revise your knowledge of suffixes by making a list of words ending in the suffix 'ing'.
- establish some rules for adding 'ing', e.g. *jump-jumping* skip skipping swim-swimming
  - Challenge: Use your 'ing' word in a verbal or written sentence.

#### Daily Reading (pick one per day)

## Children in Miss Heeley's phonics group:

• learn to read the Year 1 and Year 2 common exception words

https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resource/t-l-5089-new-common-exception-words-years-1-and-2-word-mat

#### All children:

- choose a Bug Club book or a book from the elibrary on home.oxfordowl.co.uk
- visit the 'Widening Your Reading' link on our website.
- choose a BBC Bitesize reading lesson or an Oak National Academy reading challenge

#### **Extension challenges for confident readers:**

Link to this week's Sporty Theme – find out about the Olympics on Kids Britannica.
 https://kids.britannica.com/kids/article/Olympic-Games/353563
 You can try the Newsround quiz to see how much you've learnt.
 https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/4876896

#### **Weekly Writing**

#### Children who need more support:

 practise your letter and number formation

#### All children:

 Watch the story 'Ambrose Goes For Gold'

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sP9-U8hHYyI

#### Writing options:

- -Design a poster to advertise the Insect Games.
- -Write as Ambrose, e.g. a diary about your day, a letter to a friend, retell the story.
- -Write a paragraph about what you are good at (this could be a sport or a special talent), there is a template on our website if you'd like to use it.
  - choose a BBC Bitesize or Oak National Academy English challenge

#### **Extension challenges for confident writers:**

Write a non-fiction report about your favourite athlete or your favourite sport.

#### Daily Mathematics (pick one per day)

#### Children who need more support:

 use the 'maths toolkits' that were sent home to continue to practise partitioning ordering and comparing numbers to 100 (eg which number is bigger 13 or 30?)

### All children:

- choose your next MyMaths challenge
- beat your ttRockstars score
- complete today's Oak Academy or BBC Bitesize Maths task
- Try a game on 'Daily Ten', (number bonds, adding ones, adding tens) remember the more you practise the quicker you will get!
   https://www.topmarks.co.uk/mathsgames/daily10
- Watch videos 'Lesson One' and 'Lesson Two' about measuring length on White Rose <a href="https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-2/">https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-2/</a> and try the 'Measuring Length Worksheet' on our home learning website.

#### **Extension challenges for confident mathematicians:**

 Try the 'Measuring length' or 'Comparing Length' in the maths section of our 'Year 2' Home Learning <a href="http://www.fiveways.staffs.sch.uk/">http://www.fiveways.staffs.sch.uk/</a>















# Weekly Projects: Choose from...







PE: Sports Day

Have a look at the 'Kids PE Challenges' document on our website, it's full of links to fun workouts and dances for you to have a go at! Or you could try the Joe Wicks Workout https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCAxW1XT0iEJo0TYIRfn6rYQ

Please send us pictures of you getting sporty to share on our website!



Topic - Geography: Sports from other countries

Find out about what sports are played in other countries – we have already studied Japan https://wiki.kidzsearch.com/wiki/Sport in Japan but you could look at any country!

# Learn about Japanese 'sumo' wrestling.

https://web-japan.org/kidsweb/virtual/sumo/sumo01.html

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#### Learn about the New Zealand 'haka' dance

https://wiki.kidzsearch.com/wiki/Haka

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DT: Design a Medal for a winner

Think about what material you have and make your best winner's medal.



Art: Design your own PE kit

Imagine Mrs Mander has told us that she wants a new PE kit at Five Ways. Your job is to design your own kit, how exciting! You can use the template on our Home Learning section, or you can get creative and make your own.













