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Year 1 Miss Cattell's class

Hello to my lovely class,

I hope you have all had a successful week of Home Learning. I have continued to enjoy my daily walks this week even though we have had a few changes in the weather. I must admit, I feel that I am getting a little slower each time we go for a walk. (It's more like waddling now.) We have walked (waddled) alongside the canal in Penkridge and we visited Slitting Mill. We have been lucky enough to see some beautiful flowers including, poppies, wild fox gloves and lily pads. We also saw some fish, ducklings and deer. Not forgetting, we also saw the biggest pig we have ever seen. Ruby was very confused! It has been so lovely to be able to visit others this week in open spaces. I have been lucky enough to visit my Mom and Dad's back garden and my Grandparents' garden too. Have you been able to visit any of your wider family at a safe distance?

This week's letter includes some choices for your weekly home learning in maths, phonics, reading, spelling, writing, and also some projects. Please note, you are not being asked to do all of the activities, you are being provided with suggestions to choose from. Please aim to complete one bullet point from each section per day and use the resources on the website to help you navigate this week's learning. There is no set expectation for how long any task should take. This is just a guide to offer extra support should you need it. Some children will need to do activities in short snippets and others will be able to engage in an activity for longer. Please use the resources on the website to help you navigate this week's learning. However, it is important for each Year One child to complete a daily phonics session of between 15 to 30 minutes. In addition to this, try to exercise for at least 1 hour per day. Both children and grown-ups: we know and appreciate that you're trying your very best so thank you. Also please remember to try and stay active!

I hope that lots of you have been working hard on your art work for the Caroline Bowers art award. Don't forget, you can complete a piece of work on your own, your grown up can complete a piece of work and your whole family can get involved in producing some art work. I can't wait to see your entries when you return to school, until then keep it safe at home.

If you would like your work to be celebrated on our school website then send a photograph of it to: y1photographs@fiveways.staffs.sch.uk - please ask your grown up to do this for you. If you haven't already, please go and look at all of your friends achievements. It would be lovely to see and hear from more of you. Your grown ups can still send an email to this link even if you do not wish for your photographs to go on the website. (If you do attach a photo, please state that you do **NOT** want this uploaded to the website.)

For those of you who have celebrated a birthday this week, or have one during this lockdown, I would love to see or hear about how you celebrated it. I would like to wish you a very happy birthday! I hope you celebrate with your family and still manage to have a magical day.

I would like to wish you all a lovely week of home learning and I hope you enjoy some of the tasks that have been set. I hope you enjoy some fun and quality time with your family too.

Stay Safe and Keep Smiling.
Miss Cattell.



Week Commencing: Monday 8 th June 2020.	
Weekly Spelling/Phonics (pick one per day)	Weekly Reading (pick one per day)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Select a Nesy reading or spelling challenge. Choose an activity from this week's SPaG mat. <p>https://www.fiveways-primary-school.org.uk/admin/ckfinder/userfiles/files/Mat%202.pdf</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Complete an activity from the phonics section of the website from the Phase you are working on. Choose 5 of the Year One Common Exception Words to practise. <p>https://www.fiveways-primary-school.org.uk/admin/ckfinder/userfiles/files/T-L-5155-Year-1-Common-Exception-Words_ver_4.pdf</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Access Spelling Frame and choose an activity from the Year 1 section appropriate for your child's level. <p>https://spellingframe.co.uk/</p> <p>(Please see the Home Learning: Phonics/Reading section on the school website to support these activities.)</p> <p>Strategies you may wish to use to help you to learn your spellings:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rainbow write Look, say, cover, write, check Quick write – write the word as many times as you can in 30 seconds pyramid writing Draw around your hand and see how many times you can write the word. <p>Extension challenges for confident spellers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Write the word in a sentence – try to write a statement and a question. Find other words that use the phoneme you are learning, or other words that use the same spelling rule – (ai, ay, a-e) Alternative spellings for the 'ee' sound. <p>https://www.fiveways-primary-school.org.uk/admin/ckfinder/userfiles/files/t-l-527435-alternative-spelling-for-ee-sound-activity-sheet.pdf</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Choose a Bug Club book to enjoy. Listen to and watch the audible story: 'Sharing a Shell'. <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VpJumAZx1t8</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Choose BBC Bitesize reading lesson: 'Cake' by Sue Hendra and Paul Linnet. <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z7f2xyc</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explore this week's Pobble 365 activity: 'White Rabbit'. <p>https://www.pobble365.com/white-rabbit</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Read a book of your choice and ask your grown up to ask you three questions about what you have read. <p>(Please see the Home Learning: Phonics/Reading section on the school website to support these activities.)</p> <p>Extension Challenges for confident readers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Complete a book review about a book you have read. Complete this week's comprehension activity. <p>https://www.fiveways-primary-school.org.uk/admin/ckfinder/userfiles/files/t-l-51731-goldilocks-and-the-three-bears-traditional-tales-differentiated-reading-comprehension-activity.pdf</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Choose an inference activity. <p>(Select the 'Inference Challenge' tab on the school website.)</p> <p>(Please see the Home Learning: Phonics/Reading section on the school website.)</p>
Weekly Writing (pick one per day)	Weekly Mathematics (pick one per day)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Daily tasks for 'Sharing a Shell'. Practise your handwriting and make sure you can form every letter (lower case 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Choose your next MyMaths challenge. Complete today's White Rose maths lesson .

and capital letter) and every number correctly.

- Access Oak National Academy: 'Terrifying T-Rex' (information writing) and complete the writing task.

<https://www.thenational.academy/online-classroom/year-1/english#subjects>

- Learn to read and spell some more of the Year 1 common exception words.

[https://www.fiveways-primary-school.org.uk/admin/ckfinder/userfiles/files/T-L-5155-Year-1-Common-Exception-Words ver 4.pdf](https://www.fiveways-primary-school.org.uk/admin/ckfinder/userfiles/files/T-L-5155-Year-1-Common-Exception-Words_ver_4.pdf)

- Write between one and five sentences every day, e.g. write about what you have done that day, write a letter to a friend or maybe write a blurb for a book you have read.

(Please see the **Home Learning: English** tasks section of the school website to support these activities.)

Challenge:

- Try to learn between 5 and 10 new words each week.

- BBC Bitesize maths lesson: Problem Solving involving volume and capacity.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zhgysy9g>

- Oak National Academy maths challenge: To compare the mass of more than two objects (lesson 7).

<https://www.thenational.academy/online-classroom/year-1/maths#subjects>

- Choose an activity from Topmarks.

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/5-7years/counting>

- Choose an activity off this week's maths mat.

<https://www.fiveways-primary-school.org.uk/admin/ckfinder/userfiles/files/Year%201%20Spring%20%20Activity%20Mat%202.pdf>

(Please see the **Home Learning: Maths** section of the school website to support these activities and for any additional maths challenges.)

Challenge:

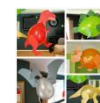
Maths link with our Weekly Project:

- Measure and make some salt dough fossils.



Weekly Project: All about Dinosaurs!!

- Walking with Dinosaurs: Watch an episode of BBC's 'Walking with Dinosaurs' or Cbeebies' 'Andy's Prehistoric Adventures' and collate some facts. Make a fact file or a poster presenting the new facts you have learnt. (Please ask an adult to support you with selecting an episode. <https://www.bbcearth.com/walking-with-dinosaurs/> or <https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episodes/p03hc1rn/andys-prehistoric-adventures>)
- Dinosaur Balloons: Use paper plates and balloons to create your favourite dinosaur. Google images have some lovely ideas.
- Dino Yoga: Join Jaime at Cosmic Kids Yoga and join in with 'Tiny the T Rex' story: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rnIDBKD2S78>
- Dinosaur Dancing: Join in with the 'Koo Koo Kanga Roo gang' and dance to the 'Dino Stomp.' Can you add any of your own moves to the Dino Stomp? <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lmhi98dHa5w>



For very busy families who would prefer an even simpler option:

Daily Learning:

- Nesy – 15 to 20 minutes
- Bug Club or Oxford Owl's e-library – 15 to 30 minutes including discussion, don't use 'Read to me'
- White Rose daily maths task or My Maths – 20 to 40 minutes
- Writing challenge – 10 to 30 minutes
- Active challenge such as PE skills.

