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## Year 4 - Class 4ER

Hello Hawks,

Firstly, thank you to those of you that joined the Zoom calls again earlier this week. It was so lovely to chat to you and find out what you have been up to. I hope you all enjoyed taking part in our fun quiz and seeing Clover. Don't worry if you didn't manage to join the call, we have our final calls this next week coming. Ask your grown ups to check their emails for the new invitation as this will contain the code you need to join.

It's hard to believe that this next week would have been our last week before the summer holidays. Are you doing something special in your summer holidays? I'm really looking forward to visiting my daughter as I've not seen her in person since February due to lockdown - we even had to do a Zoom call so I could see her opening her presents on her birthday! There are a few birthdays coming up soon in our class. This weekend not long after we break up, it is Lauren's birthday. At end of July, it will be Charlie's birthday and in August, it will be Imogen's birthday. Happy birthday to all of you! I hope you all have wonderful birthdays with lots of presents.

This last week, I have been busy at school again with the children of key workers. The weather has been awful though and has stopped us doing lots of lovely things outside. I am hoping that the weather improves again soon, especially now that I've had my air conditioning fixed in my car! You have worked so hard too through these very strange days and done so well to keep your learning ticking along. This will hopefully be your last home learning letter. All of the Year Four team would like to wish you a super duper summer holiday.

I have been monitoring Times Table Rockstars closely and it has been lovely to see the number of you achieving your rock star status. Remember, if you complete 11 studio games, it will refresh your average speed and then update your rock star status. We have quite a few of you who are sitting in the Headliner position and are so close to reaching the ultimate goal. Give it a try and see if you can move up to the next category.

For this week's home learning, I would like you to aim to complete one bullet point from each section, per day. Please aim to spend between 1 to 3 hours, per day, on your home learning. Please use the resources on the website to help you navigate the learning for this week.

In addition to this, try to exercise for at least 1 hour per day. Remember, you can log on to The Body Coach TV to complete a PE workout with Joe Wicks. Please see the direct link to this on our website.

If you would like your work to be celebrated on our school website then ask your grown-ups to send a photograph of it to: [yr4photographs@fiveways.staffs.sch.uk](mailto:yr4photographs@fiveways.staffs.sch.uk). I have really enjoyed seeing the photographs of you working from home, on our school website.

Enjoy your home learning.

Mrs Robinson



Week Commencing: Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> July 2020	
Weekly Spelling (pick one per day)	Weekly Reading (pick one per day)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nessy reading spelling challenge</li> <li>This week we are going to be looking at words where the 'f' sound is spelt using the letters 'ph.'</li> </ul> <p><b>photography</b>  <b>paragraph</b>  <b>pharaoh</b>  <b>pharmacy</b>  <b>phobia</b>  <b>physical</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Make a poster to help you learn the spellings that you have been given using lots of different techniques, e.g. pyramid words, rainbow words, bubble writing, writing the vowels in a different colour.</li> <li>Use a dictionary to check the meaning of the words: photography, paragraph, pharaoh, pharmacy, phobia, physical. Write each spelling into a sentence to show their meanings:</li> <li>Look, cover, write, check each spelling or ask a grown up to 'quiz' you on the six spellings that you have been given this week.</li> <li>See how many other words you can find where the 'f' sound is spelt using the letters 'ph.'</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reading Bug Club.</li> <li>Find a poem about summer.</li> <li>Research what a shell is made out of and the different types of shells that can be found on a beach in the UK.</li> <li>Complete the reading comprehension 'Our Coasts', which you can find on the school website.</li> <li>Complete the reading Comprehension all about Octopuses which is on the school website.</li> </ul>
Weekly Writing	Weekly Mathematics (pick one per day)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Choose any book from home. Copy the first ten lines of the text onto a piece of lined paper using your very best joined handwriting. Think carefully about the size of your letters. Make sure the tall letters stretch to the line above. Remember, we do not join from capital letters.</li> <li>For your writing task this week, we would like you to write a letter or a postcard to your teacher and send it to them using the email address detailed above. It would be really lovely to hear from you. You can talk about anything you want to, this might be lockdown experiences, something that you are looking forward to, achievements, interesting facts about yourself, things that you have enjoyed in Year Four, the choice is yours.</li> <li>Write an interesting sentence for each of these words. Try to expand the noun in each sentence by adding adjectives and a</li> </ul>	<p>3D shapes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Oak National Academy - Lesson 1: 3D shapes (Week 12 – Monday).</li> <li>Oak National Academy - Lesson 2: 3D shapes (Week 12 - Tuesday).</li> <li>Oak National Academy - Lesson 3: 3D shapes (Week 12 – Wednesday).</li> <li>Oak National Academy - Lesson 4: 3D shapes (Week 12 – Thursday).</li> <li>Oak National Academy - Lesson 5: 3D shapes (Week 12 – Friday).</li> <li>TTRockstars – Please complete 11 studio games to refresh your rock star status. Let's see how many rockstars we can get in Year Four!</li> <li>MyMaths – 3D shapes</li> <li>Bitesize. Visit the link given on MyMaths to test your knowledge about 3D shapes.</li> <li>Name the 3D shape – worksheet on the website.</li> </ul>

prepositional phrase. For example, if I asked you to use the word 'cup'. The chipped, red, flowery teacup sat alone at the back of the cupboard. Now you try using these words: bucket, sandcastle, boat, jellyfish, shell, ice-cream, blanket, deckchair, crab, bottle.

### Weekly Project:

#### Summer

Summer holidays this year, are going to feel a little bit different for lots of us. Maybe your holiday plans have been cancelled or had to change. Are you still going on holiday? Maybe you are going on holiday somewhere in the UK and your holiday can go ahead.

For your project, I would like you to use the theme 'summer holiday'. You might like to recreate some holiday moments from previous holidays. Think about activities and games that you might play on a beach. Can you play these in the garden?

Can you create a beach scene, this could be made using a shoebox or even a sandpit in the garden if you have one. I have added some instructions to the website for you to create a piece of artwork called 'Sea Art'. I would love to see your finished masterpieces. I have also added some summer mindfulness colouring sheets and a summertime wordsearch.

How about finding out about wildlife that you might find at a beach. How are rock pools formed? If you are going to visit a beach in the UK, you might be able to explore the rockpools and find some of the creatures that you have researched. I have added a 'Rock Pool Identification Sheet' to the website that you might like to use.



What can you spot in this rockpool?

You might find these Spotter sheets handy too!

Coastal wildlife spotter sheet - <http://773d9157e47840f2e3a2-ba01378755c916aafd018e2a6c7792f2.r58.cf1.rackcdn.com/Coastal%20spotter.pdf>

## Coastal Wildlife Spotter



Rockpool detective sheet -

<https://www.wildlifewatch.org.uk/images/Downloads/spotters/rockpool%20detective.pdf>

## Rockpool detective



Shoreline detective sheet -

<https://www.wildlifewatch.org.uk/images/Downloads/spotters/shoreline%20detective%20compressed.pdf>

## Shoreline detective



**Other Useful Resources:**

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

<https://www.tigtagworld.co.uk/>

Username: TigtagStudent

Password: schoolsout

