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## Year 1 Mrs Robinson's class

Hello children,

I hope you have all had a lovely week! Hopefully you have continued to enjoy some of the activities we suggested for this week.

Again this week I have been back in school all week working with a small group of children from different year groups. We have continued to learn about life under the sea, fractions and learned the days of the week and months of the year in Spanish! As usual, this letter includes some choices for your weekly home learning in maths, phonics, reading, spelling and writing, and also some projects.

For this week's home learning, I would like you to aim to complete one bullet point from each section, per day. As stated in my last letter, there is no set expectation for how long any task should take. These are 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. It would be important for each Year One Child to complete a daily phonics sessions of between 15 to 30 minutes.

Don't forget, 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](mailto:y1photographs@fiveways.staffs.sch.uk) - please ask your grown up to do this for you. I love being able to see all of the lovely activities you have been doing.

Have a good week and enjoy some of the suggested activities.

Best wishes and take care,

from Mrs Robinson



Week Commencing: Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> June 2020.	
Weekly Spelling/Phonics (pick one per day)	Weekly Reading (pick one per day)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Select a Nesy reading or spelling challenge.</li> <li>Choose an activity from this week's SPaG mat.</li> </ul> <p><a href="https://www.fiveways-primary-school.org.uk/admin/ckfinder/userfiles/files/Mat%205.pdf">https://www.fiveways-primary-school.org.uk/admin/ckfinder/userfiles/files/Mat%205.pdf</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Complete an activity from the phonics section of the website from the Phase you are working on.</li> <li>Choose 5 of the Year One Common Exception Words to practise.</li> </ul> <p><a href="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</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Access Spelling Frame and choose an activity from the Year 1 section appropriate for your child's level.</li> </ul> <p><a href="https://spellingframe.co.uk/">https://spellingframe.co.uk/</a></p> <p>(Please see the <b>Home Learning: Phonics/Reading</b> section on the school website to support these activities.)</p> <p><b>Strategies you may wish to use to help you to learn your spellings:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rainbow write</li> <li>Look, say, cover, write, check</li> <li>Quick write – write the word as many times as you can in 30 seconds</li> <li>pyramid writing</li> <li>Draw around your hand and see how many times you can write the word.</li> </ul> <p><b>Extension challenges for confident spellers:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Write the word in a sentence – try to write a statement and a question.</li> <li>Find other words that use the phoneme you are learning, or other words that use the same spelling rule – (ai, ay, a-e)</li> <li>Alternative spellings for the 'or' sound.</li> </ul> <p><a href="https://www.fiveways-primary-school.org.uk/admin/ckfinder/userfiles/files/t-l-527446-alternative-spelling-for-or-sound-activity-sheet_ver_1.pdf">https://www.fiveways-primary-school.org.uk/admin/ckfinder/userfiles/files/t-l-527446-alternative-spelling-for-or-sound-activity-sheet_ver_1.pdf</a></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Choose a Bug Club book to enjoy.</li> <li>Listen to and watch the audible story: 'Barry the Fish with Fingers'.</li> </ul> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ewsgwi-wM4w">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ewsgwi-wM4w</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Choose BBC Bitesize Design and Technology lesson: 'Food and Nutrition'.</li> </ul> <p><a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z7yb42p">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z7yb42p</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Explore this week's Pobble 365 activity: 'Thank you'.</li> </ul> <p><a href="https://www.pobble365.com/thank-you">https://www.pobble365.com/thank-you</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Read a book of your choice and ask your grown up to ask you three questions about what you have read.</li> </ul> <p>(Please see the <b>Home Learning: Phonics/Reading</b> section on the school website to support these activities.)</p> <p><b>Extension Challenges for confident readers:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Complete a book review about a book you have read.</li> <li>Complete this week's comprehension activity.</li> </ul> <p><a href="https://www.fiveways-primary-school.org.uk/admin/ckfinder/userfiles/files/t-l-51965-the-three-billy-goats-gruff-traditional-tale-differentiated-reading-comprehension-activity.pdf">https://www.fiveways-primary-school.org.uk/admin/ckfinder/userfiles/files/t-l-51965-the-three-billy-goats-gruff-traditional-tale-differentiated-reading-comprehension-activity.pdf</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Choose an inference activity.</li> </ul> <p>(Select the 'Inference Challenge' tab on the school website.)</p> <p>(Please see the <b>Home Learning: Phonics/Reading</b> section on the school website.)</p>
Weekly Writing (pick one per day)	Weekly Mathematics (pick one per day)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Daily tasks for 'Barry the Fish with Fingers'.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Choose your next MyMaths challenge.</li> <li>Complete today's White Rose maths</li> </ul>

- Choose BBC Bitesize history lesson: 'Who is Mary Seacole?'  
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zk7mkty>
- Access Oak National Academy: PSHE - Agony Aunt  
<https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/agony-aunt>
- Practise your handwriting and make sure you can form every letter (lower case and capital letter) and every number correctly.
- 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.
- Common Exception Words Handwriting Practise.

[https://www.fiveways-primary-school.org.uk/admin/ckfinder/userfiles/files/Exception\\_Words\\_Handwriting\\_Practise\\_Cursive-unjoined\\_Year\\_1-2.pdf](https://www.fiveways-primary-school.org.uk/admin/ckfinder/userfiles/files/Exception_Words_Handwriting_Practise_Cursive-unjoined_Year_1-2.pdf)

- Choose an activity to complete from the SPaG Booklet.

[https://www.fiveways-primary-school.org.uk/admin/ckfinder/userfiles/files/English\\_SPaG-Booklet\\_Year-1-2.pdf](https://www.fiveways-primary-school.org.uk/admin/ckfinder/userfiles/files/English_SPaG-Booklet_Year-1-2.pdf)

lesson .

- BBC Bitesize maths lesson: Comparing objects to 100.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zwbwr2p>

- Oak National Academy maths challenge: To find double and half of an amount of money.

<https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/to-find-double-and-half-of-an-amount-of-money>

- 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%2020Activity%20Mat%205.pdf>

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

#### Challenge:

Maths in Everyday Life:

- Using your toys or during your daily walk explore direction and position: describe position, direction and movement, including whole, half, quarter and three quarter turns.
- Explore fractions: recognise, find and name a quarter as one of four equal parts of an object, shape or quantity.
- Explore time: tell the time to the hour and half past the hour and draw the hands on a clock face to show these times.

#### Weekly Project: SPACE.

Our summer term topic would have been 'Space'.

This week for your project we would like you to design a space themed project. It could be a rocket made out of things around your house.

A poster all about a famous astronaut or...

**Please send us your photos!!**

#### Link for ideas:

- Who is Neil Armstrong?

<https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/who-was-neil-armstrong>

- Neil Armstrong moon landing.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cwZb2mqld0A>

- How to make a rocket ship.

<https://www.penguin.co.uk/articles/children/2017/craft-a-diy-rocket-from-see-you-in-the-cosmos/>

- 20 outer space crafts for kids.

<https://artsycraftsymom.com/outer-space-crafts-for-kids/>

- Mae Jemison – First African American woman to become an astronaut.

<https://kids.britannica.com/kids/article/Mae-Jemison/400118#:~:text=Mae%20Jemison%20was%20the%20first,than%20a%20week%20in%201992.&text=born%20on%20October%201956,the%20youngest%20of%20three%20children.>

