

## **Five Ways Primary School**

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## **Year 3 Miss Pearsall**

Dear wonderful Rhinos,

I hope you have had another fabulous week. This week I have been doing lots of different activities with my group at school, we have been creating insect art, planting vegetables and picking out the weeds in the wildlife area, writing descriptions of haunted houses and playing lots of games of volley ball and around the world in tennis. At the weekend I met my mum and dad over Cannock chase to go for a long walk with our dog Alfie.

It was fantastic to speak to those of you that joined the Zoom calls this week. Myself and Mrs Gibbs really enjoyed hearing about what you have been up to and it was just really lovely to see all of your smiling faces. If you didn't manage to join last weeks Zoom, don't worry there is another one this week. Your adults should have received the time of the meeting and how to join the meeting via their email. If your adult has not received an email with all the information then please ask them to phone the school office (01543 278071) and leave an email that the information can be sent to.

Remember you can send me an email to <a href="mailto:yr3photographs@fiveways.staffs.sch.uk">yr3photographs@fiveways.staffs.sch.uk</a> if you want to let me know what you have been up to.

For those of you who have celebrated a birthday I would like to wish you a very happy birthday! I hope you had a wonderful time.

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 this week's learning.

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.

Enjoy your home learning and do yourself proud. Make sure you're having lots of fun.

Best wishes,

Miss Pearsall

## Week Commencing: Monday 6th July 2020

## This week we are continuing to learn about fables.

## Weekly Spelling (pick one per day)

 Woops! Miss Pearsall dropped all the letters to this week's spellings. Three words got mixed up. Can you unscramble them?

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- Make a poster to help you learn this week's spellings: busy, circle, exercise, heard, interest, minute.
- Use each of the words in a sentence.
- You could draw a little picture, sketch, icon or image to help you remember the meaning of the word.
- Look, say, cover, write, check each spelling or ask a grown up to 'quiz' you on the spellings

# Weekly SPAG / Reading / Speaking and Listening (pick one per day)

- Go onto BBC fables website
   https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/english-ks1--ks2-aesops-fables-index/z73s6v4
   and listen to a fable of your choice. There are 40 to choose from. Tell a grown up about the story and discuss the Moral.
- Go onto BBC fables website above and listen to The Lion and The Mouse fable. Now act out the fable as a family. You could play more than 1 character if needed.
- After listening and acting out The Lion and the Mouse Fable please discuss the answers to the following questions with a grown up or sibling:
- Why does the mouse climb onto the lion? How does the mouse persuade the lion not to eat him? Why does the lion choose not to eat the mouse? Why is it such an amusing thought for the lion that the mouse could ever help him? How does the lion end up needing the mouse's help? How is the mouse able to help?
  - Complete The Lion and The Mouse reading comprehension sheet. I suggest you try the 2 or 3 star sheet.
  - Read a book on Bug Club and answer all the questions behind the bugs.

All of these comprehension activities can be found on the school website. <a href="https://www.fiveways-primary-school.org.uk/home-learning">https://www.fiveways-primary-school.org.uk/home-learning</a>

### Weekly Writing (pick one per day)

- After listening to The Lion and The Mouse fable please complete the All About Fables Sheet.
- Now complete the story plan for The Lion and The Mouse fable.
- Please rewrite the fable in your own words using the story sheets provided. Please complete sheets 1-3.
- Continue to write the end of The Mouse and The Lion fable, completing sheets 4 and 5.
- Please practise your cursive handwriting. Trace over the words from The Lion and The Mouse story.

All of these writing support documents can be found on the school website. <a href="https://www.fiveways-primary-school.org.uk/home-learning">https://www.fiveways-primary-school.org.uk/home-learning</a>

### Weekly Mathematics (pick one per day)

This week I would like you to look at the different lines in shapes.

- Look through the lines in our environment PowerPoint. Make a list of the vertical and horizontal lines you can see in your house and garden. You could also go for a walk and write down any vertical or horizontal lines you see on your walk.
- Work your way through the horizontal and vertical lines PowerPoint and complete the horizontal and vertical lines worksheet. The questions get harder as you go through; do as much as you can.
- Complete the letter sorting worksheet.

- Have a look through the parallel and perpendicular lines PowerPoint and then work your way through the Parallel and perpendicular lines worksheet. The questions get harder as you go through; do as much as you can.
- Complete the types of lines worksheet.

All of the worksheets and PowerPoints are available in the home learning section of the school website. <a href="https://www.fiveways-primary-school.org.uk/home-learning">https://www.fiveways-primary-school.org.uk/home-learning</a>

### **Weekly Project:**

It's children's art week from 29<sup>th</sup> June to 19<sup>th</sup> July, so we'd like you to get creative.

Please look at the school website. There you'll find some Art Challenge cards. How many can you complete?

We have also added some step-by-step guides to draw various different things. See which one takes your fancy and have a go!

We have found a lovely website for you. It is called drawing with Rob. He has lots of videos on YouTube for children. <a href="https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCBpgrJijMpk">https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCBpgrJijMpk</a> pyp9uTbxLdg

Please send us a finished picture to <a href="mailto:yr3photographs@fiveways.staffs.sch.uk">yr3photographs@fiveways.staffs.sch.uk</a>

### Other Useful Resources:

Please continue to access to Nessy online. This is a fabulous tool for reading, spelling and writing. The beach section for writing is especially good. Please log onto Nessy this week (just click on the picture link on the Home Learning section of the school website) and look at some of the activities on there. Who can get their name on the school website for being the top learner, reader and speller this week?

The link to the Five Ways school website for all of this week's support activities is: <a href="https://www.fiveways-primary-school.org.uk/home-learning">https://www.fiveways-primary-school.org.uk/home-learning</a>

Stay curious: <u>Design something – Then 3D print it to make it real if you want to Scratch – Make games, animations, even control connected devices</u>

#### Oxford Owl

Please continue to read the next chapters of J.K Rowling's new book The Ickabog https://www.theickabog.com/home/