### Little Peppers – Week 4, Summer Term

Great to see so many of you on zoom calls with your 'hands up signs'. They were fabulously creative and colourful.

#### Week 4

**Reading** – please continue to read every day for 15 minutes.

Another site I have found for e-books is Collins. Go to <a href="https://www.connect.collins.co.uk">www.connect.collins.co.uk</a>

Go into the teacher sign on button.

User name type in <a href="mailto:parents@harpercollins.co.uk">parents@harpercollins.co.uk</a>

Password type in Parents20!

This will provide some more age appropriate reading books for your child while we remain in lockdown.

Fancy something different? This week, how about trying an audio book? There are some on <a href="www.booktrust.org">www.booktrust.org</a> for free under the section storybooks and games in their Hometime hub.

You may well find other books you can listen to online....have a search using online books using words like: Year 2 KS1 Age 6/7 etc

**Writing** — thank you for your alternative endings to our Three Pigs story. We had some great work….lots of lovely writing.

This week we thought you might like to read a story – George! It is about a dog who gets up to mischief! Read the story here - <a href="https://www.booktrust.org.uk/books-and-reading/have-some-fun/storybooks-and-games/oh-no-george/">https://www.booktrust.org.uk/books-and-reading/have-some-fun/storybooks-and-games/oh-no-george/</a>

Can you now write us a story about a dog and what mischief he/she gets up to. Remember neat writing, capital letters at the front of sentences and full stops at the end. Also make sure your sentences make sense. Read it back and make corrections/edit if need too. Draw us a picture of your dog too if you like!

**Spelling** – this week we would like you to do the following...

Unit 13: adding the suffix -ed (page 48 – 50) and

Unit 14: adding the suffix -ed (page 51 - 53)

Remember to practise and recall the spelling rules from the ones we have done so far...don't forget to practise those words!

<u>Maths</u> – this week we are continuing on with the maths on the WhiteRose website. However, this week they have made the activity sheets subscription

only so the school have paid this and you can find them all on our Year 2 page on the website in 11<sup>th</sup> May folder.

Watch the Maths video online and complete a worksheet around that video that you will find on our school website.

## https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year -2/

This link will take you to Home Learning Year 2 page and you will need to select Summer Term - Week 4. Watch the video – Lesson 1: Adding and subtracting tens. You can watch the video (as many times as you like) and answer the worksheet related to the video you have just watched. The worksheets can be printed out or answered in your school closure book with a clear title/date etc.

I have added the answers on the Year 2 page on the school website if you require them.

#### **Topic – Around the World**

This week we turn our attention to South America. Please do the work in the School Closure book or if you have created one a folder/scrapbook from home.

# South America – where is it on a map (use a globe, atlas or online)

- Choose **one** country in the continent of South America....anyone you like!
- Fascinating facts amaze us with new and interesting facts about your chosen country!
- South America has many amazing places and animals. Can you find out about a particular animal that interests you and write facts about it. Can you also print out a photo of it using your ICT skills?!
- Could you make a sculpture of something from your chosen country using recycled material – milk bottles, kitchen roll, boxes, tin foil etc or perhaps you can build it from lego? Take a photo of it and send it to us to see.

Don't forget to continue doing TTRS and Nessy. These are great websites especially designed for children. Their interactive games hone the speed and fluency of times tables and associated division facts which will help the children hugely as they approach KS2. Nessy is a fun way of engaging with sounds, spellings, suffixes, grammar etc.

These two activities are able to be done by your child independently....great if you have to help another child in your family with their school work, work yourself or cook the tea! Learning while playing. Many comments from parents in recent weeks saying the children are really enjoying these online tools and helping to build their confidence.

Go Little Peppers!