

Little Peppers – Week 3, Summer Term

Mr Harris and I so enjoyed seeing many of you on the zoom calls last week. Great to see your happy little faces. Some of you we saw at key worker school which was also fun!

Week 3

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

If you have run out of books at home why not try e-books on oxford owl.

<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/find-a-book/library-page/>

There are other books you can find online too but they should be suitable for your age and reading ability.

Reading is key while school is closed. Please vigorously encourage reading at home....model it to your children...can you all read for 15 minutes? Send us a photo!

Writing – we will be posting a video by Tuesday morning (if technology allows!) At some time this week we would like you to view our video and write your own ending to our familiar story! You will all know the story....but ours wasn't the usual ending. Just like last week when we recorded Little Red Riding Hood and she was the one who went off with the wolf's coat! Can you write us a new ending.....don't say I have finished in 3 sentences! I know some of you! Challenge yourself to write a good paragraph or half a page. Mr Harris and I can't wait to read them.

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

Unit 11: the o sound spelt a after w and qu (page 41 – 43) and

Unit 12: adding the suffix -ed (page 44 – 46)

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

Maths – great effort on telling the time over the last two weeks. Keep practising daily to help you.

This week we are doing something different!

Every day we are going to ask you to watch a Maths video and complete a worksheet around that video. This week the videos are around general addition and subtraction facts. We hope you enjoy this maths format. Each day you will need to click on the link:

<https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-2/>

This link will take you to Home Learning Year 5 page and you will need to select Summer Term - Week 3. Watch the video – Lesson 1: Fact families addition and subtraction bonds to 20. You can watch the video (as many times as you like) and answer the worksheet related to the video you have just watched. (This is in red on the right hand side. The answers are in blue beneath to check afterwards – mark yourself tick for correct, dot if you would like your child to try/check again). The worksheets can be printed out or answered in your school closure book with a clear title/date etc.

Monday - Lesson 1: Fact families addition and subtraction bonds to 20

Tuesday – Lesson 2: Compare number sentences

Wednesday – Lesson 3: Related facts

Thursday – Lesson 4: Add and subtract ones

Friday – Lesson 5: Maths challenge

Topic – Around the World

This week we turn our attention to **North America.**

Please do the work in the School Closure book or if you have created one a folder/scrapbook from home.

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

- **Choose one country in the continent of North America**....anyone you like but there are not so many to choose from!
- Fascinating facts – amaze us with new and interesting facts about your chosen country!
- What about a particular animal that only lives in North America? Draw it and write about where it lives or what it eats
- Draw the country flag – colour/paint it
- What famous mountains, rivers, lakes etc can you find out about?
- Can you tell us about a famous city from your chosen country and a famous landmark it might have?

Remember to write in joined up handwriting very neatly. We love reading what you write!

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!