

Weekly Learning Overview 17.5.21

Subject	In school learning	Remote learning
English		
Writing	<p>Using Cinderella of the Nile as a jumping point.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The use of similes • Writing a fable – drafting techniques leading to a final copy. 	<p>Can you write some sentences with similes. This youtube clip can help https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pm6zt24w0qU</p> <p>Can you write a story that has a fable element – one that has a message. Bitesize has lots of help for creative writing.</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zpccwmn</p>
Spelling	<p>Word families that have 'scop' and 'spect'</p> <p>We will talk about and learn these words scope, respect, perspective, spectator, inspect, horoscope, microscope, spectacles, periscope, telescope.</p>	<p>A sheet is available.</p> <p>Can you find these words in a reading book? Can you write some of these words in a sentence?</p>
Reading	<p>Cinderella of the Nile by Beverley Naidoo and Marian Vafaeian is our English text focus.</p> <p>Matilda is our 'end of the day' reader.</p> <p>We will read together as a class. Mr Benefield will model reading for pleasure. Each afternoon.</p> <p>Mr Benefield will hear each reader during the week.</p>	<p>Reading at home All reading is useful!</p> <p>If you have a copy of Matilda then please read it, if you get ahead of the class, that's good! Youtube do have some teachers reading, but it is better in person!</p> <p>Read some text work about the Ancient Egyptians. BBC Bitesize is a great place to start. https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zq87xnb/articles/zvmkhhbk/</p> <p>I am a great advocate of bedtime stories. No-one is too old whether you are 7 or 70</p>

Maths	<p>We will use the White Rose Scheme to inform our plans. We will be working on</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Months and Years • Hours in a day • Telling the time to 5 minutes • Telling the time to the minute 	<p>Worksheets are available on the website. However if you are unable to download, print or access these here are some really useful video clips. BBC Bitesize is excellent.</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zkfydc/articles/zcrmqty</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zhk82hv/articles/zcmdwxs</p> <p>https://www.ictgames.com/ always have some great Maths games.</p>
Science	<p>We will look into exoskeletons and how they work. We will look into the reasons for them.</p> <p>We will have another 'field trip' to see if we can find some more minibeasts but this time focus on exoskeleton minibeasts.</p>	<p>Can you find some minibeasts in the garden? Are they exoskeleton minibeasts?</p> <p>Use DK Find Out online. It is an excellent place to start.</p> <p>BBC bitesize has some good examples</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/clips/zmj8q6f</p>
Computing	<p>We will continue the setting up of the chrome books - to enable to use them effectively we need to practise, practise, practise logging on etc. so that it becomes second nature with passwords etc.</p> <p>This week we will try to do some work on the Big Ask. Children will conduct the survey with adult supervision.</p>	<p>If you are with an adult you could google 'The Big Ask' You could do the survey for your age group - it is concerned with the wellbeing of children during the pandemic and will inform the Children's Commissioner about next steps.</p>
History	<p>This week we will be taking part in The Great North Museum event on Tuesday 18th May.</p> <p>https://greatnorthmuseum.org.uk/whats-on/virtual-ancient-egypt-day</p>	<p>You could research the website at the Great North North museum. What can you find out? (There is an Egyptian Headdress you could make.)</p> <p>https://greatnorthmuseum.org.uk/</p>

	It will involve a virtual tour, an Egyptian headdress, questioning a curator and looking at a mummy. We may dip in and out during the day.	
Geography	N/A this half term	
Music	<p>Untuned instruments - rhythm and tone.</p> <p>Exploring this aspect of the musical instruments. Explore ways of making our own music - descriptive or expressive?</p>	Do you have any untuned instruments at home you can use? You could create your own piece of rhythmic music.
Art	<p>David Hockney Spring 2021 paintings. We will look at the David Hockney spring paintings and try to replicate their style.</p> <p>https://www.royalacademy.org.uk/exhibition/david-hockney</p>	<p>Can you have a look at these David Hockney paintings and replicate their style?</p> <p>https://www.royalacademy.org.uk/exhibition/david-hockney</p>
DT	n/a this half term	
RE	Sikhism - we will look at the celebration and worship of Sikh people.	<p>BBC Bitesize has some excellent information and clips to do with this.</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zsjpyrd</p>
PSHCE	<p>Match Fit from NUFC This week we will be looking at some of the keep fit messages and how to stay healthy by what we eat. We are looking at food groups.</p> <p>The daily mile can help get this message across too.</p>	<p>What do you know about the different food groups? Can you find out about carbohydrates, proteins, vitamins and minerals and fats?</p> <p>Make an ideal plate of food that has a balance of these food groups.</p>
PE	<p>Commando Joe Jess will be taking the class for multi skills activities. Based around invasion games and throwing and catching.</p>	<p>A simple throw and catch game in the garden is ideal.</p> <p>In fact you could even try out learning to juggle! Start with 2</p>

		balls, then move on. There are loads of tutorials on You tube.
French (KS2 only)		