

Year 1 English Home Learning

Each child will bring home a new exercise book in which their STARZ will be listed at the front. We will be adding projects to STARZ regularly so keep checking!

Reading, Writing & Phonics Home-Learning



This pack contains a variety of ideas for activities that will support your child's learning in reading, writing and phonics.

There are lots of different ideas for activities which you may like to complete with your child at home over the course of the time they are off school. Please be aware that they are suggestions and that **you do not need to complete them all!**

We would suggest the following activities to keep children on track with their learning in English:

- Enjoying reading stories to your child and talking about the story
- Read a book together, with your child being encouraged to read as much text as they can, predicting what they think will happen and answering simple questions about the story
- Write a diary
- Write a weather report
- Make and write greeting cards
- Make up a story that can be built up over time
- Handwriting practice

- Practise spelling words from memory and putting them in simple sentences

Year 1 and 2 Common Exception Words

Year 1

the	they	one
a	be	once
do	he	ask
to	me	friend
today	she	school
of	we	put
said	no	push
says	go	pull
are	so	full
were	by	house
was	my	our
is	here	
his	there	
has	where	
I	love	
you	come	
your	some	

Year 2

door	gold	plant	clothes
floor	hold	path	busy
poor	told	bath	people
because	every	hour	water
find	great	move	again
kind	break	prove	half
mind	steak	improve	money
behind	pretty	sure	Mr
child	beautiful	sugar	Mrs
children	after	eye	parents
wild	fast	could	Christmas
climb	last	should	everybody
most	past	would	even
only	father	who	
both	class	whole	
old	grass	any	
cold	pass	many	

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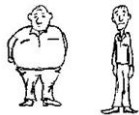
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Phonics

We use the website: www.phonicsplay.co.uk

in school during our daily phonic lessons. This website has some fantastic games to support the work we are doing in phonics which you can now access for free at home. Please see details below:

PhonicsPlay.co.uk



Coronavirus Update

In response to the ongoing situation, we have decided to make PhonicsPlay free to use during this period. Children can use the site at home without their parents needing to subscribe. To access our resources all you need to do is log on using the following details

Username: **march20** Password: **home**

We are currently very close to completing a new version of the PhonicsPlay site that is accessible on all phones and tablets. We will therefore also ensure that it is possible for users to freely access this new version of the site (with apologies in advance for any areas of the site that are not yet fully finished or double checked). The site can be accessed here: new.phonicsplay.co.uk.

Our aim to ensure that existing subscribers aren't disadvantaged and will seek to make sure that after the school closures are over and the site returns to normal, that existing subscribers have additional time added to their subscription.

If you haven't already discovered www.phonicsplaycomics.co.uk you may also find these free decodable comics useful at a time when you can't physically exchange your children's decodable reading books.

We wish you good health and all the very best at this stressful time.

Useful websites

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/curations/apps-collection>

CBeebies app (free download)

<http://www.twinkl.co.uk/offer> Twinkl is providing free resources to parents and teachers during this time. They have a mixture of worksheets and PowerPoints. They have specific home schooling packs for each year group. Use password: UKTWINKLHELPS

<https://www.literacyshed.com/the-ks1-shed.html> has some lovely activities for writing which often use shorts films as a starting point.

<https://classroomsecrets.co.uk/>

Again there are a lot of free learning packs for parents to access.

Your free home learning packs

We have created resource packs for each year group to help your students learn from home.