

30.04.20 Thursday

Hello my Honeysuckles,

I hope you have had a good week and have kept yourselves busy. I have been busy baking muffins and cakes with my daughter this week. The weather has not been quite so good but I have managed to do some gardening and planted some tomato and sunflower plants. They have not started to grow yet though!

Thank you for the emails. They have really brought a smile to my face. It is lovely to hear about what you have been doing at home.

Activities for Next Week Summer 3 week beginning 4.5.20 (it's May)

The Friday of this week is a bank holiday so we would have had a day off school on that day. It is a special bank holiday called VE day. See what you can find out about the special day.

These are some suggestions for next week:

- **Reading** - Please keep reading - books, magazines, dictionaries, atlases, etc.(in fact anything that you're interested in)
- Can you read part of a book you've been reading aloud to someone? (or to some of your teddies) Tell them which has been your favourite part and why you like it.
- **Comprehension activity based on VE day** (Friday 8th May) see attached activity. Read and answer the questions. Mark your own work as the answers are attached.
- *There's also a morse code cracking activity attached if you want to have a go*
- **Topic Tasks**
 - 1. Design a seed packet for a new seed variety. Draw what the seed packet would look like (front and back) and what it will grow into. What month will it need to be planted? Will it need lots of water? Sun or shade? What will it be called?
 - See <https://www.finegardening.com/article/make-your-own-seed-packets>
 - 2. Plant labelling activity attached.
Look at the picture and label the parts of the plant. Can you find out the function of each part of the plant? Check as the answers are included.
- **Topic activities on purple mash**
I have added a 2do on purple mash that you can have a go at.
It's Labelling a plant
- **Maths** - look at https://whiterosemaths.com/home_learning/year-4/
White Rose have some fantastic resources which fit directly into what we would be doing at school. If you need a challenge try the year 5 work.

Keep practising your timetables with ttrackstars and try www.corbettmathsprimary.com/5-a-day Find the day and try bronze, silver or gold according to how much challenge you'd like!

Oak academy have some good maths lessons and activities daily that you might like to try. <https://www.thenational.academy/online-classroom/year-4/#subjects> or look at the chilli challenges attached. Choose from easy or hard.

- **Spelling** - if you have your spelling journals at home keep practising the words from your personal lists stuck in your books.
There are some more spellings to practise on purple mash (see your 2dos) I will also attach a copy on to the class page.
- **SPAG** I have a new Spag 2do on that you can have a go at if you'd like based on finding pronouns (their, them, my) adjectives (thin, friendly) nouns (stories, arms) and prepositions (under, to with)
- **P.E** - Keep tuning into Joe Wicks P.E sessions on youtube at 9am daily and do as much as you can of the workouts
or Can you challenge yourself to do 100 of something whilst keeping active? (inspired by Captain Tom Moore) 100 laps of your garden, 100 bounces on the trampoline, 100 seconds of jogging on the spot, 100 hops, 100 skips, have a think....
- **Art** - Look at the pictures of the recycled planters attached. Can you draw your own recycled planter? You can copy one of the pictures or think of your own. What could you use to plant? What would you grow in it? Think about whether the material would be suitable (it needs to be waterproof and fairly strong)
- **Music** - Have a go at 2 creative lessons on the Oak academy use the link below - <https://www.thenational.academy/online-classroom/year-4/foundation/#subjects>

If you'd like to try even more English work go to <https://www.thenational.academy/online-classroom/year-4/english/#subjects> for some good English online lessons based on story writing or for year 5 go to <https://www.thenational.academy/online-classroom/year-5/english/#subjects> for online lessons on character descriptions

If you want to email me and show and / or tell me about what you have been doing you would be most welcome.

Most importantly, remember to stay happy, be kind and have fun.

I'm still missing you all, take care.

I will write again next week.

Mrs Collins.

