

14.05.20 Thursday

Hello my Honeysuckles,

I hope you have had a good week and enjoyed watching our staff video. It was fun to make and lovely to see everyone's faces. I am looking forward to us all getting back together again.

It's been a lot chillier at home. I had to put the heating on for a couple of hours to warm us all up yesterday! Hopefully, it will warm up again soon.

Luckily, my plants are still growing. My sunflower is definitely the healthiest.

Thank you for the emails. I still enjoy hearing about what you have been doing at home. I also enjoying checking up on your work on purple mash and sending you all those emojis!

Activities for Next Week Summer 5 week beginning 18.5.20

These are some suggestions for next week:

- **Reading** - Please keep reading - books, magazines, dictionaries, atlases, etc (in fact anything that you're interested in) Count how many pages you can read in a week.
- **Comprehension activity** see attached activity on How weeds get everywhere! Read and answer the questions. Look at the stars. 1 star is the easiest, 3 stars is the trickiest, choose which is most suitable for you. Mark your own work as the answers are attached.
- **Topic Tasks**
 - 1. Look for flowers in the garden, use a magnifying glass if you've got one to look in detail at the parts of the flower. Can you find the different parts of the flower on the worksheet attached and match the parts of the flower to the job they do. (Then you can check the answers.)
 - 2. Work on pollination (see attached activities) Read the information and have a go at writing about the process of pollination. Why are bees so important in the process?
- **Topic activities on purple mash**

I have added a 2do on purple mash that you can have a go at.
It's about labelling a flower (linked to the topic activity) and different flower types
- **Maths** - look at <https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning>

White Rose have some fantastic learning which fit directly into what we would be doing at school. If you need a challenge try the year 5 work.
They are not providing the worksheets any more but you can look at the videos and there are more activities linked with the objectives on bbc bitesize.

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>

- **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. week 5
- **SPAG** I have a new Spag 2do on that you can have a go at if you'd like based on fronted adverbials and nouns and pronouns.
- **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 keep being active in any way you can. Daily walks are great!
- **Art** – **Sketch a flower and label the different parts (link with the topic work) or make a flower out of different materials.**
Draw or make a bee (linked with pollination work)
- **Music** – go to <https://www.outoftheark.co.uk/ootam-at-home/> to sing along to some fun songs or
www.derbyshiremusicclub.org.uk/get-involved/music-at-home/junior/week-7.aspx
There are some great music activities involving virtual percussion and lego rhythms.
- Don't forget to keep practising the power in me song for the power in me challenge on June 2nd. <https://www.youngvoices.co.uk/powerinme/>

Extras

*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 or for year 5 go to <https://www.thenational.academy/online-classroom/year-5/english/#subjects> for online lessons

***I have also found this website**

<https://themumeducates.com/resources/year-4/> which has some good English and maths free activity sheets for daily practise. I have attached 5 (one for each day) or you can explore the website and have a look if there's anything else you fancy doing.

Unfortunately, there are no year 5 free activities.

They are quite challenging so don't worry if you're struggling. Just have a go at them if you like.

A quick recap of spag terms - determiners are - the, they, a, an, some

A Synonym is different word with a similar meaning.

adverbial - a word or words that describe the verb.

Fronted adverbial - adverbial word or words at the beginning of a sentence

For example: With a big splash, the dog jumped in the pond.

*If you like working on **purple mash** you can have a go at doing the daily activities.

Choose **weekly activities** (on the left hand side of the screen in the features section)

Go to **Daily activities 7-9 in green**

Try **week 6**. There are reading, writing, maths and topic activities to complete on each day Monday - Friday

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

As always, don't forget to stay happy, be kind and have fun.

I'm still missing you all, take care.

I will write again next week.

Mrs Collins.

