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Hello everyone. Hope you enjoyed the beautiful weather recently? We had the paddling pool out and did some gardening. I've seen a lot of wildlife in my garden recently and heard birds singing much more than before lockdown. I don't know if it's because I'm spending much more time at home or perhaps because there are more creatures about. What do you think? Here are some of the birds I have noticed. Can you identify any of them? Do you know any facts about them?



The RSPB have a great website where you can learn about and identify birds:

<https://www.rspb.org.uk/birds-and-wildlife/wildlife-guides/bird-a-z/>

If you are lucky enough to have a garden or back yard, you could attract birds to it by making fat balls like in the last picture or this seed cake. This is how...

<https://www.rspb.org.uk/fun-and-learning/for-kids/games-and-activities/activities/make-a-speedy-bird-cake/>

Important notes:

Not suitable for children with nut allergies. Note that bird seed, including peanuts bought for birds, is not suitable for human consumption.




Other things you could do this week are:

Non-screen ideas Need to get off the screen? Look at the pages from "Pobble" in our class section for 50 ideas of other things to do.

Reading Bee Read a brilliant book recently? Using the Reading Bee page as a guide, write a review for me to publish on the website.

Leavers' Year Book Email your entry and photo (in school uniform please) to thistle@st-james.derbyshire.sch.uk

Thistle Class Gallery Have you done some work? Got some news? Email it to me and I'll put some on the Thistle Class Gallery page.

Purple Mash	Prizes! 	<u>Games Design Competition:</u> An opportunity for you to be creative by designing a brand new game using 2DIY 3D. Enter as an individual, family or a school group with fantastic prizes up for grabs! Look on Purple Mash for more details.
	Grammar and spelling '2Dos'	<u>See which of these you haven't done yet and check out the new spelling quizzes.</u> <u>Please 'hand your work in' on Purple Mash so I can mark it.</u> Continue with the ' Soaring Eagles ' grammar activities in your '2Dos'. They revise: the passive voice, cohesive devices, ;: and -, verb tenses, parts of speech, suffixes, prefixes, relative clauses, adverbs, modal verbs, adverbials, parenthesis and commas. Complete or redo the Y6 spelling quizzes in your '2Dos'. Summer term work covers: endings -ly, -ant; random statutory words and words from the Year 5/6 spelling list.
	Topic '2Dos'	'Where are your organs?', Healthy eating: 'Favourite fruit', '5-a-day', 'Healthy Eating Plan', 'Smoothie Recipe', 'Fruit Bowl', 'Farmer', 'Shopping Basket', 'Greengrocer'. VE Day newspaper report, High School Change leaflet and timeline.

Literacy	https://uk.ixl.com/ela/year-6	Take your pick of hundreds of online quick quizzes to help you revise topics.
Maths	https://uk.ixl.com/math/year-6	
Art	Learn to use shading for 3D form and draw a superb optical illusion: https://www.thenational.academy/year-6/foundation/optical-illusions-and-using-shading-to-show-form-year-6-wk3-5	
Music	Here is a brilliant video lesson teaching how to identify pulse and rhythm: https://www.thenational.academy/year-6/foundation/to-identify-pulse-and-rhythm-in-music-year-6-wk4-5	
P.E.	https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCAxW1XT0iEJo0TYIRfn6rYQ	
Joe Wicks	https://www.nhs.uk/change4life Disney-inspired indoor games and 10 Minute Shake Up activities, sports and ideas for those with disabilities.	
MFL	French: https://www.duolingo.com Try to do 10/15 minutes each time.	

Monday to Friday activities and lessons:

Purple Mash Literacy: We're now on Chapter 3! You can catch up if you still need to do Chapters 1 and 2 from previous weeks.	Serial Mash is an online library of fiction books. There are stories about almost everything - from pirates and football to magical creatures and children who gain strange powers. Go to 'Sapphires' and find 'The Magic Pen'. There are 6 activities...you could do one or two each day: 1. chapter reading, 2. multiple choice comprehension, 3.sequencing, 4.SPAG, 5. open ended questions, 6. writing activity. The multiple choice and writing activities are to be handed in as '2Dos' when you have finished them.	
White Rose Maths:	Each day, watch the video then do the activity: https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-6/ Remember, there are also example teaching videos on Corbett Primary to help you: https://corbettmathsprimary.com/content/	The White Rose day-by-day lessons match up with those on BBC Bitesize, so use both websites to help you with your learning.
BBC Bitesize Daily: English, Maths and mixed topic work	https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/tags/zncsscw/year-6-lessons/1 Antonyms and synonyms, character development, verb tenses, settings and fronted adverbials, parenthesis, planning and writing stories, fractions, decimals and percentages, Anglo-Saxons, Fossil fuels and renewable energy, life-cycles, French and design skills.	
Corbett Maths Primary 5-a-day mixed questions.	Remember to choose: Silver, Gold or even Platinum. Find the pdf sheet for the correct date: https://corbettmathsprimary.com/5-a-day/ Check your answers: https://corbettmathsprimary.com/2018/05/30/5-a-day-june-answers/	