Year 3 Homework w/c 18th May

Hi parents and children,

One more week of home learning then half term! Let’s pray for good weather. This week, I have included some online lessons provided by the BBC Bitesize website. I think they look really engaging so hopefully your children will enjoy them. I welcome any feedback you may have on these lessons.

Numeracy

We are going to begin the week with the continuation of the ‘Addition and Subtraction’ topic. Unfortunately, there are not many relevant activities on Purple Mash that I could assign so the resources are instead on Word documents.

Monday

Today you are going to be using the column method to add three-digit numbers together. Click on the link below link to access the website:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z72dwty>

Watch the two videos then work through the Column Addition problems (343 + 315, 343 + 329) and Activity 1. For Activity 2 please see the resource ‘Monday Column Addition’. Unfortunately, you cannot type on this Word document so you can either work it out on paper or print it. You can find the answer sheet on the website.

Activity 3 is not compulsory.

Tuesday

Now you are going to be subtracting three-digit numbers using the column method. This is the link for the relevant website:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zvm72sg>

Like yesterday, you need to watch the two videos then work through the Column Subtraction problems (548 – 125, 343 – 237) and Activities 1 & 2.

For Activity 3 please see the resource ‘Tuesday Column Subtraction’.

Again, the last activity (weirdly called Activity 3 too!) is not compulsory.

Wednesday

Today you are going to be solving missing number problems. I recommend using a bar model or part whole model to help you! You can find examples of these on the resource.

Please see resource ‘Wednesday Missing Number Problems’. Please choose **either** the Mild or Spicy challenge. Some of you have been set a 2Do challenge too!

Thursday

To round up our ‘Addition and Subtraction’ topic, you are going to use your knowledge to solve word problems. Please see resource ‘Thursday Word Problems’.

Friday

Today I would like you to work on your times tables. Please complete your Daddy Grid and see if you can beat your time/score. To challenge yourself you could write the numbers in the first row and column in a random order, or you could time yourself – at school you only have 10 minutes! Identify one (or more!) set of times tables to work on. You could listen to a BBC Supermover song using the link below to get you up and moving!

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/supermovers/times-table-collection/z4vv6v4>

Don’t forget about the fun ‘Hit the Button’ game too!

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button>

I would then like you to complete the Monster Multiplication 2Do and Multiplication 2Do set on Purple Mash.

Literacy

This week you are going to be writing a story! I want you to be as creative as possible. Therefore you are allowed to use your own imagination when creating a story plot i.e. you can write about unicorns or wizard etc. However, I will be providing you with a stimulus for those who would like to use it. Everyone is expected to complete the activities assigned for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, it is only when writing the story that you can let your own ideas run.

Monday

We’re going to start the week with a reading lesson. Use the link below and follow the instructions! Feel free to watch each clip more than once.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zjk9kmn>

You are going to be watching the clips of someone reading extracts from The Worst Witch. Think about the questions when listening to the clips. Please then use the resource ‘Monday Reading Activities’ to complete the 3 activities.

Tuesday

Today you are going to be learning about the use of inverted commas to show direct speech. We learnt this earlier on this year so this is a recap for you. Again, I would like you to access the website below:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z7s6t39>

There are 2 clips to watch and some activities to complete. Activity 2 can be completed orally. I have converted Activity 3 into a Word document for you to edit or print out. Please see the ‘Tuesday Inverted Commas’ resource.

Wednesday

Please complete the 2DO ‘Mark wants chicken’ to show me how well you have understood the inverted commas lesson.

You are then going to be using your inference skills to answer questions on a picture. Please see ‘Wednesday Literacy Resource’ for your activity. There is an extension activity for you to complete if you would like.

Thursday

Today you are going to be writing your story! You can use this as an opportunity to practise your handwriting using a pencil and paper or type it up. Either way, please email me across your work as I would really like to see your story!

It may be a good idea to quickly draw up a story map to plan out the key events that happen in your story. Use the resource ‘Thursday Story Writing Help’ to help you plan what to include in each paragraph.

Friday

It’s now time for you to self-edit your work. Use the checklist resource (Friday Story Checklist) and tick off which of the key feature of story writing you have included. If you have not included one of the features – go back and try to add it in.

Spellings

We are going to continue working through the Year 3&4 Common exception words. I will set the 2Do from Monday. This way, if you get any of the spellings wrong, you can have the week to practise them and then redo the test on Friday.

If you are using Spelling Frame then please feel free to focus on the rules given to you and give the common exception word spellings a miss.

PE

Keeping active during this time is very important for both your physical and mental health. Please find the resource ‘PE ideas’ for some different activities for you to do throughout the week.

Science

For science this week you are going to be learning about vertebrates and invertebrates. Please use the link below to access the website:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z4m6hbk>

Watch the two videos then complete Activity 1 and 2. Activity 3 looks like a lot of fun so have a go at it, if you have the time!

I have also set a 2Do for you to complete.

I hope you all have a brilliant week,

Mrs B