



2021 Summer Term 1

Reception

Enriching Learning



The following links will help you to practise some of the key learning for Maths and English this term. You can choose which things you most need to practise and when and how long you spend on them.

Maths Focus: Number Bonds to 10.

Paddling

<https://www.ictgames.com/mobilePage/fatSausages/>

Swimming

<https://www.ictgames.com/saveTheWhale/index.html>

Diving

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button> (choose the 'Make 10' option)

Don't forget to use Mathletics too!

English Focus: Full stops and capital letters

Paddling

<https://www.roythezebra.com/reading-games/sentences-that-make-sense-1-1.html>

Swimming

<https://www.roythezebra.com/reading-games/capital-letter-beginner-1.html>

<https://www.roythezebra.com/reading-games/full-stop-beginner-1.html>

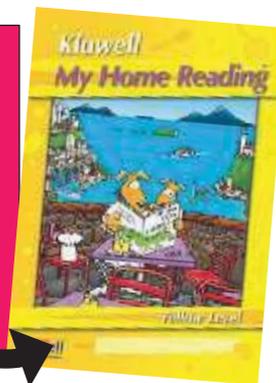
Diving

<https://www.roythezebra.com/reading-games/capital-letter-1.html>

<https://www.roythezebra.com/reading-games/full-stop-1.html>

Reading Reminder!

When you get your reading books and diaries, please try and read for 5-10 minutes every day. Make sure that you record all of the reading you do at home in your reading diary, remember reading two books in one night counts as one night's reading.



The following links will help you to develop your understanding of our topic this term and with topic homework activities.

Topic Focus - 'A World of Animals'

<https://www.natgeokids.com/uk/category/discover/animals/> - lots of facts about lots of animals.

<https://www.chesterzoo.org/virtual-zoo-2/> - explore Chester Zoo virtually!

<https://www.britishscienceweek.org/plan-your-activities/activity-packs/> - download the EYFS pack to discover some fun Science investigations.

<https://www.worldwildlife.org/habitats/polar-regions> - discover the animals of the Polar Regions.

<https://www.worldwildlife.org/habitats/deserts> - discover more about the desert.

<https://www.worldwildlife.org/habitats/forest-habitat> - discover the animals of the rainforest.

Each week you need to choose one of these activities to complete and in your homework book. Make sure you choose a range of activities (some from each box) during the term. Hand in on Wednesdays.



English Activities

- Practise writing some simple sentences that start with a capital letter and end with a full stop. Remember, capital letters are also allowed at the beginning of a name.
- Look at some information books that you have at home. How do you know that they are information books and not stories? Ask your adult to show you how to use the index of an information book.
- Write a few sentences to describe a place. It might be the beach, the forest, the bottom of your garden. You can use photos to help you. What can you see? Hear? Smell? How does it make you feel?
- Write a list of animals that live in the jungle, desert or Polar Regions.

Topic Activities

- Make a habitat in a box. You could use a shoebox to decorate. Will you make a jungle box with lots of trees and plants? Maybe you could make a desert box with some real sand? You could even make a polar box with some cotton wool snow!
- We have been learning about the creation story in the Bible. Talk about the story with your grown-ups and share what you think about the story. You could also think about what kind of world you would create if you could. You can write down your ideas, or draw a picture of your world.
- Choose your favourite animal and write down some facts all about it. What does it eat? Where does it live? Can it do anything special? You could also draw your animal or create a model of it.
- Think about some of the creatures that you might find in your garden and create a home for them.

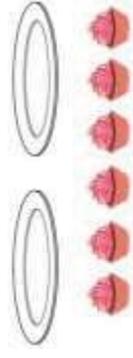
Personalised homework

Personalised homework is all about what you want to show us. Think about our topic and the events that are coming up and create something to bring and share.



0 2 4 6 8
Odd or even
1 3 5 7 9

Number Bonds



Maths Activities

- Odd and Even – can you remember what is special about even numbers? They can share in half nicely. Use some number cards up to 20 and sort them out into the numbers that are odd and those that are even.
- Sharing and halving – Using some small objects like buttons, counters, raisins or Smarties, practise sharing them into groups. It's important that the groups are an equal size.
- Counting on and back – Practise counting forwards and backwards between 0 and 20 before you start this game. Make a number track between 0 and 20. All the people playing the game need a toy and should put it on the number 10 to start. Use a dice or spinner with the following options – 'count on 1.2.3' etc and 'count back 1, 2, 3'. The winner is the first person to reach 0 or 20. Take care when counting on and back.
- Number bonds to 10 – can you work out all of the pairs of numbers that add together to make 10? If you write them out, try and use the + and = symbols correctly in your number sentences. You could also use number cards to play pairs.