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Welcome back to Term 4. We hope you had a lovely, relaxed half term! This term, we are starting our new topic:



Please watch the recording on Google Classroom for an introduction to our topic.

| <u>Literacy - VIDEO LES</u> | SONS are on Google Class | room as well as the Pow | <u>erpoint (without recordin</u> | ng). Recordings are only |
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| on Google Classroom | | | | |
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| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
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| from 8.30am) | 8.30am) | 8.30am) | 8.30am) | 8.30am) |
| Powerful Adjectives | Similes and Adjectives | Rule of 3 - Improving | UKS2 Up-Levelling | Writing a Description |
| recording | Powerpoint recording | Sentences recording | writing | recording |
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| powerpoint only | attached for reference). | attached for | attached for | attached for |
| attached for | | reference) | reference) | reference) |
| reference). | After you have watched | Read your sentences | | |
| Your task is to create | the video, look at the | from yesterday to | The focus is on | After you have |
| your own mind maps, | work you did yesterday | check they make | improving a basic | watched the video of |
| like to different fruits | using adjectives to | sense. Make sure they | sentence by: 1 adding | the lesson, please |
| and vegetables found | describe vegetables. | are complete | or changing vocabulary | write your own |
| on allotment (<mark>allotment</mark> | | sentences, e.g. The | choices 2. adding a | description of the |
| picture cards to help). | Today we will be using | tomato is as red as a | relative clause 3. Using | allotment - this can be |
| | these adjectives to | rose. | a fronted adverbial | for the allotment as a |
| | create sentences which | | opening. | whole or by describing |
| Using your senses (| include a simile. | Today we will be using | | the different fruits |
| smell, taste, touch), | _ | 3 adjectives in our | After you have | and vegetables there |
| think of some exciting | Write sentences for as | sentences for more | watched the video | are. |
| words to describe | many different | impact. Have a look at | lesson, complete one of | |
| other vegetables | vegetables as possible | the 'Rule of three | the <mark>worksheets</mark> . These | You can use the |
| found on allotments? | (you can do more than | <mark>poster'</mark> . | have been | document provided |
| Mind map template is | one for each vegetable). | | differentiated - 1 star | which opens in Google |
| provided. | Use subheadings. Each | Rewrite your | is the easiest, 3 stars | Docs. Please type into |
| | sentence must contain | sentences to each | is the most difficult. | the text box provided |
| This can be opened as | an adjective and a | include 3 adjectives. | | - you can edit this and |
| a google document if | simile. Example: | E.g. The tomato is ruby | Please choose an | then press 'share' in |
| wnated, edited and | | red, plump and smooth. | appropriate worksheet. | top right hand corner - |
| then press 'share' once | <u>Tomato</u> | | | this returns it. |
| completed. This | | | | |

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| returns your work to the classteacher. | The tomato was as red as a ruby. | Challenge - can you also include a simile? | Please remember to include: 1 adding or |
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| | The tomato is smooth | E.g. The tomato is ruby | changing vocabulary |
| (Senses mind map) | like glass. | red, plump and as | choices 2. adding a |
| Record your ideas on | | smooth as glass. | relative clause 3. Using |
| mind maps. | There is the option of | | a fronted adverbial |
| | using Google Document | There is the option of | opening. |
| Use the <mark>colour</mark> | called 'Simile Sentences' | using Google Document | |
| <mark>thesaurus</mark> document | where you can type your | called 'Rule of 3 | Extension - read |
| and the <mark>senses word</mark> | work then press 'share' | Sentences" where you | through the final slide |
| <mark>mat</mark> to improve your | to return once you have | can type your work | 'The Jungle' (this is |
| vocabulary choices. | completed it. | then press 'share' to | also available as an |
| | | return once you have | editable document), |
| | | completed it. | can you see which |
| | | , | techniques have been |
| | | | used? Can improve it? |

Maths - Fractions (White Rose)

VIDEO LESSONS on GOOGLE CLASSROOMS ONLY. Powerpoints (without the recording are also available)

Please remember to keep practising your times tables as much as possible using <u>Times Table Rockstars</u> (little and often works best - a few minutes, a few times a week). You can also use the following games: https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button or try https://www.timestables.co.uk/spuq-balloons.html

| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
|---|---|---|--|--|
| Recap Fractions | Equivalent Fractions | Equivalent Fractions | Fractions greater than 1 | Improper fractions to mixed numbers |
| Please watch the | Please watch the | Please watch the | | |
| recorded video lesson on Google Classroom | recorded video lesson on Google Classroom | recorded video lesson on Google Classroom | Please watch the recorded video lesson | Please watch the recorded video lesson |
| | Pause the video and | Pause the video and | on Google Classroom | on Google Classroom |
| Pause the video and | complete the questions | complete the questions | Pause the video and | Pause the video and |
| complete the questions | as instructed on the | as instructed on the | complete the questions | complete the questions |
| as instructed on the | worksheet <mark>'Tuesday</mark> | worksheet <mark>'Wednesday</mark> | as instructed on the | as instructed on the |
| worksheet <mark>'Monday</mark> | Worksheet'. | Worksheet". | worksheet <mark>'Thursday</mark> | worksheet <mark>'Friday</mark> |
| Fractions Worksheet". | | | Worksheet'. | Worksheet'. |
| | Check your answers on | Check your answers on | | |
| Check your answers on | the 'Tuesday - Answers' | the 'Wednesday - | Check your answers on | Check your answers on |
| the 'Monday - Answers' | sheet. | Answers' sheet. | the 'Thursday - | the 'Friday - Answers' |
| sheet. | | | Answers' sheet. | sheet. |
| | | | | |
| | | | | You may also wish to |
| | | | | complete the ' <mark>Friday</mark> |

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| | | White Rose |
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| | | Worksheet' |
| | | |

Reading - There are recordings of Mrs Garraway's Story Reading Time on Google Classroom only.

This is the link to our Accelerated Reading hub. https://ukhosted88.renlearn.co.uk/6708070/

You should be quizzing on books you are reading at home by logging on here (same login details as in school).

(Mrs Bramwell is checking quiz levels and scores regularly). www.arbookfind.co.uk is the website where you can find out the level of the book you/your child wants to read.

Parents, it is always valuable if you could listen to your child reading aloud; you could enhance their comprehension and deepen their understanding by asking questions - e.g. how a character feels,

- why a character feels a particular way
- why a character acts/behaves in a certain way (motives)
- why a character says certain things (motives)
- why a character says things in a certain way (motives)
- why a character does things in a certain way (motives)
- · what a character thinks
- why a character thinks/believes/expects (etc) certain things.

SPaG

Spellings:

Purple Mash - English, Spelling Resources, Years 5, Spring 2, Week 1 quiz and there is a spelling sheet (under Literacy on Google Classroom)

Look at the following BBC Bitesize videos and complete the interactive activities to recap definitions of word types.

Pronouns - https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zwwp8mn/articles/z37xrwx

Adverbs - https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zwwp8mn/articles/zgsqxfr

Modal Verbs - https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zwwp8mn/articles/zps4pbk

Fronted adverbials - https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zwwp8mn/articles/zp937p3

Science - Bird beaks (Darwins' finches) investigation

Birds have different shaped beaks. The shape is an adaptation to enable them to eat different types of food. On the Galapagos islands, the different species of finch can be classified into six groups. Each group has a beak specially adapted to eating its type of food. Please carry out the investigation into different shaped beaks and how their shape effects what they can eat. Resources: 'Bird Beaks (Darwin's Finches) investigation sheet

The work can also be completed opened in Google Classroom, worked on and then 'handed in'.

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Matching game - match the bird beak to the description. Cut out, shuffle and match.

D&T -

We all know how important it is to recycle and reuse to help save the environment.

This week we are going to design a plant pot made from recycled materials. We will be making the designs next week, so make sure you pick something you can get hold of easily at home.

Watch this video for some more examples and ideas:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7ZycyhvrwX0

You can also look at the document 'Recycled planters' for some more adventurous and unique ideas.

Draw your design. Remember to label the parts/materials. Send a photo of them to us on Purple Mash.



Art - Tonal Shading

This week we are going to look at the techniques involved when using shading for different tones. We will be using these skills in next week's Art activity.

Look through 'Tonal shading powerpoint'. This will explain how to create different tones using shading with a pencil.

When you have looked through this, have a go at using shading and compete the 'Tonal Shading Activity Sheet'.

Geography - Food origins

Have you ever thought about where our food comes from? Today we will be looking at different places around the world fruit is grown and comes from for us to eat.

Look at the document 'Fruit locations powerpoint'. At the end, you will be given some fruits to research to find where they come from.

Use the 'Fruit map activity' sheet to draw lines (with a ruler) from the fruit to the location on the map they come from.

Check your answers on the 'Fruit answers' document.

<u>PE -</u>

Join commentators Johnny and Jasmine live from the arena as they introduce a range of fun new physical education games and activities. Learn the key skills and tactics, and get up and moving, both in the classroom and out in the playground. This collection includes:

- Lava Zone where students can test their balance, agility and coordination skills.
- Dodge Zone is designed to test throwing and catching skills.

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- Dance Zone uses simple movement patterns where students are encouraged to make shapes with their bodies that express
 the narrative of the theme.
- Simple indoor track and field challenges such as sprinting on the spot for 30 seconds, squat high jump and throwing at a target.

https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/physical-education-ks1-ks2-lets-get-active/z72yjhv

Music - Body Percussion

Watch the video clip and have a go at the activities with Mr Palekar.

https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/body-percussion-basics-69j30t

Can you make up your own body percussion pieces?