

Year One

W/C 4.05.20

Weekly Phonics:

- Your child is currently accessing **Phase 5**.
- Use www.phonicsplay.co.uk to access activities from Phase 2 to Phase 5 (Username: march20 Password: home).
- This week continue to practise compound words. Use Crater Creature Countdown in phonics play.
- Revise your phase 5 graphemes and blending skills by using Picnic on Pluto from phonics play.
- Use www.spellingshed.com to practise spellings. I'll be checking your new spellings on Friday and there are 50 extra honeypots on offer for every day you have practised!

Writing:

- This week I would like year 1 to plan and write a letter to the giant, pretending they are Jack and they need to apologise for stealing his gold and his magic hen.
- Can you help your child think about the features of a letter and how to set it out?
- Encourage your child to start planning their letter. Who are we writing the letter to? Who is the letter from (remember that you are Jack)? Why are we apologising?
- Now ask your child to write the letter in their book, using guidelines and their neatest joined writing.
- First - introduce yourself and add some detail. (My name is Jack etc.)
- Then - tell the giant why you are apologising- went into castle took your coins and golden egg)
- Finally – what are you going to do to show you are sorry?
- Support your child to use good adjectives in their letter writing.

Reading:

- Use My Rising Stars website, log in to read your allocated books and attempt the activities/quizzes at the end. (These will be changed weekly)
- A selection of books has been provided. Read your child's own books to them. Can they ask you a question about each page read?

Number Skills:

- Use the login provided to access www.mathsnoproblem.com
This week Year 1 could explore the lessons for Chapter 13 (Textbook and workbook 1B) – Division. This is a short chapter but it is important to allow your child lots of time to explore grouping and sharing with real objects.
- Continue to practise counting in 2's, 5's and 10's
- www.ttrockstars.com – use password provided to access Numbots
- www.10ticks.com - use password provided to access

Other:

P.E.

- Why not build an obstacle course around your house and garden. Time your child and then see if they can improve on their time. Make changes and improvements as the week progresses.

Geography

- Name the four seasons.
- Draw a picture of a deciduous tree in each of these seasons.
- How many signs of spring can you spot around your garden? Make a list and look carefully each day to see how trees around you are changing.

Science

- This week we are continuing to explore plant growth.
- If you have any bean seeds at home, you could set up an experiment to watch a bean growing. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pg92cspLy0I>
- This you tube video using time lapse photography is a good alternative if you don't have any seeds. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=w77zPatVTuI>
- You could make a bean diary with labelled pictures to show what happens to your bean each day.

R.E

- Think again this week about the big question of where our world came from.
- Find out about the Islamic creation story by watching the power point on twinkl.

D&T/Art

- Go outside and hunt for a snail, or look online. Look at a snail's spiral.
- On a piece of paper draw your own spiral using different colours. You could use either colouring pencils or paint to colour in your picture. For inspiration look at some of the pictures below.



ICT

Try the Going Wild activity from <https://www.barefootcomputing.org/homelearning>