Year 2 - Home School Learning

Week beginning- 20.4.20

English



Maths

Topic



Creative Learning



Make a list of 10 imperative verbs (everyday action words/commands)

i.e.

- 1. Slice
- 2. Walk ...

Measuring Lengths

Have you ever measured something before? What was it? Why do we need to measure?

How did you know you would fit in your bed?

We can measure with non-standard measurements. E.g. hands, feet, string or objects.

Find out how many hands, feet or objects your bed measures. Then measure yourself lying down. How could you do that? (Draw around your hands/ feet cut some out of paper and ask someone to measure you using your own handprints). How long are you compared to your bed? How much more do you have to grow before you won't fit in your bed?

How can we tell what material things are made from? (look, feel, sound, texture)
Go on a material hunt around your house.

Create a mind map and sort the objects into different categories. Find objects made from wood, paper, fabric, glass, rock, metal, plastic and ceramics. Jigsaws are great fun and an excellent activity to do aid mindfulness.

Can you make your own jigsaw?

You will need to draw a picture on card or paper. Then cut it up into pieces for you or a family member to put back together.

If you have younger brothers and sisters, you can hide pieces of a wooden jigsaw around the house for them to find and then help them complete the puzzle.

Make a sandwich of your choice with an adult. How many imperative verbs can you identify?

- Take
- Spread ...

Measuring Lengths

Choose a non-standard measure. (hands, feet, string) Find 5 different large objects from around your house or garden e.g. sofa, table etc. First, estimate how long or tall they will be, then measure them to find out. Can you draw the objects in order from shortest to longest?

Now try using a different nonstandard measure to measure the same 5 objects. What do you notice with your new results? Choose 10 objects and describe their properties. Is the material hard or soft, dull or shiny, smooth or rough, waterproof or non-waterproof?

Draw pictures of the objects you have chosen and label their properties.

An object can be made out of different materials used together; for example, a chair can be made from metal and wood and plastic.

Follow the instructions to make salt dough on this link:

https://www.bbcgoodfood.co m/howto/guide/how-makesalt-dough-recipe

What can you make? Perhaps an animal from our Rainforest topic or a rainbow to support the NHS workers. Let your imagination run wild!

These take a while to cook and cool so you can paint them tomorrow.

Write a set of numbered	Measuring Lengths	https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesiz	Complete your salt dough
instructions to make a	To measure accurately we use	e/topics/zrssgk7	masterpieces by adding paint.
sandwich.	a standard unit of measure: A	C/ CODICS/ 2133SK7	If you have some try adding
	ruler using centimetres (cm).	Watch the video about which	glitter too!
Remember to include	This measures smaller things.	materials dissolve and which	8
imperative verbs and adverbs.	We measure large objects in	do not. Create a list of	Be sure to take photographs of
•	metres (m)	materials that do and do not	your work to send to us or put
i.e.	Use the website below to	dissolve.	on twitter.
1. Carefully place two slices of	practise reading		
bread onto a clean surface.	measurements in cm.		
	https://www.topmarks.co.uk/		
	maths-games/measuring-in-		
	<u>cm</u>		
	Using a ruler measure the		
	length or height of some		
	smaller objects around your		
	house and record each		
	measurement in cm. TIP: Place the end of the ruler		
	(or 0cm) at the beginning of		
	the object to measure		
	accurately.		
	Measuring Lengths	https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesiz	Making foam!
Word of the day:	Find out how many cm are in	e/topics/zrssgk7	Waking routh.
	1m.	Explore this website with your	This is a really fun and easy
'dwindle' - reduce gradually in		child and watch the videos	way to make foam to play
size, amount or strength	First estimate then	about the properties of	with.
	measure each member of your	different materials. Can we	
Write 5 interesting sentences	family. You could do this	use a chocolate teapot? Why	You will need ½ cup of water
using today's word.	against a wall standing up or	wouldn't we wear metal	and ¼ cup of washing up
	along the floor lying down.	shoes? Write down your	liquid. Whisk for 2 minutes
As the days went by, the	How tall is each member of	explanation.	with an electric whisk and
family's supply of chocolate	your family? Now if you are		then enjoy!
chip cookies slowly began to	using a 15cm or 30cm ruler		
dwindle.	you will need to use your		
	addition knowledge to find the		Write about the process using
	total in cm.		imperative verbs and abverbs.
	Once you have the		
	measurement in cm can you change the cm into metres		
	and centimentres?		
Write your weekly diary	Measuring Lengths	Select a variety of materials	Research some artists who use
entry:		and predict whether they can	the technique pointillism.
	Dora says,	be squashed, bent, twisted or	de la companya de la
The highlight of my week	The fellow on avents	stretched by hand. Also	Find some examples online
was	The taller you are, the longer your shoes	predict if you think they will	and then have a go at creating
	are.	return to their original shape.	your own artwork.
My least favourite moment		Good materials to try would	
this week has been	In Davis comment 2.11	be play dough, fabric, paper,	
	Is Dora correct? How can you	soft balls, hard balls, a wooden	
Next week I will try to	find this out?	rolling pin and a metal pan.	
	Challenge:		
	Challenge: Using a ruler draw lines 3cm,		
	8cm and 12cm long.		
	John and Izem long.		

Draw a line longer than 10cm but smaller than 12cm.

	Draw a rectangle 9cm by 5cm.	

Useful Websites

English

Letters and Sounds document. Scroll down to Phase 5 and Phase 6 for activities and learning. The appendix also has spelling word ideas for common exception words and phonics.

https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/190599/Letters_and_Sounds - DFES-00281-2007.pdf

Phonics Play - Use games in Phase 5 and 6.

https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/

Listen to a wide range of stories all for Free while schools are closed.

https://stories.audible.com/start-listen

Access to masterclasses on texts from a range of authors, including videos from the authors and activities linked to novels.

https://authorfy.com

Downloadable resource packs which cover a range of subjects, including reading and writing.

https://classroomsecrets.co.uk/free-home-learning-packs/

One free audio book reading is available to listen to every day.

https://www.worldofdavidwalliams.com/elevenses/

Downloadable resource packs with tasks based on video clips on YouTube.

https://www.literacyshedplus.com/en-gb/browse/free-resources/key-stage-2-activity-packs

A new image is published each day as a basis for creative writing. Story starters, questions and drawing ideas are provided.

https://www.pobble365.com/

Free during the school closure period. Each week, a selection of daily activities is produced on different subjects, including comprehension and grammar.

https://2simple.com/purple-mash/

Maths

Use this for any extra week you might want to do aside from what we have set above. Downloadable resource packs with teacher guidance. A week's worth of resources is provided for each year group.

https://www.hamilton-trust.org.uk/blog/learning-home-packs/

Downloadable guidance and resource packs for parents and pupils.

https://www.mathematicsmastery.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/Learner Maths Y2 W9-10.pdf

Explore this site, clicking on different links provide many different resources such as online games e.g. times tables and offline activities to do in your home.

https://nrich.maths.org/

A range of interactive maths games categorised by age group.

https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games

An excellent resource for Maths ideas. There are presentations and downloadable workbooks which are easy to use for parents. New material is being released each week.

https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/

Science

Beginning April 20th there will be interactive resources covering the primary science curriculum.

https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/primary

A great online resource bank containing resources such as time lapse videos of experiments, discovery packs, activity sheets etc.

https://www.stem.org.uk/primary-science