

# Class 3 WFH Curriculum Update 30<sup>th</sup> March

Firstly, I hope this update finds you all and you remain safe and well. Secondly, I hope the ideas on last week's update and the ones you got via Parent Mail have helped to give you ideas to use for your home learning. At least the weather helped, so hopefully you had a good balance between inside and outside learning. Below are some reminders and more ideas for you to try. Again, I have tried to provide as many options as possible for you and your child/children to choose from. You will continue to be notified by parent mail of other ideas in the daily working from home (WFH) update. The online activities continue to be Spelling Shed, TT Rockstars and Education City and will be tracked daily and changed when needed. Although Sumdog (maths) have updated their access so the children can play more than our normal school subscription allows. The expectation is to try and use as many of the activities as possible, while making it workable for you in your own way.

## April's Values: Love, Patience and Kindness

### Spelling Shed

Well done to those that have completed 10 games on each assignment. After this week, two new assignments will be set. Children may also see personal lists that will be on there but will stay on there. These will continue to be set and monitored and children will be rewarded honey pots for completing an assignment, 100 pots each. Well done to those who have 100 pots reward already.

### TT Rockstars

Weekly times table practise is still set and monitored. But there are other areas the children can use other than the garage (teacher set). This time it's the Rock Slam where you can challenge another child to beat their score in one minute or even me if you wish! Beginning Monday 30<sup>th</sup> March 9am until Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> April at 3.30pm we have a BATTLE against Class 4! They beat us last time so let us not lose again!

### Games/activities you could try

If you can go for a walk. Create a video or journal of things you notice on the way.

Create an explainer video. Use props from outside or inside to help you.

Take pictures of trees and create a photo story.

Create a book trailer of a new fiction book or your favourite story.

Create bubble writing of one of the values using sticks. Can you fill it with natural materials and take a photo of it?

Create a mosaic using dry food or household materials.

### Education City

The demand for Education City exceeded what they expected last week but Education City have changed their system to meet demand. Hopefully the children can get on this week and try the activities in English, Maths or Science.

These will be monitored. On some activities there is a worksheet to download and print should you prefer.

### Other websites

White Rose Maths - Home Learning. White Rose Maths is what we use in school. They have provided a home learning resource that you can try with the children. They have provided some work on fractions which we began and broken it down into weeks for you to try. Follow the link and it should take you to the home learning section

<https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/>

Rosetta Stone (Languages) – They are offering children three months access for free at this time. So why not sign up and work together to improve your Japanese to impress Terri Sensei in the future?

<https://www.rosettastone.co.uk/lp/freeforkids/>

### Theme related activities



Create a fog/cloud

#### **MATERIALS:**

- glass jar
- sieve
- water
- ice cubes

#### **Instructions**

1. Fill up the jar completely with hot water for about a minute.
2. Pour out almost all the water, but leave about one inch in the jar.
3. Put the sieve over the top of the jar.
4. Place a few (3-4) ice cubes in the sieve.
5. Watch what happens!

#### **EXPLANATION:**

The cold air from the ice cubes collides with the warm, moist air in the bottle causing the water to condense and forming an eerie fog.

### Theme related activities

Create a rainbow



#### **MATERIALS:**

- glass of water
- sheet of white paper
- the sun

#### **PROCESS:**

Fill the glass all the way to the top with water.

Put the glass of water on a table so that it is half on the table and half off of the table. Be careful that the glass doesn't fall.

Then, make sure that the sun can shine through the glass of water.

After you do that, place the white sheet of paper on the floor.

Adjust the piece of white paper and the glass of water until a rainbow forms on the paper.

#### **EXPLANATION:**

Why does this happen? Light is made up of many colours. Specifically, the colours are red, orange, yellow, green, blue, indigo and violet. When light passes through the water, it is broken up into the colours seen in a rainbow.

### Writing/Short Burst ideas

- Create a senses poem using this image
- Create a short story set in this setting
- Research the different types of stars



### Maths

13.	$\begin{array}{r} 981 \\ - 183 \\ \hline \end{array}$	14.	$\begin{array}{r} 341 \\ - 208 \\ \hline \end{array}$	15.	$\begin{array}{r} 608 \\ - 108 \\ \hline \end{array}$	16.	$\begin{array}{r} 840 \\ - 566 \\ \hline \end{array}$
17.	$\begin{array}{r} 297 \\ - 164 \\ \hline \end{array}$	18.	$\begin{array}{r} 915 \\ - 853 \\ \hline \end{array}$	19.	$\begin{array}{r} 813 \\ - 281 \\ \hline \end{array}$	20.	$\begin{array}{r} 960 \\ - 512 \\ \hline \end{array}$
21.	$\begin{array}{r} 734 \\ - 610 \\ \hline \end{array}$	22.	$\begin{array}{r} 390 \\ - 69 \\ \hline \end{array}$	23.	$\begin{array}{r} 544 \\ - 479 \\ \hline \end{array}$	24.	$\begin{array}{r} 692 \\ - 586 \\ \hline \end{array}$

### Science

- Read or research a biography of historical figure. E.g. Mary Anning links to our science. Can you produce a poster about her? (Where did she live? What did she find? Why is she important in science?)

Finally, during this difficult and unprecedented time, I hope you; your child/children and close family members remain safe and well.

Mr Freeman