

Home Learning Year 2 Week Beginning 20th April 2020 Mrs Neary/ Miss Laitl

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	Here are some ideas for you to complete at home this week.		
Literacy and Communication	Read attached 'A Balloon for Grandad' story and answer comprehension question. Spot the following in the story: 1) a statement, 2) an exclamation with an exclamation mark, 3) a contraction, 4) a past-tense verb. Which punctuation mark does not appear in the story?	Write a letter or email to a friend/ family member to let them know you are thinking of them. Write your own story about a special object that went on an adventure to visit one of your friends or family. You could do this as a cartoon strip, a picture book or a written narrative.	
Maths and Problem Solving	1) Measure the length of each wall in your bedroom using a ruler or measuring tape. 2) Calculate the perimeter of your room by adding the lengths together. 3) Blow up some balloons and let the air out. Measure how far each balloon travelled and compare lengths in units. Which balloon travelled the furthest?		
Science and the outside environment	Find out how plants make 'their own food' from sunlight, a process known as photosynthesis. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=D1Ymc311XS8 You can also learn photosynthesis song https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dt178kJR1u0		
Humanities and Citizenship	Sam's balloon travelled over mountains, a sea and a desert. Can you find these features on a map? Are there any other geographical features on the map that weren't mentioned in the story? The balloon arrived at a river. How many rivers can you find? Can you find out what is the longest river in the UK and in the world?		
Creative Arts	Research Monet and Impressionism in art. Practise blending colours with paint, chalk or pastels and have a go at painting or drawing it in an Impressionist style.		
Physical Education	How about trying some dance with Oti https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=y0F Relax with some yoga https://www.cost meditation https://www.gonoodle.com/	RGGDusyKI	
Reading	Please try and read for at least 15 minutes every day. Log onto bug club and read the books allocated for you. Listen to a story every day https://stories.audible.com/discovery		



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Times tables	Practise your 2, 5 and 10 times tables. Can you practise your 3 times tables too? Topmarks website has lots of times tables games you can try.

Thank you for your continuous support. We hope to see you soon.