

Year 6 Home Learning – Week Beginning 4th May 2020

Hello Year 6,

What fantastic work you are producing! We can see that you are all working extremely hard to keep learning. We are so proud of you. Please continue to send in your work so that we can upload what you have done to Padlet, so that the whole class can share in your achievements. What's new for this week, is the activities to be completed from your Transition Booklet. We want you to have a really smooth transition into secondary school life; these terrific activities will help you to do so.

Transition Booklet

Activities:

- If you haven't already done so complete p2 All About Me
- Look out for the Student Tips which will be featured on ParentMail

Maths

This week in maths we would like you to complete the following lessons:

- Lesson 1 – First quadrant: <https://www.theschoolrun.com/what-are-coordinates>
- Lesson 2 – Four quadrants: <https://www.theschoolrun.com/what-are-coordinates>
- Lesson 3 – Reflection: <https://www.khanacademy.org/math/basic-geo/basic-geo-coord-plane/reflect-points-coord-plane/v/reflecting-points-exercise>
- Lesson 4 – Translation: <https://www.theschoolrun.com/what-is-translation-of-shapes>

English

This week, we will continue to use the booklet 'Doors - the world of possibility' to plan and write a story. However, lessons 1 to 3 will not be found in the booklet. These lessons will help with the planning and writing of your story. Watch the video that accompanies each of these lessons, then complete the activity sheet.

- Lesson 1 – Reading skill on Cause and Effect
- Lesson 2 – Punctuation on inverted commas (speech marks):
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6-YFmLctwDY>
After watching the video complete the activity sheet 'Be the Teacher'
- Lesson 3 – Sentence work (6 ways to start a sentence):
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hQ1OwYu4GsY>. After watching the video complete the activity sheet 'Sentence Openers'
- Lesson 4 – Session 9: Planning a portal story (p14-15)
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xZNDlwG0Ihl>
To help you with your planning read the selected pages and watch the video
If you want to use one of the planning templates or create your own
- Lesson 5 – Session 10: Writing your own story (p16)
To make your writing come alive, use the higher-level vocabulary to help you describe: settings, feelings, characters, to replace 'said' and to start sentences

Spellings

Continue to use Spelling Frame to practise. Spelling Rule 49 - Homophones and other words that are often confused (2 of 5)

Topic – World War II

This week's learning is based on the commemorating the end of WWII in Europe, which took place on 8th May 1945. This is known as Victory in Europe Day, or VE Day. You will be able to experience, during the same time, what the nation felt. Find out what they did, how long the war lasted, and the announcement Winston Churchill made, the Prime Minister at the time. This doesn't mean we have come to the end of our learning about WWII. There is still lots more to find out! The exploration will continue after next week.

- Activity 1: Use the information to find out about VE Day. Present what you have found out in a creative way. Some suggestions:
Newspaper report
Comic strip
Fact file
Song

The following websites may also be useful:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/history-ks2-ve-day/z7xtmfr>

<http://www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/war/end.html>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/48201749>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbbc/watch/horrible-histories-songs-ve-day-song>

- Activity 2: Information from pictures
- Activity 3: Commemorating events
- Activity 4: Triumph and Sorrow
- Activity 5 – VE 75th Anniversary Party

You can also access the learning of other year groups, if you feel that you need to.

Keep your brain cells well-nourished with lots of learning!

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