



Owl Class



Y 5 & 6



Home Learning

Week beginning: 11.01.21

Hello children! 'Here we are' (as Oliver Jeffers would say) learning from home again. However, this time, we will be learning together even more than before, using Tapestry and Doodle as well as Google Classroom. We will begin every day with a check in and an English lesson as a whole class and after break, each year group will take it in turns to attend a live google session of maths. There might be a few hiccups at first but, if so, we will hopefully overcome them quickly. We are all learning together! The learning for each day will be posted in Google Classroom.

Good luck and I look forward to seeing you all soon! ☺

Miss Foord.

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Daily Time table

Time		
9:00 – 9:30 am	PE with Jo Wicks – Live every Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Spelling and sentences – Tuesday and Thursday.	
9:30 – 9:50 am	Whole Class Registration and Live Google Classroom. English Session.	
9:50 – 10:30 am	Independent completion of English task.	
10:30-11:00 am	BREAK and outdoor fun.	
11:00 – 11:20am	Maths Yr 5. Live Learning with Miss Foord.	Doodle Maths.
11:20 – 11:40	Year 5 Independent learning	Maths Yr 6. Live Learning with Miss Foord.
11:50-12:00	Independent activities - staying live and doodle.	
12:00- 1:10pm	LUNCH and outdoor exercise.	
1:10 – 1:30pm	Independent or shared reading.	
1:30 – 1:45pm	Whole Class Registration and Live Google Classroom. Foundation Subject.	
1:45 – 2:45pm	Follow up activity	
2:45pm – 3:15pm	Whole Class check in and story.	

Maths sessions
(on Google Classroom)

Year 5 - This week we will be reminding ourselves of our last lesson in class when we multiplied numbers up to 4 digits by a 1-digit number. After that, we will look at two different strategies for multiplying 2 digit numbers.

Year 6 – This week we will recall what we did last Monday when multiplying by 10, 100 and 1,000. After that, we will divide by multiples of 10, 100 and 1,000 and begin to look at decimals as fractions.

English sessions
(on Google Classroom)

This week, in English, we will be using our ‘All the Time Toolkit’ to write at home! On Monday, we will start with a recount, on Tuesday we will read about the Shang Dynasty and write comprehensive answers to inference questions and for the rest of the week, we will share research about The Great Wall of China then plan and write a postcard. Our grammar focus will be adverbs of time, powerful verbs and sophisticated adjectives.

Spelling Tasks

Your spelling lists:

- Complete your continuous handwriting sheets. There is one sheet for each the rest of the term.



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Extra Ideas

- Make sure that you understand the meaning of the words and then put your words into sentences (as you usually do at school.) ☺
- Use British Sign Language finger spelling to practise your spellings. What other strategies can you use?
- Ask a family member to test you or test yourself using look, cover, write, check. ☺

Reading Tasks

- Please finish reading ‘**Tamarind and the Star of Ishta**’ by **Jasbinder Bilan**. Can you explain to a family member what the story was about? Where was it set? Who were the main characters? Why was there a family silence? How did Tamarind unravel the mystery about her mother who had died?
- Please begin reading ‘The Shang Dynasty’ E book. Read up until page 7. Set 3 questions about the text to ask somebody in the class this week. ☺
- Reading comprehension – Who was Lady Fu Hao? (In class on Tuesday.)
- Read your own personal choice of fiction or non-fiction book. Perhaps you have a book by Michael Morpurgo or Geraldine McCaughrean. During this term, we will be looking at some fiction writing from both authors.

Foundation Subjects.
Our topic this term is ‘Spotlight on China’.

- MONDAY - Geography – Where in the world is China?
Map of China.
- TUESDAY – Science – Electricity.
- WEDNESDAY –
MFL – British Sign Language – Mental Health.
PSHRE – Diverse Britain –
Valuing our differences and showing respect.
PE - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0nFhSepk_Vc
- THURSDAY - History – Lady Fu Hao’s tomb.
- FRIDAY - Art – Shang artefacts –bidding at an auction.
Shang style pots and vases.

Science

Our topic this half term is ‘Electricity’

This week, we will be asking:
What is electricity?
Where does it come from?
What is it used for?
How can we use it economically?
And why are some provinces of China in darkness?