

Year 1 Learning at Home Spring Term 2 2021:

The Three Little Pigs

Thursday 4th March 2021

For this last week we will be ending the school day with a zoom session at **2.30pm** to reconnect and meet with the children in our usual class groups ready for our return on Monday 8th. **We would really like to see all children attend these sessions to help them settle back to school.** We will be talking about their learning from each day and sharing some of the activities we have planned for the children back at school. These details have been emailed to you for security reasons.

Here is the outline for our day's learning. The times are a guide for how we organise the day at school. **You have complete flexibility to fit around your family with home working and sibling's demands for devices, etc.** If you have any questions or queries, please email the year 1 team using year1@purbrook-inf.hants.sch.uk. We would like to see your learning - photographs work well - sent to this address too, so that teachers are able to respond to what you have done at home, make suggestions for improving work and monitor how children are finding the tasks.

8.50 - 9.25: Computing

This week we are practising moving forwards and backwards. Watch Lesson 3 [here](#) (it is not on our YouTube). There is a worksheet you can either print and cut out your Bee-Bot or you can just use a finger and move as if it is a Bee-Bot following the instructions. If you would like to practise giving instructions using the online Bee-Bot as last week, you can access this here: <https://beebot.terrapiologo.com/>.

9.25 - 9.40 Handwriting

Watch the video and have a go at writing the letter patterns. Children should use a pencil rather than pen to write. Wherever possible please work on lined paper with line size of 1.5 cm or write on alternate lines if they are smaller than this.

9.40 - 9.55 Snack Time

9.55 - 10.40 Maths

We are thinking about halves and quarters again today. First, we are going to think about how to share shapes and quantities into quarters - four equal parts. There is then a task for you to complete practicing finding a quarter. Then we are going to look at different shapes and objects, and decide if they are shared into halves, quarters, or something else. There is a task to sort shapes into halves, quarters or not a half or a quarter. Both tasks can be printed from the website or you can draw them yourself.

10.40 - 11.05 Shared Learning Time

Children plan their learning tasks using one of these areas:

- Small world (construction, dinosaurs, cars, trains, etc.)

- Creative (painting, collage, drawing using chalks, pastels or junk modelling)
- Reading
- Writing
- Playing a maths game to consolidate mental recall of number facts
- A Phonics game from Phase 3, Phase 4 or Phase 5a of www.Phonicsplay.co.uk which is currently free to use.
- Getting outside for some exercise

Encourage your child to use different activities over the week.

11.05 - 11.35 Phonics

All children should watch the phonics video on our YouTube Channel. All children should play the game.

Children who usually work in Woodpeckers for phonics - not necessarily their usual class:

Play the game then watch the dictation video to practice spelling tricky words and the sounds taught in today's session.

Children who usually work in Blackbirds for phonics - not necessarily their usual class:

Play the game and spell the words - all these are part of the phonics video or can be downloaded from the website.

Children who usually work in Doves for phonics - not necessarily their usual class:

Play the game and spell the words - all these are part of the phonics video or can be downloaded from the website.

11.35 - 1.00: Lunchtime

1.00 - 2.00 English

Watch the video - we are learning to use because in a sentence. All you need is included as part of the video. If your child is reluctant to write, then just say the sentences using because.

Please listen to your child read their reading book daily. There are a range of e-books using the same colour levels used in school available from the following providers:

Collins Big Cat reading scheme:

<https://connect.collins.co.uk/school/teacherlogin.aspx>

Login details: **parents@harpercollins.co.uk**

Password: **Parents!21**

Oxford Owl

You will need to register your email address to access them the first time you use them.

https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/find-a-book/library-page/?view=image&query=&type=book&age_group=&level=book+band+2%3A+red&level_select=book+band+2%3A+red&book_type=&series=#

2.00 - 2.30 Shared Learning Time

See earlier notes

2.30 Zoom with your own class

Details to access the zoom call with your family have been emailed to you. Please try and attend these zooms for the children to prepare for returning to school on Monday 8th March.

2.50 - 3.00: Reflection Time

Have a think about three things that you can be thankful for today. This encourages children to keep a positive mindset and supports their mental health in difficult times. You could write them down or draw a picture. Alternatively, make a jar to keep a list of things you are missing at the moment (like seeing your wider family, visiting a special place) so you can make sure they happen when the virus is gone.