

Date Issued Monday 4 December 2023

This home learning grid will last for 3 weeks and is due for completion by 22 Dec.

Please focus on reading a wide variety of texts, learning spelling words and reinforcing maths facts as time/family circumstances allow.

**P3** 

We have home learning sharing sessions on Mondays and Fridays when the children will have an opportunity to share what they have been doing with the rest of the class

If you have any questions about Home Learning please use the "Ask the Teacher" channel on our teams.

# **Numeracy & Maths**

## In school...

Our main focus for December will be money. We will be practising counting small sums of money using mixed denominations and showing different ways to make a specific amount. We will also be learning how to work out the correct change from 50p, £1, £2 etc. Our other focus for maths will be looking at how and why different shapes fit together and create tiling patterns with them.

# At home... Sumdog

Log on to Sumdog and look for the P3 working with money challenge. If you can achieve 75+ correct answers you can earn some coins on Sumdog.

#### Practical Skills

- -Visit the supermarket and see if you can add up 3 items in your basket or trolley.
- -Play pretend shops with someone at home. You would use tins/packets from the cupboard as the items to buy. See if you can work out the correct change.

# **Rigour Maths Calendars**

The 1st level maths calendars for December are available on Teams.

## Literacy

## In school...

**Reading** - We will be developing our reading skills through reading groups and whole class reading activities. As part of our comprehension work we will be using "higher order" questioning and thinking skills. You can find out more information about this in the home learning folder on Teams.

**Writing** -We continue with our imaginative writing and will also look at report writing (non fiction).

**Handwriting** – cursive joins

**Grammar/ Punctuation –** Adjectives **Spelling –** (see spelling list on Teams **At home...** 

- -Please check reading record for book and pages to read.
- You should also be reading for enjoyment. Remember that what you read is your personal choice. Try and vary the types of text you read.
- -Practise the spelling words, play games and use them in writing. Try backward writing, pretend test .....you choose!

# Health & Wellbeing

## In school...

Building Resilience – 'Keep Connected". The 3 key messages are:

Relationships are important for our health and well being.

Belonging to a group can be a good way of building friendships.

Good relationships are a two way thing.

Rights Respecting Schools – Article 10 Children and young people should be able to stay in contact with and visit their parents, even if they live in different countries.

**PE:** Gymnastics – putting together a sequence including jump/roll/balance/travvel

**RSHP –** Similarity, diversity and respect

## At home...

- Please talk through the "Keep connected" information with your child.

# Other Areas of the Curriculum



## In school..

Mrs Martin continues to deliver French, Art and Music on a Thursday afternoon.

We are continuing with our Egyptians topic and then we will be learning about Christianity. We will be looking at special buildings, stories, beliefs and festivals/celebrations.

## Things to Remember:

**End of term** - Friday 22 December 1pm

P3 Christmas party -Tuesday 19
December (children can wear party clothes on this day if they wish)
New term starts – Tuesday 9 Jan 2023

Library books – We have a number of library books that are overdue. If possible could you please have a look at home for any school library books your child might have and return to school?

**PE clothing** - Don't forget to make sure there is a change of shoes, top



