



HOME LEARNING: BIRCH CLASS

Week 2: What A Wonderful World



Maths Tasks	Reading Tasks
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Daily numbots.• Daily counting in 2's, 5's and 10's - BBC Supermovers• Daily counting to 100 with Jack Hartmann• Think of a number between 1- 50 or 1-100. Can you pick a number and tell a grown up what one more and one less of that number is? How about 10 more and 10 less? Use a 100 square to help you.• Follow the free White Rose Maths scheme of work which we use in school. Year 1 - Our next area of maths is length and height. There are lots of different activities and objects you can use to measure. Can you measure yourself with a piece of string? Are you taller or shorter than your siblings or pets? Who is taller, mummy or daddy? Who is shorter?• Practise measuring objects with a ruler or tape measure in cms. Remember to measure from 0cm and read the measurement accurately.• Reception - Can you help sort out the clean clothes? Who do they belong to? Can you deliver them to the right place in the house? Pair up socks. Can they match the patterns/ colours? Can they count in twos to work out how many there are all together?• Reception - Can you collect cups from around your house. Can you order them in size order? from smallest to largest. How do you know one is the smallest and one is the largest? How can you prove it?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Children to read to parents daily. Visit Oxford Owl for free eBooks, you can choose books linked to different topics. You can also complete a game linked to each text read.• Can you spot any sight words in your reading books? Which ones can you spot?• Can you be a sound spotter and see if you can spot any split sounds in your reading books?• Continue your journey on 'Teach your monster to read.• Listen to Grandad's Island. Can you write a sentence before you listen to the story about what you think this story might be about?• Year 1 - Can you list the onomatopoeia words that have been used?• Reception - Imagine you are on Grandad's island, what can you see, hear, smell and feel?
Daily Phonics/Spelling Tasks	Writing Tasks
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Pick 5 words from the spelling mats sent home last week. Use look, cover, write and check to help you.• Complete the phonics games on purple mash for the split a/ i/ e sound.• Reception children can you recap daily the sounds taught so far. Can you think of a word that uses that sound? Could you have a go at writing it? Can you write that word in a sentence? Use the PowerPoint on the website under Birch class.• At the end of the week get an adult to test you on the days of the week spellings.• Can you complete one of the Teach handwriting cursive formation sheets? If you can't print, can you copy from a tablet or computer screen?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Complete a diary for the week. Include days of the week and let me know what you have been getting up each day. Include conjunctions 'and/because'. You can expand your sentences by including how you are feeling and why.• Year 1 - Imagine you are in Grandad's attic. What objects do you think would be there? Can you write some sentences to describe Grandad's attic. Can you include prepositions in your writing? Under, on top, above, next to, behind. Don't forget your capital letters, full stops and adjectives!• Discuss with children how objects that can be kept in an attic can hold meaning and memories. Discuss how they can represent good memories, places visited and hobbies. Can you write a sentence for each object using adjectives to describe its meaning and appearance? - <i>The <u>rusty</u> and <u>beloved</u> bird cage was special to grandad because it was</i>

home to his favourite parrot.

- Reception children - can you think of things that might be kept in an attic? Can you draw these and write a sentence for each picture?

Keep Active!

- How many star jumps can you do in 2 minutes? See if you can improve your personal best every day this week!
- Join in with [Joe Wicks](#) every morning at 9am for #PEwithJOE
- [Jump Start Jonny](#) free workouts every morning at 9am.

Mindfulness

- Colouring is a great way to calm the mind, can you draw a picture of a rainbow? What is at the end of your rainbow?
- [Guided relaxation](#) - Focus on your breathing to feel calm

Learning Project (Various activities covering the wider curriculum to be completed over the week)

Science - Can you research jungle habitats? What kinds of animals and plants live there? Make an animal/plant fact file for all the information you have found out. Fact file templates are free to download off [twinkl](#).

Art - Can you create your own island? Draw or paint your own island. What would be on your island? What animals live there?

D.T. - To continue with our healthy eating topic, can you try a new food and record all the new foods you have tried? Can you make a healthy [yoghurt bark](#)?

Geography - Can you make a balloon globe? Blow up a balloon and with a felt tip pen, can you draw and label all the countries in the world? You can google a picture of a world map.

Computing:

- Y1 - Use your Purple Mash logins and complete tasks that have been set.
- Reception - Explore Numberblocks on [Cbeebies](#)

Spread the Happiness - 100 things to do indoors - Can you tick off another 5 things off the list?

Can you learn [British sign language](#)?

Can you create a time capsule and bury it in your garden? Things you could include: Today's newspaper, a letter written by you or your diary for the week, things you like doing now, what you would like to be when you grow up and a photo of you now. You can dig this capsule up in 10 or 15 years time ;)

Don't forget to take photographs of some of the things you have made and ask your parents to email them to me!

-- Remember to check the 'Birch Home Learning Suggestions' for plenty of other ideas to keep you busy! --