



HOME LEARNING: VENUS CLASS CHANGES!

Tuesday 9th February 2021

Venus Google Meet - Today at 10:30am - I can't wait to see you all again!

Please find lots of ideas to continue our learning at home. Keep all your work as I would love to see your hard work and I can stick it into your books when we are back together again. Most of all, I would like you to have fun continuing our learning and remember to keep on smiling!

Maths Tasks

- Daily numbots - WOW some of you have earned over 33,000 coins! Keep it up!!
- Daily counting in 2's, 5's and 10's - [BBC Supermovers](#)
- Daily counting to 100 with [Jack Hartmann](#)

Reception - Watch Combining 2 groups with this [White Rose Maths Video](#).

Complete the activity next to the video.

Extra Maths (This is optional)

How many different coloured leaves can you find in your garden? Can you think of different ways to record it?



Year 1 - Today we are continuing with our new learning in maths. Try your best as it can be tricky. Don't worry we will go over this on your return to school.

In school, we have found adding by making 10 a little tricky. I think we need to spend a little more time on this before we move on.

Use the [White Rose Maths video](#) to help you recap this method.

Recap your number bonds to a grown up or sibling.

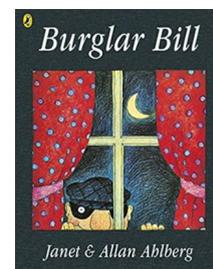
Complete the worksheet on our class page with a grown up, sibling or independently once it has been explained.

Please do let me know how your child is getting on at home with Maths!

If you have enjoyed this maths and are feeling confident, complete the addition and subtraction questions on our class page. Use resources and the different methods you have been practicing at home.

Reading Tasks

- Remember to read with an adult every day. How many books can you read this week? Can you keep a record of the book you read at home?
- Visit [Oxford Owl](#) for free eBooks, you can choose books linked to different topics.
- Don't forget [www.teachyourmonstertoread.com](#). Are you enjoying your adventure? How far have you got?



Listen to [Burglar Bill](#) by Janet and Allen Ahlberg

- In Year 1 you need to practise 'retrieving' (find or extract) information from a piece of text. Can you have a go at answering these questions once you have listened to Burglar Bill? Remember you can always go back and listen again to find the answer.
 - Where does Burglar Bill live?
 - What is Burglar Bill's job?
 - Can you name three things that Burglar Bill stole?
 - Does Burglar Bill enjoy his job? How can you tell?

Challenge:

- Why does Burglar Bill take back all the things he stole?
- Did you enjoy this story? Why?

Reception, you can join in and discuss these questions with a grown up.

Remember to write your answer in a sentence.

Daily Phonics/Spelling Tasks

Reception - Today I would like you to practice reading phase 2 and phase 3 tricky words! Use the tricky word mats on our class page to help you.

Today's tricky words are: my, you, was. Can you practice reading these and writing them. Can you think of a sentence they could be in?

Year 1 - Today is Tricky Word Tuesday!

Today's Tricky Words are:

were

one

when

what

Use the Phonics PP on Venus Class page on the school's website. Just like we do at school, sing the alphabet with a grown up or sibling.

What tricky word sentence can you create? Can you use any other tricky words in your sentences?

If there are any tricky words that you are not confident with, write these on some scrap pieces of paper or a sticky note and put these around your house. Everytime you walk past them - say the tricky word.



Writing Tasks

Reception and Year 1 - Continue writing your diary for this week. Make sure you write the date for everyday.

Today I would also like you to write a book review of either your favourite book EVER or a book you have recently read at home.

See if you can answer these questions in your review:

Who are the main characters in the story?

What is the story about?

What was your favourite part of the story?

Would you recommend this story to a friend?

Don't forget your capital letters and full stops. Year 1 can you use the conjunction 'and' or 'because' in your sentence to join two sentences together?

Reception say your sentences to a grown up or sibling first. Try and sound out any words that you are finding tricky to spell.

I can't wait to read these and find out what you have been reading at home!

Can you write today's date:

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- This is the [handwriting](#) scheme we follow at school. Try to do some handwriting practice weekly. Practise writing the letters of the alphabet - we start all our letters from the line.
- [7 Days of the Week Song](#) - We like this song in Venus class. Have a go at writing the days of the week in the correct order.

Keep Active!

- PE with Joe Wicks Starts today at 9am on his Youtube Channel. Try and join in every day. Can you tell a grown up how you are feeling after exercise?
- Jump Start Jonny have some free videos you can join in at home!
- Explore [GoNoodle](#) on youtube - a firm favourite in Venus Class is Bananna Bananna Meatball.

Mindfulness

- Colouring is a great way to calm the mind. Look on our class page and spend some time gathering your thoughts while colouring in the ox.
- Have a go at [Reach for the Stars](#) Cosmic Yoga.

Learning Project

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

Computing - Today is Safer Internet Day. It is very important that we learn how we can be safe using the internet, especially as a lot of children are at home doing home learning online.

We have to trust the internet that we use. Sometimes we can find things on the internet that are not true.

Watch this [video](#) to find out more.

Today I would like you to create a poster to explain why it is important to be safe on the internet and tips on how to check a website that has information that is correct. There will be a winner picked from EYFS, KS1, LKS2, and UKS2.

Watch this [video](#) to find out what parents and carers can do to help you be safe on the internet.

I can't wait to see your creations!

I have set a todo on purple mash, complete in your own time. You need to think of some true and untrue facts about the moon. Maybe you can do this with a grown up or sibling!

Online resources:

Explore [cbeebies](#) with your child. There are lots of different games that children can play to help them develop their understanding with numbers and the alphabet.

[Phonicsplay.co.uk](#) provides games for your child to play which are linked to the sound they are working on. Look in Resources, Phase 2 (Reception) and Phase 3, 4 and 5 (Year 1) pick the sound you would like your child to learn.

Don't forget to use: www.teachyourmonstertoread.com. This website provides a fun way of teaching phonics through interactive activities and games. Parents, if you are unsure how to pronounce the sounds go to: www.youtube.com/watch?v=-ksblMiliA8

Reception, Please don't forget to take photographs of some of the things your children have made or written and email them to me at eyfsobservations@kf.starmat.uk so I can share them with the class.

Don't forget to take photographs of some of the things you have made and ask your parents to email them to me at admin@kf.starmat.uk

I hope you are staying safe and finding the class page helpful to support your home learning. Please keep all the work children complete at work so I can stick in their books on our return so they don't fall behind with our curriculum. Please don't hesitate to contact me via admin to further support you and your child with home learning.

Most of all enjoy and keep smiling!