



Queensgate Primary School Home Learning

Below you will find the areas to focus on with your child this week. The children will have already been taught the sounds, tricky words and numbers below so this is an opportunity for them to consolidate their learning. Please also remember to read regularly with your child at home and access the suggested websites for more activities for you to do at home.

Sounds of the week

Aa 🍑	Bb 🧖
Cc 🚓	Dd 😭

Mrs Aitken's Group Miss Sutherland's Group Miss White / Mrs Heath's Group

air (hair) ure (pure) oo (look)

o (top)

ar (car) c (cap)

Can you child think of any words that have these sounds in? Can they write a list of the words containing these sounds or write some sentences with these sounds in?



Each week your child will be set a challenge on Spelling Shed linked to our Sounds of the Week. Please encourage them to log on each week to complete their task.

Tricky words



my

her

Can your child read and write these tricky words? Can they tell you what is tricky about the word? Can they say a sentence containing one or more of these tricky words? Perhaps they could write a sentence with these tricky words in? Can they spot the tricky words in books, stories online or in print in the environment?

Number of the week



17

seventeen

Can your child identify this number? Can they count out the correct number of objects? Can they count on/back from this number? Can they tell you one more/one less or ten more/ten less? Can they find this number in the environment? How many different ways can they add together 2,3 or 4 numbers to total this amount? Can they make this amount using coins? Can they share 17 into equal groups?



White Rose Maths provide some excellent, free resources for Early Years. Click on the images to the left and it will take you to the website. Next week (Summer term, Week 5) the activities are based around 'The Very Busy Spider'. We would love to see pictures of any of the activities you manage to complete on the ILD.

ILD task



This week our area of learning is...

Understanding the World

This week your task is all about toys! Collect a range of toys from around your home and your job is to sort these toys in different ways. Can you sort them according to the material they are made from, how they move, their colour, size or texture? Once you have sorted your toys I wonder if you can draw a picture of your groups and label them and / or write sentences about them.

Please take a picture / video of your child completing the task above and upload it onto the ILD. It would be great if you could please write a comment explaining what they were able to do and / or comments that they said during the activity.

Tales Toolkit









Character

Setting

Problem

Solution

You are all turning into such super story writers! I love reading your stories each. This week I would like you to be as imaginative as possible. How can you make your story really exciting? Remember to use your High Five when writing. I look forward to seeing your stories on the ILD.



I hope you all received an email earlier in the week explaining how to access the new Tales Toolkit Home Learning page using our school's code. Please see the email sent on **Thursday 7th May** if you have not yet managed to do so. Please click on the image to the left to take you to the website. Enjoy!

Rising Stars



I hope your child has enjoyed reading the books that have been allocated to them on Rising Stars. I will assign the children 3 new books each week so please make sure you log in regularly to read them with your child.

These books match the book bands at school and therefore are an excellent resource to keep your child's reading on track! Click the 'Reading Planet' image above and this will take you directly to the log in page. Keep reading!

For anyone who has not yet registered, please follow the instructions on the email sent out on Tuesday 28^{th} April.

'Raise a SMILE with a Rainbow' DT Project



This week we are launching our whole school 'Raise a SMILE with a Rainbow' DT Project.

The aim of the project is for the children to make something which can be used by a person who is staying safe at home.

Please see the Information for Parents document, EYFS PowerPoint and additional resources uploaded on the blog for further information.

Hello from Chester and Ben!

Milo loves nothing more than sitting and sleeping in cardboard boxes! This week he shared his favourite box with Chester and Ben. They had a lovely time snuggling together!



Useful Websites

Just click on the images below to take you to the following websites.



A range of online activities and games to try at home. Children's log in details can be found in the back of their reading records.



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A fantastic range of resources to support all areas of learning and they are currently free. PowerPoints can be downloaded and many resources can be printed for use at home.



Free eBooks for your child to read at home.



PhonicsPlay has a new, updated website. All of the characters and games are the same and it is still free but the set up is slightly different.



A variety of online activities and games for all age groups.



A collection of fun activities / ideas to do at home to give you some inspiration if needed!



Free, decodable comics linked to the phonics phases as an alternative to reading books online.



A fun, interactive phonics game! The children create their own monster who they then teach to read whilst adventuring around a magical world. The game is free on a computer and there is an app available to purchase.