



Year 2 English Home Learning | Summer Term



Week commencing 4th May

English

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Watch the daily videos and have a go at the activities. Some activities you can just talk about with an adult and some you will need a pencil and paper.

Some activities are 'Mild'  some  are 'Medium'  and some are 'Spicy/Hot' .

You choose which one you feel confident with. You may feel you want to do all three!!

Remember just try your best! If you make a mistake that is a good thing as you are learning.

Remember, these activities are to work from, not on. There is no expectation to complete all of the work or to print worksheets off.

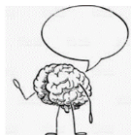
If you are forgetting some of your letter sounds, these videos will really help

<https://www.wandleenglishhub.org.uk/lettersandsounds>

Monday

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Activity 1 Speed sounds



Read all the sounds. First read them quietly, then read them loudly and then read them in a silly voice!!

Try and say the rhyme too- 'start the car -ar'



ay ee igh ow oo

oo ar or air ir

ou oy ea oi

are ur er ow ai

a-e i-e o-e u-e aw oa ew ire ear ure

Activity 2 Vocabulary



Read the vocabulary and what each word means (definition)

Key Vocabulary	Definition
United Kingdom	The group of four countries, including England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland.
England	One of four countries in the United Kingdom.
island	An area of land completely surrounded by water.
mountain	A large piece of land which rises up higher than everything else around it, usually forming a peak.
valley	An area of land that has been naturally dug down, often by a river or stream, usually between hills or mountains.
loch	The Scottish word for lake.
London	The capital city of England

Use the information above to answer the questions

1. There are five countries in the United Kingdom- True or False?
2. What is the capital city of England?
3. Name the countries in the United Kingdom.
4. What is an area of land completely surrounded by water?
5. What is a loch? What country are they usually found?
6. Use the definition of 'valley' to help you draw one.
7. Copy out the definition and fill in the missing word.

_____ : A large piece of land which _____ up higher than everything else around, usually forming a _____.

Activity 3 Use sound rhymes



Look at the picture and write the rhyme

a)



b)



c)



d)



e)



Weekly Spellings

We have chosen spellings this week from this week's topic 'VE Day'

1. war
2. wartime
3. hero
4. bunting
5. celebrate
6. memorial
7. peace
8. rations
9. medal
10. victory

Practise daily and ask an adult to test you on



Friday

Tuesday

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Using commas in lists when writing statements.

Activity 1



Commas can be used in a list to separate the different items. However, we don't use a comma between the last two items: we use **and** instead.

- I like fish, chips and peas.
- I enjoy running, swimming, climbing and dancing.

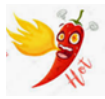
Which three sentences use commas correctly? Write the sentences that are correct.

- a) In my pencil case I have pens, pencils, crayons and a ruler.
- b) Fruits I like include apples bananas plums grapes.
- c) In my lunchbox I have sandwiches, crisps, a drink and an apple.
- d) At the shops we bought bread, milk, juice and butter.
- e) We have orange apple peach, and, mango juice.

Correct this sentence by replacing the first 'and' with a comma.

My favourite meal is chicken and rice and peas.

Activity 2



grapes eggs pasta carrots I and ,
like . , peas tofu chips beans
oranges

Use some of these words and punctuation to write a sentence that uses a list. Find out what tofu is if you don't know (vocabulary viper)

Activity 3 Extra Challenge-



Write some sentences using lists about VE day. Remember to use commas.

E.g. For our VE day celebration party I would like cake, cake and more cake.

DON'T FORGET TO PRACTISE THIS WEEKS SPELLINGS

Wednesday

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Use long ladder letters in your writing.

Activity 1



Use your logins to practice the long ladder letters on the letterjoin website
Use your 'magic finger pencil' and then practice on paper.

Letter-join

Letterjoin is an online handwriting resource to in line with St Anne's Handwriting policy.

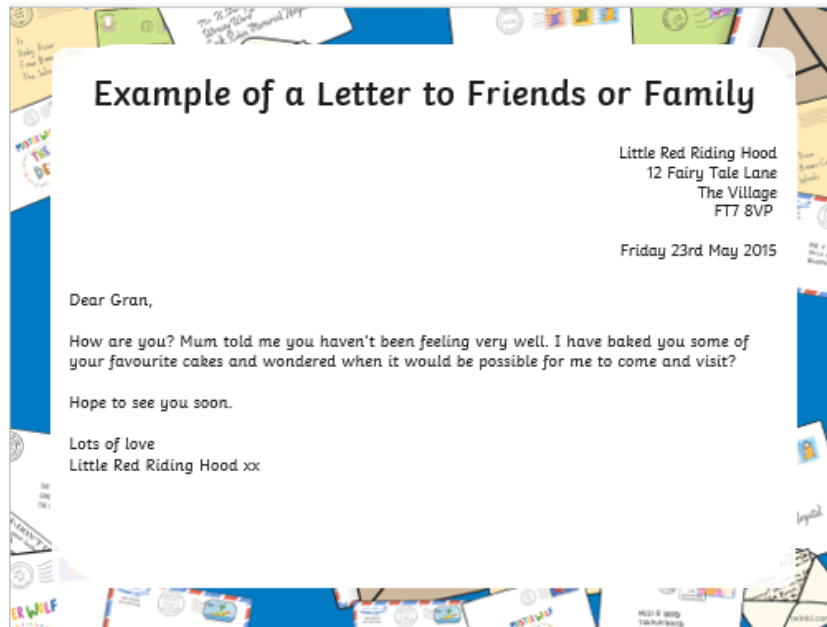
The login details for every child are the same:

Step 1	Step 2	Step 3	Step 4
Google Letterjoin	Username Unique	Password Special	Select activity
			Patterns
			Easy letters
			Easy words
			Harder letters
			Harder words
			More letters >
			Phonics >
			Fun >

Activity 2



Write a letter to a grandparent or other relative. Hopefully you can post the letter and you ask them to write back to you. (Make sure you have a parent's permission)



You may prefer to write a note to an elderly neighbour to cheer them up.

REMEMBER TO USE YOUR BEST HANDWRITING FORMING ALL YOUR LETTERS CORRECTLY.

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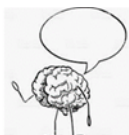
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Reading lesson



Activity 1 Common exception words



Read the words to an adult

Year 2 Common Exception Words

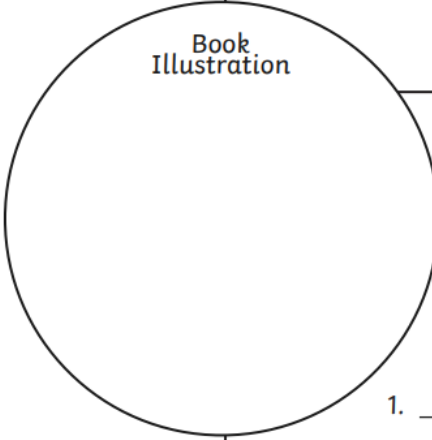
after	child	every	half	move	plant	whole
again	children	everybody	hold	Mr	poor	who

any	Christmas	eye	hour	Mrs	pretty	wild
bath	class	fast	improve	old	prove	would
beautiful	climb	father	kind	only	should	
because	clothes	find	last	parents	steak	
behind	could	floor	many	pass	sugar	
both	cold	gold	mind	past	sure	
break	door	grass	money	path	told	
busy	even	great	most	people	water	



Activity 2 Book Review



Book Title: _____ Author: _____ Fiction or Non-fiction: _____	Who would you recommend the book to? Why?
What is the book about?	Book Illustration 
	Rating: ★ ★ ★ ★ ★
	Can you write three facts you have learnt or three things you have learnt about one of the characters?
	1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____

Choose a book that you have read recently or watched a teacher read on the story telling youtube.

Use the idea above to write a review of the book. It doesn't have to look exactly the same as the one above, but include the headings.

Activity 3 Spelling Test



Good Luck-try your best!

Don't forget there are more Y2 story times to watch! Follow the link below....

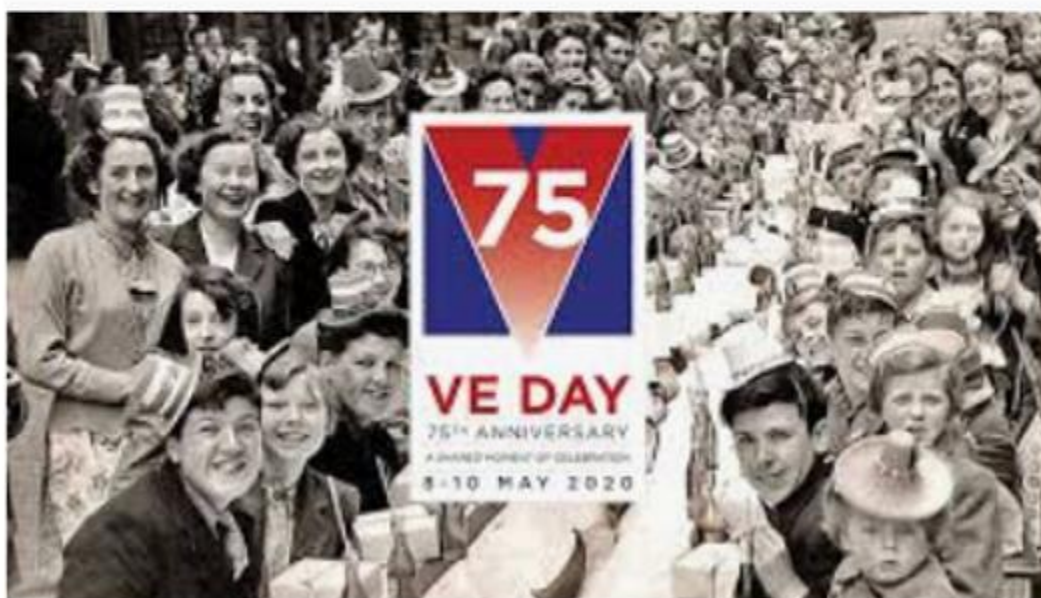
https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLBI_XHJy9tKLWvZ9aDBkE80qeVe2byu4H

Friday

VE Day (Victory in Europe) is a Bank Holiday!

Enjoy your long weekend

(you wouldn't normally be at school today so we have decided to not set you any work).



Well done Year 2! You have completed Summer Term Week 3 English- HOORAY!!!!!!

I think you deserve 25 Saints Tallies for trying your best

