

Home Learning Ideas and Topic Information

WHITE ROSE MATHS HOME LEARNING

Our Themes are - To 20 and beyond, Manipulate compose and decompose, sharing and grouping and Visualise build and Map.

Please follow this link for home learning lessons - <https://whiteroseeducation.com/parent-pupil-resources/maths/home-learning>

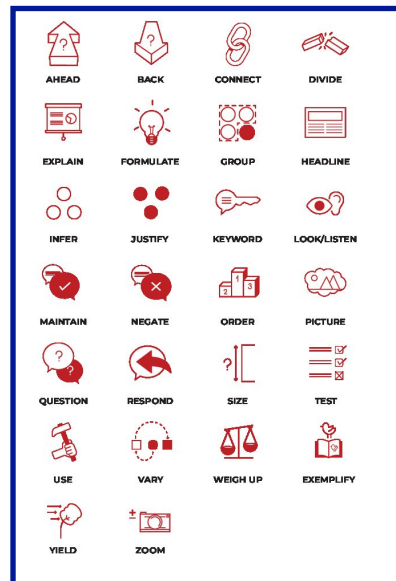
Writing: We are continuing to use our writing books in school. Children are expected to record some news or ideas regularly. This will be through drawing, writing and/or mark making. Please do not panic if they are not writing fantastic sentences! There is a lot to learn regarding talking and breaking the flow of speech into words, then matching sounds to letters, then handwriting. It's a huge process. Talking with your child to help give meaning to their marks, letters and drawings is hugely beneficial.

Reading: Please do find time to read with your child at home. Five or ten minutes a day will have a significant impact on your child's skill set. An important skill to remember is to revise phonics - using the small green book - as regularly as possible. Some of the phonics now have 2 letters that make 1 sound e.g. 'ch' 'sh' 'ee'. We will soon be moving on to focus on the skills of blending and segmenting longer words.

Recent research shows that children who read at home make better progress than those who don't.



Thinking Moves Alphabet



Our Topic is 'Animal Safari!'

In the Animal Safari project, your child will learn about incredible animals that live worldwide. They will explore various animal habitats and compare the animals that live there with animals in their locality. They will learn how to care for pets and what all animals need to grow, survive and stay happy and healthy. They will explore animal features and find out how they survive in the wild. They will compare the ways that animals are similar and different.

Supporting your child at home

- Go on a local safari to find out about the animals that live in your garden or local park.
- Look at animals from around the world, discuss your favourite animals and find out some fantastic facts.
- Share and discuss the [Did you know?](#) resource.

If required, a Home Learning Pack to support this topic is attached to this email which Mrs Robinson can print out at your request.

We will be having our **Forest School lessons** in our Woodland Workshop on a Tuesday.

Other Areas of Learning:

Physical: Callum our MSR coach will teach ball and games skills on Wednesday mornings. Mrs Booth, Mrs Davies and Mrs Radcliffe will be extending gross and fine motor skills during regular 'action kids' lessons and Write Dance lessons.

Creative:

The children will be exploring different animal patterns and using a variety of materials to make collages. They will also be using malleable materials to create models of animals. The children will be learning some Manx greetings and a Manx song.

