

Literacy-Writing

We are going to continue to learn ways to improve descriptions in writing.

Onomatopoeia

Watch this [Sway presentation](#) to learn about what onomatopoeia is (and how to say the word). Make sure to listen to the voice clips for more information.

There are some activities for you to complete- the instructions are in the Sway presentation.

You will find any resources you need on Teams.

Teams>Literacy>Files>Writing>Onomatopoeia

Upload your onomatopoeia poem to the assignment in Teams.

Teams>Assignments>Onomatopoeia Poem

Poetry

This week we are going to learn about shape poems.

Watch this [Sway presentation](#) about shape poems. Make sure to listen to the voice clips for more information.

Think about everything you have learned so far this term when writing your shape poem.

Upload your completed shape poem to the 'Shape Poem' Teams assignment.

Teams>Assignments>Shape Poem

On **Wednesday** I will upload a poetry quiz onto Teams for you to try to test your knowledge of what you have learned so far!

Literacy-Spelling

Practice new spelling words for the week.

These will be on Sumdog for you to practice under a challenge called 'Week 5 Spelling'.

From Thursday to Sunday a spelling test will be available for you to complete on Sumdog.

Make sure to do the spelling challenge before doing your spelling test!

Write 5 sentences using your spelling words.

Your spelling textbook questions will also be in the relevant folder in Teams.

Can you find any items around this house with your new spelling sound?



Teams Meeting

We will have another Teams meeting this week on Tuesday at 1:30pm.

This week I would like you to come prepared with paper and a pencil and a **riddle** you can ask us to solve.



Literacy- Reading

Continue to read your assigned book on Oxford Owl and reading activities from last week.

SIMON group: Hide and Cheat

DONALDSON group: East of the Sun, West of the Moon

DAHL group: Clever Monkey

WALLIAMS group: The Personality Potion

Send me a video of you reading some of your book aloud- I would love to hear it!

If you finish reading your book then why not choose a different book to read on Oxford Owl-let me know if you read any other books!

Continue reading any books you have at home and let me know what you are reading!

Chinese New Year Comprehension

Complete the Chinese New Year reading questions.

Go to **Teams>Literacy>Files>Reading>Chinese New Year**.

Pick the level best suited to you 1, 2 or 3.

Read the Chinese New Year Story PowerPoint and use the Zodiac chart at the end to work out which animal represents the year you were born.

Complete some of the activities on the Chinese New Year grid about this story.

You will find the PowerPoint and the activity grid in Teams in the same place as the Chinese New Year reading.

Maths

Money

We are going to learn about the different ways to pay for things.

So far we have been learning about cash, now you are going to learn about some other payment options.

Try this [interactive quiz](#) about the different ways you can pay. If you go to the students section on that website there are also some more fun games to try.

Look at [this poster](#) that gives some information about different ways to pay.

Try this [matching worksheet](#) about what you would use to pay for different items.

Learn this [money poem](#) can you do the actions for the poem?

Try the money assessment in the maths files on Teams.
Also complete the Sumdog money assessment.



Challenge



Can you solve the Valentines Maths Mystery Challenge?
The challenge is in the maths files on Teams. Some of the questions might be quite tricky but use your problem solving skills to try and work out the mystery.

Maths

Multiply/divide

Continue to practice your times tables.
Pick a times table that you find tricky and learn it off by heart. Send me a video of you reciting the times table.
e.g. 7 ones are 7, 7 twos are 14 etc.

We are learning to divide with a remainder.
Watch [this video](#) about division and how we work out what a remainder is.

Answer the division questions using a remainder.
There will be a set of questions for squares and a set for triangles in the maths files on Teams.

Teams>Maths>Files>Division with Remainder

Triangle Maths Group Addition and Subtraction

Watch these videos of Mrs McLean demonstrating mental strategies for 2 digit addition and subtraction using the partitioning method.

After watching, try to answer the questions in the Youtube description box mentally in your head. If this is tricky, try jotting down your working as shown in the videos.

[2 digit addition - partitioning](#)
[2 digit subtraction - partitioning](#)

Topic Maths - 2D Shape

Watch this [BBC Bitesize video](#) and complete the 2D shape activities.

Look at the 2D shape mat. Count how many sides there are on each shape and try to remember the names of all the shapes.

Have a look around your house, garden, and local area. I wonder if you can spot any of the shapes you've learnt about!

Complete the Education City lesson and activity called 'Polly Gone Crackers' to learn about regular and irregular shapes.

[Watch the BBC Bitesize 'What is a tessellation?' Video.](#) Can you design your own tessellations using some of the shapes from the 2D shape mat and send me some photos on your Dojo profile?

Health and Wellbeing Safer Internet Day 2021

It is 'Safer Internet Day' on Tuesday 9th of February. You are likely using the internet now more than ever for remote learning, so this is a good reminder of how to stay safe online. The theme this year is 'Reality Check' - What information can we trust online?

Here are some activities you can take part in on the day:

[Live Lesson on the morning of Tuesday 9th Feb](#)
[Safer Internet Day - 3 short films](#)
[Virtual Assembly](#)
[Safer Internet Day Quiz](#)

Topic
Chinese New Year

We are learning about the cultural celebration, Chinese New Year. In 2021, Chinese New Year begins on the 12th of February.

Choose some of the following activities to help you learn about it.

Watch the information Powerpoint to learn all about Chinese New Year including when and how it is celebrated.

Watch the Dragon and Lion Dance videos. Which dance do you like best?

Craft activity - Make a Chinese lantern by following the instructions. We would love to see your designs!

Perhaps you and your family would like to try to cook some Chinese food from the recipe book. If you do, we would love to see photos of you cooking your meal!

All the resources you will need for these activities will be on Teams.

Teams>General>Files>Home Learning Week 5>Chinese New Year



STEM

Try at least one of the Dumfries and Galloway STEM challenges for this week.

These will be in the files section on the Teams general page.

Art

Create an onomatopoeia pop art picture.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rSGzsbakVUc>

You don't need to use the word used in the video you can pick an onomatopoeia word of your own.

French - Valentine's Day

La Saint-Valentin en France



It is Valentine's day on the 14th of February.

Paris is the capital city of France and it is known as the city of Love!

Learn about Valentine's Day in France and some French Valentines vocabulary in this fun [video with Mr Innes](#).

Can you create your own French Valentines card with some of the new vocabulary you've learnt?

You can use the Twinkl Valentines card templates if you wish!



P.E

Mrs Gray indoor PE

Mrs Gray has made another great PE at home video for you to try!

I am sure she would love to hear from you if you have given it a go!

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[Joe Wicks](#) will be doing his P.E workouts again live at 9am on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Try and join in with some of these or watch past ones that he has posted.

Try to spend some time outside in the fresh air too!
Send me some pictures of you spending time outside!



Music

Our Feis Rois music sessions will be continuing!
This will be on Thursday from 2:20pm - 2:50pm.

Hopefully as many of you can join in as possible, it has been great fun so far!

Go on the Feis Rois Teams page to check what your task is for this week.

Kate Picken Music

Join in with these fun music lessons from Mrs Picken:

Primary 1 - 4: [The Loch Ness Monster & The Wellerman Sea Shanty](#)

Primary 5 - 7: [Wild Mountainside and The Wellerman Sea Shanty](#)