Home Learning Grids - Primary 1 and 2

Each day, choose 1 Literacy and 1 Numeracy task and <u>either</u> 1 Expressive Arts/STEM challenge <u>OR</u> 1 from the separate P.E. challenge grid. If you choose an Expressive Arts/STEM challenge on day 1, make sure you choose a P.E. challenge on day 2 or vice versa.

Parents/Carers please remember that you may need to modify some of the activities to suit the specific level that your child is currently working at.

Send pictures/videos of your completed task to your teachers email if you wish.

Week 1

Literacy Numeracy Expressive Arts/STEM Phonics-Learn to Read-Rhyming Topmarks Number Bonds Game-My Favourite Things-Words-Play Topmarks Number Bonds Up to 10 games Draw a picture of your favourite things about school. for 20 minutes or until you feel more confident with the answers. If you find this easy, move on to Number Bonds up to 20 games. SCHOOL https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hitthe-button Watch the Alphablocks video and *Challenge- try playing Number Bonds Up to encourage your child to say out loud the 100 games.* letters (phonemes)/ words they recognise. Missing Numbers (+ and -) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Os9P 7wsDZa0

Story Book Challenge-

Read a short story or ask an adult to read one to you.

- Choose 1 character. Would you like him/her to be your friend? Why?
- What was your favourite part of the story? Explain why.
- Anything you didn't like? Why?

*Challenge- Ask someone to help you make a video of yourself answering one or all the above guestions.

Sorting Objects-

Find some objects from around your house or from the garden and sort them into different groups. How many ways can you sort them? E.g. toy cars - sort them by size, colour or make.



Take a photo and send it to your teacher!

<u>Arty Food Task -</u>

Get arty with your food! Cut food in different ways to create animals / scenes. You could even paint your own rainbow bread using sugar and food colouring!





Ask a parent/carer to help you with this task.

Colour by Christina Rossetti-



There are 3 videos to watch:

- Listen to the story
- Read key words from the story
- Share enjoyment of the story <u>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zvyc7nb/articles/zjyfnrd</u>

The Spider's Web-



Write numbers 1-20 randomly on a page and circle each number. Start at 1 and join in order up to 20. If you find this easy, try numbers 1-50 and if you really want to challenge yourself, 1-100!

Salt Dough-

Make the salt dough recipe below. You could:

- Make prints with leaves, stones, etc
- Print with toys, e.g. Lego, dinosaurs
- Make your name



Spelling Activity -

Choose 5 words from a reading book or your Giglets book that you think are 'Wow Words', describing words.

- Air write your words in the air
- Cut out letters from a magazine and stick together to make the words
- Rainbow write your words
- Draw a picture to match each word

*Challenge- Write a sentence for each word (or say the sentence and ask an adult to write it for you).

Topmarks Helicopter Rescue Game-

Play Find a Number and Count On & Back 1-10 &1-20. If you find this easy, play 1-30.

https://www.topmarks.co.uk/learning-tocount/helicopter-rescue

Challenge- Try 1-50 and 1-100!



Shape Art -



Try and find as many different shaped items around the house.

Draw round them on a piece of paper and colour to create your own 'shape art'.

Fine Motor Skills-

Practise making patterns, letters and numbers in sand, rice, shaving foam or with buttons and playdough. Anything you have in the house!



Shop Imaginary Play Activity-

Find 5 toys, write 5 amounts on 'Post Its' or pieces of paper, e.g. 5p, 8p, etc. 'Play shops'- use a calculator as a till register and loose change. Children can be the customer or the shop worker and they need to find the right amount to pay for the items or work out change.

Challenge- Try larger amounts and buy more than 1 item.



Freezing Liquids Activity-

Make ice cubes or ice lollies from various liquids and time how long it takes for each to freeze. Which one do you expect to freeze first / last? Why?

For additional activities:

All children have a log in for Sumdog & Education City, sites which develop mental maths and problem solving skills: https://www.educationcity.com/ (ask your child's teacher if they don't know their log in)

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Free audiobooks for children: https://www.storynory.com/

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STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering & Maths) with Mr N: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCxziq4omrQP-EKSLilOIPhw

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Complete a Joe Wicks workout!

This will link you to his YouTube channel. Go to the 'classroom workout' section and let's keep fit!

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCAxW1XT0iEJoOTYlRfn6rYQ

Challenge - can you create your own workout and get your family to join in? You could even create a workout and upload it to Teams so that we can all do it at home too! Take lots of pictures / videos!



Put your dancing skills to the test with Just Dance!
Go to their YouTube channel and choose a dance to follow.
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCOoefYX4YxrPA-abpa8Is2A
Encourage anyone at home to join in too!

Why not create your own dance or teach us how to do a TikTok dance by creating your own dance tutorial!



Get moving with GoNoodle, Cosmic Kids Yoga or Yoga for Teens with Adriene!

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC2YBT7HYqCbbvzu3kKZ3wnw https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7kgZnJqzNaU







Create your own indoor or outdoor obstacle course using anything you can find! Take photos of it and edit using PicCollage or Markup to show what you have to do on each part of your course. Or you could take a video explaining how to set up your course and what you've to do!



Week 2

Literacy	Numeracy	Expressive Arts/STEM
Aliens Love Underpants-	Tick Tock-	Kitchen Roll Art-
There are 3 videos to watch: • Listen to the story • Read key words from the story • Share enjoyment of the story Aliens Love Underpants https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z74 n6v4/articles/zbm2qp3	How many times can you do these things in just one minute? (use a timer) • bounce a ball • hop of one foot • run around your garden • write your name • do star jumps	Use patterned kitchen roll to create your own piece of art.
Research Project: Favourite Animal- Choose an animal that you love and want to	Numberjacks- Learn to count with Numberjacks:	Blanket Fort-

Choose an animal that you love and want to find out more about. Can you write some of the facts?

- What does this animal look like?
- What do they eat?
- Where do they live?
- Can you find out fun facts about this animal? (Youtube videos are great for this!)

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4aC6D

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*Challenge- Write down the numbers that you spot in the Numberjacks clip. At the end, count which numbers you've written down the most.



Design and create your own blanket fort. Take a picture and share it on the blog or email it to your teacher.

Safety in School Poster-

Design a poster that we can use at school to show children how to stay safe:

- Wash your hands
- Sneeze into elbows

What other things do we need to remember?

Topmarks Coconut Odd or Even Game-

Play the odd or even games 1-20. If you find this easy, try 1-50.

https://www.topmarks.co.uk/learning-tocount/coconut-odd-or-even



*Challenge- Try up to 100 games!

Build Your Own Castle Features-



Build your own arch, battlements, drawbridge or portcullis at home! Use what you have- Lego, blocks, pillows and blankets, or cereal boxes and yoghurt pots.

Spelling Activity-

Choose 10 of your common words:

- Air write your words in the air
- Draw a picture and hide your words inside
- Write your words on someone in your houses back and ask them to guess what the word is
- Write the words in all small letters then all capital letters

*Challenge- Write a sentence for each word (or say the sentence and ask an adult to write it for you).

Four Pin Bowling -

Which pins must be knocked down to score exactly 5?

Find 2 different ways:

- to score 5
- to score 6

- to score 7 (Write down your calculations and answers.) \bigcirc

Treasure Hunt-

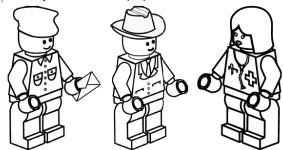
Create a treasure hunt for someone to complete with clues that will lead them round the house/garden to a final destination.



Can you make a treasure map!

Lego Characters Story Writing-

Tell a story about these three people.



You can choose to tell the story out loud to an adult, film yourself telling the story or write the story down.

- What are the characters names?
- What jobs do you think they do?
- What are they talking about?What happens next?

Snowflakes Activity-



- Pick a pair of numbers and add them together, write all the numbers and answers.
- How many different ways can you find?
- Now take the numbers away from each other, how many different answers can you find?

*Challenge- Choose 4 of your own larger numbers and repeat the steps above.

Battery Scavenger Hunt-

Do batteries really power the world? Find as many things around your house as you can that are powered with batteries.

- Take pictures or draw the items you find.
- Sort your toys into categories: 'battery powered' and 'not battery powered'
- How do batteries work? Can you find out?

*Remember batteries are not toys and should be left to an adult to handle.

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https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/physical-educationks1-ks2-lets-get-active/z72uihv



Take part in a fun combination of games and learn attacking and defending tactics.

Go outside and play on your bike / skateboard / roller skates / scooter. You could even play a game in the garden or outdoor area. Football, basketball, tig etc. As long as you're outside getting active!







Make up your own game or sport. A personal favourite of mine is trying to see how many socks I can 'score' into the washing basket. You may also want to play 'tin can' bowling. Get creative. Take photos / videos of your game.



Go for a walk with your family. Spend some time together outside. Take photos of some of the sights / wildlife you see. Be the outdoor photographer for the day. Your phones / fitbits / step trackers will count the number of steps you did. Share them on Teams!

