*Orchard Primary School*

**Home Learning Ideas**

*Class P1 Term 4 2016/17*

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The purpose of our home learning sheet is to give you an overview of what learning your child’s class will be developing this term. It will also give suggested activities that you and your child can complete at home if you wish.

You will get your child’s snapshot jotter home once a month which will have examples of their work across the curriculum and have teacher comments and next steps to show you their progression.

**Our PE Days**

**Tuesday (outdoor) and Friday (indoor)**

Please ensure your child’s name is on every item of clothing.



**My Class Teacher**

Mrs Hamilton

**Other adults who work in my class:**

Mrs Murray Mrs Sneddon

Mrs Bowden Mrs Chisholm



**Remember all children have reading to do at home every night. Weekly they have spelling/common words and numeracy facts to practise. These will be assessed in class as part of their learning tasks.**

**Numeracy & Maths**

**Planned learning focus for numeracy/Maths activities**

**Measure** – length, volume, weight, area

**Further learning ideas for home**

Look for things in your home longer than your pencil, taller than you, shorter than your reading book. Take a picture, make a list.

Use water – how many cups will fill a jug? Which mug in your house holds the most? The least? Tweet a picture to show your results.

Can you find your heaviest / lightest toy? What weighs more, a spoon or a fork?

Share some pictures of these activities on Twitter @Primaryorchard.

**Number** – Explore numbers to 20 – number before/after, odd/even, more/less.

**Literacy –** Please remember to return your child’s reading book every day as it is also

needed in the classroom to complete daily writing tasks.

**Planned learning focus for daily writing activities** Letter formation – both capital and lower case, blending sounds to generate words, spelling common words, sequencing a sentence, punctuating a sentence, forming answers to questions. Try writing your letters and tweet a picture to @Primaryorchard. Tweet a picture of you reading at home.

**Further learning ideas for home**

Be a word detective – can you find this week’s sound or spelling words in a book you are reading? At the shops? In the street?

How many words can you make with the sounds in your wallet? *Say, Make, Break, Blend, Read, Write.* Can you take a picture of something with this week’s sound and share on Twitter @Primaryorchard. Tweet a picture of you reading at home.

**Sounds this term are** – **sh th ng wh ph ee oo ck ai oy**

**PE & Sports planned Learning**

Ball Skills

**Ideas for home**

Have a contest with your child...Who can dribble the longest?

Play at counting the passes.

How many bounces can you do? We’d love to see a video on Twitter @Primaryorchard!

**Discreet Subject Areas**

**Health and Wellbeing**

**Planned learning**

Safety in the Sun

**Ideas for home**

How many kinds of sunscreen can you find in the shops? Which

ones are suitable for children?

Remember to use it when you go outside. Keep safe!

**Topic/Interdisciplinary Learning Theme**

Holidays

**Further learning ideas for home**

Try to find holiday postcards and brochures to share with your class.

Find out a fact about somewhere you have visited.

Make a junk or Lego model of a roller coaster – share on Twitter @Primaryorchard.

Ask your grandparents what their holidays were like when they were you age. Where did they go? What did they do?