Apples/Bananas – sight words 27th May 2020

The only way to learn sight words is to do them over and over again so that the brain remembers. We use a variety of different activities to help pupils do this. Say it. Write it. Make it.

**TEST WEEK**

This week is test week.

* Take the 6/8 words that you have been working on.
* Mix them up
* Go through one at a time but don’t help at all.
* Split into two piles – got it and not got it. It is important that your child can read the word without sounding out or self-correcting
* If they get both cards that word is learned – put into elastic band.
* If it isn’t keep it in the learn pile.
* Add in as many new words as you need from the pack in your home learning folders.

**SAY IT**

* Hide all the words around the house.
* As they are found ask your child to say the word.
* They will need help with new words.

**WRITE IT**

Write a sentence for four of your words.

REMEMBER – capital letter at the start, finger spaces and full stop at the end.

BANANAS – extend your sentences using a connective such as but, because, and, so.

**FIND IT**

* Write each word three times on a piece of paper.
* Make sure it’s in a random pattern so they are hard to find.
* Allocate each word a different colour and ask your child to colour the words you wrote.
* You can use the grid at the end of this document if you prefer.

Here is an example of what it looks like.

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| Red – there  | Blue - use | Green - each | Yellow – which  |
| Orange – said  | Purple – what  |  |  |

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| use | the | what | said |

What other words are in the grid?

**PLAY IT**

Looking for some fun games to play? This website has lots of fun activities with generators to make them at home.

<https://sightwords.com/sight-words/games/>

Fancy a word search? Make your own here.

<http://puzzlemaker.discoveryeducation.com/WordSearchSetupForm.asp>

 Find the word Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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| Orange –  | Purple –  | Pink -  | Brown -  |

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