

Hello again Year 6,

Today marks the beginning of your final term in primary school! I hope you have had a wonderful and restful half term in preparation for the weeks ahead. I am so proud of the way you have all risen to the challenge of home learning. You impress me every day. Please send me photos of your work on class dojo; I love seeing what you have created and achieved at home.

Remember that in addition to the tasks here, you can still access a range of sites: TimesTables Rockstars; NumBots; SpellingShed; MathsShed; Fiction Express and Oxford Owl.

I look forward to hearing from you all through Class Dojo. I miss you all.

Stay safe,
From Miss Towers





English



Follow this link: <https://www.talk4writing.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2020/05/Y6-Gadgets.pdf>

Monday: Complete the introductory tasks and read the model text.

Tuesday: Read the model text and then complete activity 1: 'vocabulary'

Wednesday: Complete activity 2: 'persuasive games'

Thursday: Complete activity 3: 'underlying patterns of adverbs'

Friday: Complete activity 4: 'toolkit of persuasion'

Before starting a new activity each day, look back at the work you have completed on this unit previously to refresh your memory. Keep this work safe; we will be continuing this unit next week.

Extra: Remember to keep reading and completing quizzes on Accelerated Reader.



Maths



Follow this link: <https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-6/>

For Maths this week, we will be learning about fractions which we studied earlier in the academic year. Click on **Summer Term: Week 5**. We are following this a week behind White Rose Maths so that I can have a look at it first and ensure it is suitable for all of you.

Underneath the title, you will find a video which demonstrates the learning of the lesson, breaking down the understanding. Please pause and repeat this as needed. If you would like to write notes down during the video, please do. Once you have watched the video, there is a worksheet to complete for each lesson (Monday-Thursday) **This is no longer available via the White Rose Maths website. The worksheets will be available on Class Dojo.**

Monday: Multiply and divide by 10, 100 and 1000

Tuesday: Multiply decimals by integers

Wednesday: Divide decimals by integers

Thursday: Decimals as fractions

Friday: Maths challenge



Science



Our new Science topic is 'living things and their habitats'.

Follow this link to learn about classification:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zn22pv4/articles/z3nbcwx>

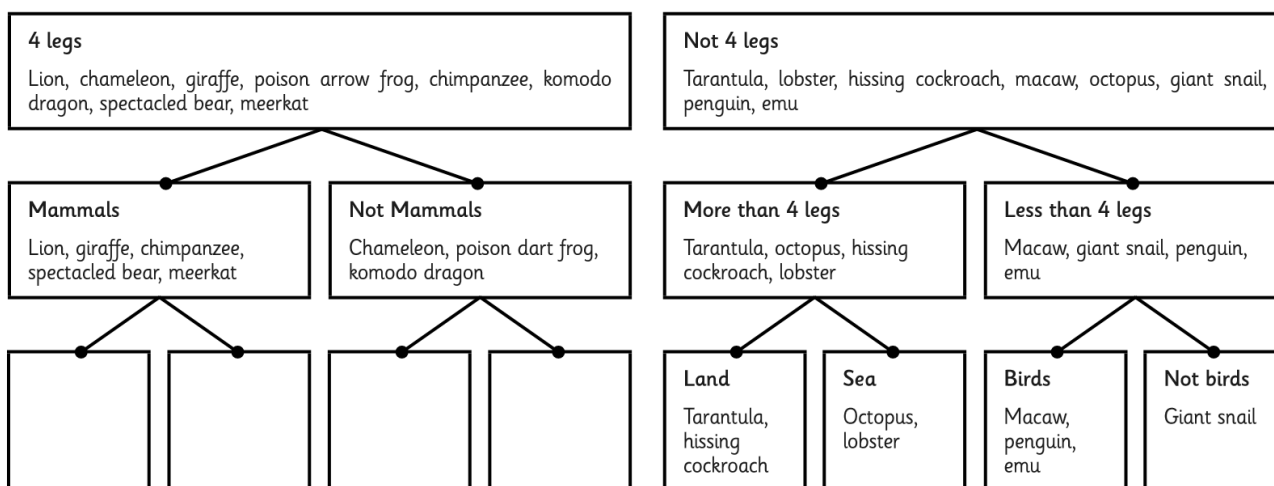
Imagine that a new zoo is going to open in your local area. You have been asked to sort and group the animals that will live in the zoo, so that similar species can be housed in enclosures near one another.

You will act as a taxonomist, so it is up to you to decide how to classify the animals and give reasons for your classification.

Look at the animals on your Zoo Animals List. **I have attached this at the end of the planning.**

Sort and group the animals using your knowledge of classification. I have included an example below.

There are different ways to sort and group the animals. This is one example of how to get started. You may use it to help you classify the animals for your zoo.



Geography



Research task: What is a typical day like for a Mexican child? What are schools like? What meals do families like to eat? Compare life in cities to more rural areas. Compare your findings with the human geography of a region in the UK and one in Europe.



Computing



Follow this link to learn about what makes a good computer game:
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z6n7xyc>

There are two videos and two activities.



PE

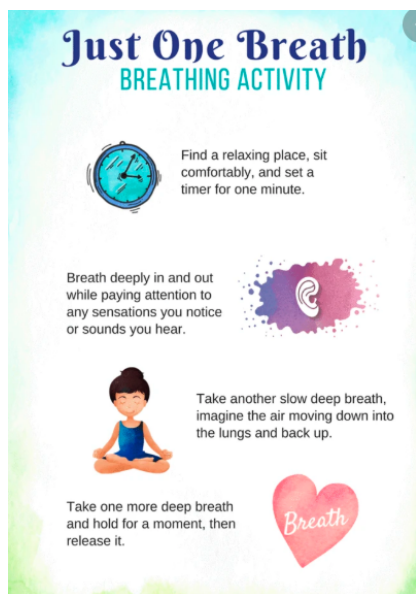


Continue to complete P.E with Joe every day. You don't have to do it live – all of the videos are saved to his YouTube channel so you can do it later in the day if you prefer.

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCAxW1XT0iEJo0TYIRfn6rYQ>



PSHE



Lots of people are worried or anxious right now. It can be good to set aside some time in the day where you switch off from things that are going on around you. Mindfulness can be a useful way of calming your mind. When you're **mindful**, you're taking your time. You're focusing in a relaxed, easy way. Take time out of each day to complete this activity.



Art



Follow this link to learn about Portuguese artist Paula Rego.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z47fvk7>.

There are some interactive videos and activities for you to complete. Don't worry if you don't have all of the materials needed – be creative and improvise.



Choose one – or more if you wish – of the activities below.

11 Quick draw!
Set a 1 minute timer, draw a quick doodle and see if the other person can guess what it is before the time is up.

12 Write a silly sentence that includes all of these words... BANANA, CURTAIN, DOLPHIN, SNOW and BALLOON. Now think of your own words and write some more!

13 How many different words can you make from the letters in this sentence?

Keeping my
brain busy is fun

14 Ping pong story telling! Write the opening sentence to a story, then someone else writes the next line. Then it's your turn again! Keep alternating until you have a full story.

15 Guess the character!
Think of a character from a book, write it down so no-one can see. Have others ask you questions to try and guess which character you chose.

Helpful Resources

Science: Zoo animals list



lion



chameleon



tarantula



lobster



hissing cockroach



giraffe



poison dart frog



macaw



chimpanzee



octopus



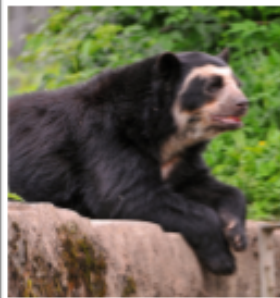
giant snail



komodo dragon



Galapagos penguin



spectacled bear



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