

# Year 1 home learning support

Dear Year 1 parent/carers,

Please see the following guidelines for home virtual learning.

We will send out a weekly plan at the start of each week. Daily slides will then be provided on the school website to support the structure of their day and will include useful resources.

We would like all children to complete a maths, English and phonics activity daily. We have then given some optional projects that you can choose from - you can complete as many or as little of these as you'd like. On the weekly plan we have suggested additional other curriculum areas - these don't need to be done on these days and are just a guide.

We are trying to minimise printing, so the majority of work will be able to be completed on a computer/tablet/phone, will be linked to games/videos or be activities that you can complete around the home. There is no expectation that learning should always be recorded, however, your children will be coming home with a blank exercise book if they wish to do so.

## Maths

- Please follow the daily slides/video and activity

We have signed up to the website Maths with Parents, which includes teaching videos and activities to support home learning. Please see below about how to sign up and join the class using the class codes.

1KM Code : 339243

1N Code : 615838

To sign up

- 1) Visit <http://www.mathswithparents.com>
- 2) Click the [Log In](#) button, then the [New Parent](#) button
- 3) Enter your child's class code

## Class:

### Class Code:

- 4) Enter details about you and your child and click [Confirm](#)

We will not share your email address, but it needs to be correct so you can receive your password.

What next?

- When your child's teacher sets a new topic, you will get an email to let you know it is time to log in again
- Log in, watch the video with your child and choose the activity to play first
- After you have played the activity together, leave feedback for the teacher or upload a photo
- Pick an item to dress up your *Monkey Mathscot!*

If you would like any additional maths resources, please use:

- Numbots - logins are in the back of your home/school contact book (it is the same login for times table rockstars). We will set tasks and games on this for children to complete.
- Times table rock stars - logins are in the back of your home/school contact book. This is filtered to only show 2x, 5x, 10x tables.
- Twinkl Go <https://www.twinkl.co.uk/go/games-twinkl-go> - this has lots of games, videos and resources (twinkl is free to sign up - use the code UKTWINKLHELPS)
- Topmarks - <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/5-7-years/counting> Here are lots of interactive games

English - Reading and Writing

- There will be a writing or spelling, punctuation and/or grammar (SPaG) activity on the daily slides.
- Daily reading - it is really important that children continue to read every day
  - You can read any book you have at home
  - You can create a free account to access ebooks  
[https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/user/sign\\_up.html](https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/user/sign_up.html)
  - Each child has a login on <https://connect.collins.co.uk/school/portal.aspx> to access ebooks, please enter their login (all you need to do is type in the school) Their password is their date of birth, first letter of surname and year group. E.g. 19 march N 1)

If you would like any additional writing/SPaG resources, please use:

- Twinkl Go <https://www.twinkl.co.uk/go/games-twinkl-go> - this has lots of games, videos and resources (twinkl is free to sign up - use the code UKTWINKLHELPS)
- Youtube videos for tricky word songs

If you have a printer:

- Year 1 SPaG mat on twinkl
- Letter formation or handwriting sheets on twinkl

Phonics

- Please follow the daily slides - we will start from phase 5 sounds, introducing a new sound each day.

If you would like any additional phonics resources, please use:

- Phonicsplay website - <https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/> - focus on any phase 3, 4 and 5 activities
- Teachyourmonstertoread - this can be used on the app or the website. Each child has been given a login for this in the back of their home/school contact book. Please use this new login as we are then able to remotely track their progress.
- Twinkl Go <https://www.twinkl.co.uk/go/games-twinkl-go> - this has lots of games, videos and resources (twinkl is free to sign up - use the code UKTWINKLHELPS)

Additional projects:

- Play any games on twinklgo
- Build a toy out of junk modelling, lego or construction you have.
- Grow a plant and observe the changes - cress is great!
- Observe seasonal changes from winter to spring
- Write a book review
- Cooking or baking - using the knowledge of measuring
- Joe Wicks youtube - 9:00-9:30 every weekday - Online PE lesson
- Cosmic kids yoga
- Go noodle

Thank you for your continued support,

We would love to see any home learning your children have completed, please tag us on twitter @why\_year1

If you have any **urgent** questions regarding any of the home learning, please contact us at [year1@whyteleafeschool.org](mailto:year1@whyteleafeschool.org) - we will aim to respond in normal school hours.

If you are worried about how to discuss the current situation with your child here is some advice:

<http://theconversation.com/how-to-talk-to-your-kids-about-coronavirus-133576>

Take care and keep safe,  
Year 1 Team