HOMESCHOOL DOCUMENT 6

Hello everyone and welcome back, we hope you are all keeping safe and well during these very uncertain times.

Just a few more activities for you to choose from and some new ideas to try out at home if you have the time and would like to, if you are happy to continue with previous ideas and suggestion that ok as well whatever works best for yourselves folks.

Recap:

If we can all continue with the sphe for healthy hygiene and washing of hands as often as possible that would be great indeed it is advised by Hse and Government and is a very important part of our day in our school environment for every one of us not only the kids. We should be taking a minimum of 30 seconds for hand wash, I know this sound a long time but it is important to get in on this habit.

[www.youtubewashyourhandsvideos](http://www.youtubewashyourhandsvideos)

[www.hseshortvideoforwashinghands](http://www.hseshortvideoforwashinghands)

The above are great to help getting the kids to participate in this activity, some great songs and rhymes to help.

They have several great videos to help, engage and entertain the kids to make it more interesting if need be.

I hope all are continuing with the Lamh program, ideas and suggestions set out in previous documents and build upon them, thank you.

The above points may seem repetitive bit practise makes perfect and repetition and familiarity are vital for all our children’s needs, thank you.

MATHS The website we were using for maths from the last day is [www.topmarks.co.uk](http://www.topmarks.co.uk) and we shall continue to use this site following the simple instruction laid out for you in the previous home documents.

This time let’s use the ‘shapes and patterns’ which will be familiar to most pupils.

Use the option for level 1.

Choosing the correct type and colour of shape in the sequence.

Level 1 is useful to work through with your kids.

Then try the option level 2 if need be to progress along and aid in your child’s differentiation

Then try the option level 3

See how it goes

Continue with the ‘teddy numbers’ as well on the same site if you prefer or indeed continue with the ‘caterpillar ordering’ if it suits best.

Don’t be afraid to browse other activities on the site and let me know how you get on, thank you.

Also don’t for get to continue with the number lines:

1 – 5

1 – 10

5 – 1

10 – 1

All great activities to try out.

Have 10 coloured Lego blocks or 10 items of your choice and use them to help and aid in these activities.

ENGLISH AND LITURATURE:

Again we can use the web address top marks for these activities, in doing so we will be keeping the number of different websites to use to a minimum so as not to complicate things too much for ourselves.

[www.topmarks.co.uk](http://www.topmarks.co.uk)

Or we can use

[www.youtubeforchildren.co.uk](http://www.youtubeforchildren.co.uk)

A new idea from YouTube option will be associated with the bbc I player app idea previously discussed, we can access other ideas and kids shows like ‘ Andy’s dinosaurs adventures@ a very engaging show full of different stories, ideas and adventures for the kids to follow and familiarise themselves with, this show also works as a cross curricular theme and covers geography and history aspects for the kids to follow, Andy the main character is always traveling to different countries during different historical times to access materials, a lovely engaging educational program.

Again as we are now familiar with this site we can try different options with the help of the ‘BBC I player’ app we talked about last week.

We can choose the option ‘Mr Tumble’ this character will be very familiar to all the kids as we also make a lot of reference to him and the different characters in his shows.

He can also be accessed via ‘you tube’

Type in Mr tumbles videos and his spotty bag, this program engages with likeminded kids for us all.

Here you will find lots of educational videos which the kids will engage with.

The option ‘Mr Tumble’s nursery rhymes’ is a fantastic choice which will interact and engage the kids, they will be very familiar with all the characters and rhymes.

This can be also linked into Mr Tumble TV program on cbbc channel at different times throughout the day, useful to know.

Other options include ‘you tube’ nursery rhymes for children

Select the ‘bing for children’ option and lots of ideas appear.

‘cocomelon’ is always a good option and very interactive and informative for the kids as they will be very familiar.

‘cocomelon, can be used as a cross curriculum tool, e.g. they have a greatly song for washing hands which allows the kids to sing along and follow the subtitles which appear up on screen, its very interactive.

also don’t forget about the prayers, night time if possible, hail Mary or our father or a prayer of your own.

Again with the weather being so nice, get out and about a bit more especially with the restrictions being raised a bit by the government.

Weather has been special, let’s all enjoy it please.

Parks will hopefully be reopened soon, we can now go for walks around forests etc., let’s get some fresh air into our lungs and some vitamin D from the sun.

Enjoy folks and take care for now.

God bless.