

Year 5 Newsletter -

Week commencing: - 1st June 2020

Hello Parents/Carers and students,

We hope this newsletter finds you well and that you and your loved ones are all healthy and staying safe (alert!) in these difficult times. As you may know, some children (including some older and younger siblings of yours) will be invited to return to school this week. You should have received a letter from Mr Farrell about what will be happening at Crown Lane. Remember, children in Year 5 are not yet invited back to school and at the moment we are unsure of when this will change. So we are still providing you with home learning materials on the school website. We all miss you so much and we hope you are having a restful time at home.

Padlet Learning Wall

Thank you to those who continue to contribute to our Padlet wall. It has been lovely catching up with you and seeing the home learning that you have been doing at home as well as photos showing other ways that you have been spending your time. We have added more pictures to share how we are spending our time at school too.

How to Play Minecraft
by Marc

How to Play Minecraft:
Minecraft is a very cool computer game. In Minecraft, difficult for you? Well, the going to allow you everything you need to know.

How to play:

1. First, you need to download it.
2. Then you can play. The more you will need to put in your password and account.
3. After that, you have your world and then choose the mode. You could choose Survival, Creative or Hardcore (which is my favourite mode).

Modes in Minecraft:

- Survival (When monsters come and kill you)
- Creative (When monsters don't come)
- Hardcore (When monsters come and don't kill you. You can build lots of stuff. No second and death! Works exactly with 1-3).

How to Play Minecraft
PDF document
padlet drive
1 comment

Learning Wall Rules:

- check with your parent or carer before you post
- don't write your name if you are in the photo
- only write your **first** name if you post a picture of your work or are writing a comment
- be kind if writing comments
- we approve all posts before they show up on the wall so you may have to wait before you can see your post!

Follow this link to share: https://padlet.com/miss_rodgers/8vgbxurmbh2ocqps

If you have any concerns about posting photos or work on the learning wall, please contact the school office and we will get back to you.

We look forward to seeing what you have been up to.

Timetable - This will remain the same

Approximate duration	Subject
30 mins (optional)	Starting the day with Joe Wicks PE (online via youtube every morning at 9am) can be a positive and healthy start to the day: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCAxW1XT0iEJo0TYIRfn6rYQ Cosmic yoga is a less energetic alternative: https://www.youtube.com/user/CosmicKidsYoga We also have access to a PE database full of activities and games to do at home: The website address is: home.jasmineactive.com Parent email: parent@crowlanep-1.com Password: crowlanep
10 - 15 mins	Times Tables Rockstars https://trockstars.com/ Other useful sites: Hit the Button https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button Mangahigh https://www.mangahigh.com/en-gb/
35-40 mins	Guided Reading -
20 mins	Grammar or spelling -
50 minutes	Writing -
50 minutes	Maths -
1 hour +	Topic/physical exercise - <i>Please also remember that the opportunity to teach your children the basic elements of cooking, watching nature documentaries, playing games that promote personal and social skill, make a bed, sew on a button and much more (non-academic learning) are all integral aspects to your child's development.</i>

Reading

We are going to continue reading, using our retrieval and inference skills to answer questions.

English

This week the focus for writing will be -

The focus for grammar is - The focus for spelling is -

The following website is good for teaching various spelling patterns.

<https://www.spellzone.com/curriculum/national-curriculum/years-5-6.cfm>

The session should start with the grammar activity which should take approximately 20 minutes. The writing activity should be done afterwards and take approximately 50 minutes to complete.

Maths

This week the focus will be:

Miss Rodgers's Maths group -

Mr Monerville and Ms Husain's Maths groups - Measurement

Topic

This week the focus will be -

PSHE/PE - Staying active when in isolation

History - Journeys and Migration - Windrush

RE - Buddhism

Please feel free to supplement the session with any additional research or learning around the topic e.g. google research, watch a YouTube video, draw a picture associated with the subject, make a learning poster.

These sessions could also be complemented by a number of short activities, such as:

Mindfulness <https://www.youtube.com/user/CosmicKidsYoga>

5 minute move <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=d3LPrhI0v-w>

Listen a story <https://stories.audible.com/discovery>

Word scramble <https://www.turtlediary.com/game/word-scrabble.html>

Countdown <https://nrich.maths.org/6499>

A game of scrabble <https://funkypotato.com/scrabble-online/>

If your child is struggling with anything, the following websites have good explanations and helpful examples:

www.theschoolrun.com

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z826n39>

<http://www.primaryresources.co.uk/>

Have a good week!

Miss Rodgers, Mr Monerville and Ms Husain