

Kingfishers Home Learning Spring Term 2

Practise, practise, practise!

Each week, you should be practising your key skills in reading, maths and spelling. This will really help you with your learning in the classroom. This should include:

- **Reading** with an adult 5 times each week with a discussion about the story/text. This should be recorded in your reading diary.
- **Times Table Rock Stars** 3-4 times each week for 5 minutes at a time. A little and often approach is key when practising times tables. You must be doing a least 1 Soundcheck per week.
- **Doodle Maths** once a week for further maths practice to consolidate learnt concepts.
- **Spelling practice.** You will have new spelling words every Monday. Practise 5 words from the year 3/4 group list and 5 words that follow the new spelling rule.

Significant People

Each week, we have a different significant person. The table shows the significant people for this half term.

If you would like to contribute something to our class journal about one of the significant people, please do a little bit of research and jot down your favourite fact or perhaps create a piece of art - your contribution is up to you! Remember this should be small so that we can collate all of our learning.

| Week | Significant Person |
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| 19 th -23 rd Feb | Jane Goodall |
| 26 th Feb-1 st March | Mahatma Ghandi |
| 4 th -8 th March | AA Milne |
| 11 th -15 th March | Albert Einstein |
| 18 th -22 nd March | Robert Falcon Scott |
| 25 th -27 th March | Isambard Brunel |

Spring 2 Home Learning Ideas

Our full curriculum offering for this half term, along with suggested books for reading, can be seen in our Year 4 curriculum newsletter, sent out via email and on our school website.

Below are some suggested ideas and projects that link to our foundation learning in class. There is no expectation that you complete all of these suggested ideas and projects. We would like you to choose and complete at least two over the next half term, although you may of course do more if you would like to.

Please do come and ask us if you have any questions.

Mr Fleming

Geography:

- Make a model of the Himalayas using papier-mache
- Research the highest mountains and then create a Top Trumps game
- Draw a map of India and label the features, surrounding countries and seas
- Create a travel brochure about visiting India

Science:

- Make a model of the human digestive system
- Make a poster showing how the particles in solids, liquids and gases behave.

Writing:

- Write a newspaper report on a recent football match or any other sporting event (this can be your favourite team)

RE:

- Create your own Palm Sunday book mark
- Retell the Easter story and include illustrations