

We would firstly like to thank you for your support with following the government guidelines and keeping your child at home if they are displaying any COVID-19 symptoms. This is ensuring that our whole school community is mitigating the risk of the transmission of COVID-19, which means the Academy can continue to run as efficiently as possible.

In the event that your child needs to self-isolate but is well enough to 'work', this home learning letter provides your child with learning activities from various areas of the curriculum to complete at home. Each area of learning will have a link, which you can use to access the work. You may need to copy and paste the link.

One Maths, English and Phonics task should be completed every day. Please also ensure your child reads every day. You can choose a subject in the **purple** section for the afternoons.

Mathematics (1 x 60 minutes)	Maths lessons can be found on Google Classroom and will mirror the maths being covered in the classroom at that time. This may be a combination of White Rose maths videos (the scheme we use in school), the screens shared in the classroom and resources/worksheets. Complete one lesson per day and then use the answer sheet to check your work. CHALLENGE: If you feel you can work on a harder challenge afterwards, use the Maths 'Challenge Template' and try some of the activities.
Phonics	Please choose one of the websites below for an activity each day:
(1 x 15 minutes)	 Log in to phonics play https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk using the username and password (Username: march20, Password: home). Select an activity to play linked to the sound your child is on (see below). There are lots of different activities to choose from. Please try and vary the activities over the week to ensure that children and practising different skills (sound recognition, segmenting, blending and tricky word recognition). Log in to https://wandleenglishhub.org.uk/lettersandsounds/reception. Watch the video and answer the questions that are asked. Please note that this will redirect to a government-funded YouTube video.
	The sounds you will be working on are as follows: galaxies - Phase 2 - m, d, g, o, c, k. rockets - phase 4 - a-e, e-e, i-e, o-e, u-e. stars - Phase 5 - aw, wh, ph, ew, oe and au. (Stickers have been placed at the front of your child's reading record indicating their spelling/phonics group).

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English (1 x 60 minutes)	Please use the link below to Oak Academy for the daily writing activity. This is an instruction writing unit. Each daily lesson provides a learning video to follow and an activity to complete. Watch the video in full prior to completing the task. Start at lesson 1 and continue to work your way through the lessons each day. https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/instructions-how-to-make-a-paper-crown-aa36 Handwriting: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zbbkbqt
Science	Follow the daily science lessons from Oak Academy. The learning focus is plants. https://classroom.thenational.academy/units/plants-3e9f
History	Please use the links below to access history activities. https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zkrkscw/articles/zkh7bdm - Queen Elizabeth I https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zkrkscw/articles/zfdkhbk - Queen Victoria https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zxwxvcw/articles/zvm3pg8 - Victorian school. Compare a Victorian school day with one from today - what is the same and what is different?
Physical education	Please choose one of the links below: 1) Use this link for a number of suggested physical activities to complete at home https://www.cambslearntogether.co.uk/home-learning/pe 2) Log on to https://www.cosmickids.com for some yoga (this is particularly popular with Jupiter class!)