

Wednesday 3rd March 2021

PE

It's Wednesday so we have another session of Joe Wicks. The link to his YouTube channel is <https://www.youtube.com/thebodycoachtv>

For some of you, I know that this is not your favourite thing to do. If you would prefer, for your PE, go out for a 30-minute walk, play in your garden or ask your parents if they can take you to a local park. You may want to go for a bike ride! Please don't feel under pressure to have to do Joe Wicks but please do make sure that you are doing some exercise and getting some fresh air.

Maths

ONA videos

If you have chosen the ONA videos, these are the next lesson in the sequence of learning. As today is the final day of learning that I am setting, it will be the final ONA Maths lesson at home. It is possible that I may use some of these videos when we are back in school to enable those of you who are in the middle of a sequence to finish it.

Year 4 - <https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/converting-mixed-numbers-into-improper-fractions-60rket>

Year 5 - <https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/simplifying-fractions-c4t6cr>

Year 6 - <https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/fractions-multiply-pairs-of-proper-fractions-c4rp4r>

The Year 4 and 6 lessons have a worksheet that accompanies them for the main activity, so make sure you have downloaded the corresponding worksheet from the class webpage where they will be uploaded. The worksheets are part of the videos too.

Each Maths lesson finishes with a quiz – make sure you do it as a way to check your understanding!

My Maths

The lessons set today on My Maths are focused on multiplication and division. For Year 4, you have the Year 4 lessons set; for Years 5 and 6, I have set further lessons from the Year 5 curriculum. These are the lessons:

Yr 4 – 11 times tables

Yr 4 – 12 times tables

Yr 4 – Mixed tables 2 to 12

Yr 5 – Mental multiplication

Yr 5 – Mental division

I'm looking forward to seeing how you do on these. Times tables will be a big focus on our return to school so get as much practice as you can!

English

Today, you have the final lesson in the sequence of learning about reading for pleasure. The link for this is:

<https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/to-develop-reading-for-pleasure-through-book-recommendations-68rp4c>

In the lesson today, Ms Madden discusses book recommendations, recommends some books that she likes and guides you to make recommendations of your own. Book recommendations from other people are incredibly important – they have more effect on me than advertising or looking at covers and blurbs. It will be interesting to see which books you recommend!

Quiet Reading

Given that you have been learning about book recommendations, during Quiet Reading, it would be great if you were able to find some recommendations to give you ideas about books to read. Please visit:

<https://www.lovereadng4kids.co.uk/>

to find some good book recommendations and note them down in your reading diary ready to share with me when you are back in school. If you finish finding some books, please spend the rest of the time reading your own book quietly.

History/Geography

For your learning this afternoon, I am going to give you some extra time to finish off your factsheets about Edwardian life. From feedback from a few people, I am aware that some of you may not have had chance to finish this.

If you think that you are not going to be able to finish everything, pick one or two of the sections from the project sheet to focus on. Research that aspect thoroughly and present it rather than worrying that you are not going to get everything done!

Music

I am very pleased to say that I have links for music from Mr Mott! I am sure that many of you have missed this so I hope that you enjoy this this week! The links for these are:

KS1: I Like The Flowers
<https://youtu.be/7x8V8ysjJ3E>

KS2: You Can't Put Your Muck In Our Dustbin
<https://youtu.be/LK9RUUpG4Lnw>

I'm aware that one of the links is for Key Stage 1 but you may want to have a go at it anyway! I am pleased to say that Mr Mott will be back next week in school for Music so you will be able to see him personally which will be great.

Today is the last day that I will be setting home learning and I just wanted to say thank you to children, parents/carers and support staff – you have all worked very hard with the learning that has been set and have also dealt with any mistakes I have made with good humour and grace. Thank you for that and I am looking forward to being able to implement the learning I plan myself from next week! See you all soon!