

11th - 15th January 2021

Monday

English:

1. **English in Practice:** Day 61
2. **Read at Home:** Read the factual comprehension on page 26 and answer the questions out loud. Remember to use full sentences when you are giving your answer. Can you make any **connections** to this? ie: have you ever been to London or do you know of someone who has?
3. **Writing Recount:** Can you write a paragraph (8 -10 sentences) about your Christmas Break. Look at Seesaw to remind yourself of the features of recounts which must be included in your writing. I AM ALREADY EXCITED TO READ THESE!!

Maths

- 1 Mental Maths Book: **Week 15 - Monday**
- 2 **Revise Time** - Draw 4 mini clocks (like we did in our Maths copies) and show 1 o'clock, quarter past 1, half past 1 and quarter to 2.

This is the journey from 1 o'clock to 2 o'clock.

Challenge: Can you write the digital times underneath?

(Look on page 157 in your Planet Maths to remind you)

Revise: 2d Shapes: circle, square, triangle, rectangle, oval (Pg 157 PM) -

Can you name and identify them all? Can you draw them?

Challenge: Can you remember what six, seven and eight sided shapes are called? (Clue: think of an octopus to help you figure out what an 8 sided shape is called)

New Maths: 3d Shapes:

Let's see what you already know:

1. What is a 3d Shape?
2. How is it different to a 2d Shape?
3. Do you know any 3d shapes?

- Look on Seesaw to see the ppt on 3d Shapes. Can you find these 3d objects in your home. Go on a Hunt! Check if you are right - use pg 157 in PM to help you.

- Complete pg 106 in PM (Planet Maths)

Challenge: Now, after exploring, can you answer the above questions?

Tuesday

English:

1. **English In Practice:** Day 62
2. **Read at Home:** Read the Narrative on pg 27. Answer the questions out loud. Remember to use full sentences. Can you make any **connections** to this story and something in your life? Eg: Have you read a story about fairies before? Have you watched a movie about fairies? etc
3. **Poetry:** Read this poem to your family. Create some suitable actions.

A Smile is a Funny Thing

A smile is quite a funny thing,
it wrinkles up your face.
And when it's gone, you'll never find
its secret hiding place.
But far more wonderful it is
to see what smiles can do,
You smile at one, she smiles at you,
and so one smile makes two!

Maths:

1. Mental Maths Book: **Week 15 - Tuesday**
2. **Mental Maths:** Revise counting in 2s, Go forwards and backwards.
Challenge: Do it with 3 digit numbers ie: 132, 134, 136 etc

3d Shapes:

1. Before we start, can you remember any 3d shapes that we explored yesterday?
2. What is the difference between 2d and 3d shapes?

New: Today, we will be exploring faces, edges, corners (vertices), vertex - please check seesaw for more information.

Task: Complete **pg 107 in PM.** Check pg 157 in PM to see if you are correct.

(At the end of pg 107, it says to draw your own 3d elf hotel and label the shapes but you could also create one with building blocks or lego pieces, if you have them at home)

Music: 3d shape song on Seesaw

Wednesday

English:

1. English in Practice **Day 63**
2. **Read Theory x1 passage** - try to continue to do this as independently as possible so Read Theory does not put your child on a level that they are not yet truly ready for.
3. **Read at Home:** Read the factual account on **pg 30**. Write the questions. Use full sentences.
Can you make any **connections?**

Phonics - Check Seesaw

Maths:

1. Mental Maths - **Week 15 - Wednesday**
2. **Mental Maths:** Revise counting in 5s. Go forwards and backwards.
Challenge: Do it with 3 digit numbers ie: 155, 160, 165, 170 etc

3d Shapes:

Complete pg 42 - Satellite Book

Thursday

English:

1. English in Practice: **Day 64**
2. **Read at Home: Read pg 31.** Spend some time chatting through Road Safety. This also forms part of the SPHE Program. Check Seesaw for more resources on this.

Extra Challenge: Design a Road Safety Poster.

Maths:

1. Mental Maths Book: **Week 15 - Thursday.**
2. **Mental Maths:** Revise counting in 10s. Go forwards and backwards.
Challenge: Do it with 3 digit numbers ie: 180, 170, 160, 150 etc

New: Spatial Awareness:

We will be focusing on the positions of left and right - check out seesaw for some resources

Task: Complete page 105 Planet Maths

Friday

English:

1. English In Practice Day 65
2. Read at Home: Read pg 32 and write the questions down. Remember to use full sentences. Try to self-edit and Check your punctuation independently (capital letters and full stops)
3. Read Theory x1 passage (independent)

Phonics Check Up - look on seesaw

Maths

1. Mental Maths Week 15 - Friday Review
2. Mental Maths: Revise counting in 10s, starting from different numbers. Go forwards and backwards. Eg: 7, 17, 27, 37, 47 etc or 92, 82, 72...

Challenge: Do it with 3 digit numbers ie: 111, 121, 131, 141 ...

Maths Task:

Revise 3d shapes and Other - Complete Planet Maths page108 (Mental Maths)
- do it independently first and then read through your answers with a grown up.