

Additional home learning materials

Below are some additional home learning materials that you may like to use with your son / daughter. You may have come across some of these already. These are entirely optional and, if used, should be in addition to the weekly learning projects that are being sent home, not instead of them.

We are aware that there are a huge amount of resources being made available to parents and carers as well as to schools. These are accessed through many different channels and this can be quite overwhelming. Some of them are very good but they do vary in quality so our aim is to update regularly with a small number of interesting, worthwhile activities when we find them.

They are added in date order so as we go forward, any newly added suggestions will be at the top of the table.

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Curriculum area / Activity / Resource	Added by who / when	Age range	Additional information / how to use
Summer Reading Bingo https://www.booksfortopics.com/bingo?cid=33df708f-73f9-477c-9d23-ad572c670270&utm_campaign=853444ed-2725-4a89-9949-5c221e104209&utm_medium=mail	7th July by Mrs Clark	All	There is a summer reading bingo card being sent home during the last week of term. Here is another version - have fun reading over the summer!

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Cricket at home: https://www.ecb.co.uk/covid-19/parents?dm_i=5ZQF,1DPR,FYU5N,52OZ,1	21st May by Mrs Wright	All	All Stars Cricket - Cricket activities, challenges and learning sessions for children aged 5-8 to take part in at home. Dynamos Cricket - Cricket activities, challenges and learning sessions for children aged 8-11 to take part in at home.
Girlguiding - Adventures at Home Festival https://www.girlguiding.org.uk/what-we-do/events-and-opportunities/event-and-opportunity-finder/girlguiding-presents-adventures-at-home-festival/	21st May by Mrs Clark	Whole family	Adventures at home is all about trying something new, having fun and challenging yourself so we're taking the Girlguiding festival experience online. Join us on Saturday 23 May for the Adventures at home festival. It's all free, just tune in to our live online programme of acts and events on our Youtube channel and right here. From 10.30am til early in the evening, our programme is jam-packed with fun for all the family. There's something for everyone to enjoy.
Exploration of the day https://www.explorationoftheday.com/	20th May by Miss Green	All	Interesting new art assignments each day, created by author/artist Keri Smith.
Brain on https://www.brainson.org/	20th May by Miss Green	All	This website has a range of videos and podcasts about a range of science subjects. All worth a watch or listen!
Remote Science lessons https://www.stem.org.uk/remote-lessons?utm_source=Adestra&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=Remote+Science+Lessons	20th May by Miss Green	KS1 and KS2	Through the website, you can access a variety of free curriculum-linked science lessons for children of all

m_medium=email&utm_term=&utm_content=All%20remote%20lessons&utm_campaign=Resend%20of%20Remote%20CPD%20-%2012.05			<p>ages. These lessons cover a range of topics, including evolution, forces, and the human body. Created and recorded by subject experts, remote lessons can be accessed at any time of day, making it easy to fit into your home learning schedule.</p>
<p>Mission X https://www.esa.int/Education/Expedition_Home/Challenge_1_Nimble_Navigation</p>	<p>20th May by Miss Green</p>	<p>All Years</p>	<p>The first Mission X home edition challenge has launched! It's time to get up, move our bodies, and train like an astronaut. Every two weeks there is a new physical activity challenge to practice your agility, endurance, coordination, and strength- just like real astronauts need for their missions to space.</p> <p>Want to take part?</p> <p>Step 1: Follow us on social media</p> <p>Join the Mission X Facebook group</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Follow the Mission X Facebook page · Follow the Mission X Twitter account <p>Step 2: Complete the bi-weekly challenge</p> <p>You can complete the challenge individually or as a virtual team. You can also complete the challenge as a family. As you complete the challenge, film it or take a picture. We want to see how YOU are completing the challenge, so be creative!</p> <p>Step 3: Share your progress</p> <p>Post your video or photo on any of our social media pages using #trainlikeanastronaut. The most creative post(s) will be named the Astro-trainee of the Week!</p> <p>Step 4: Look out!</p> <p>Like and share posts. At the end of each challenge look out for the featured Astro-trainee of the Week.</p>

Blocky blocky.games	19th May by Miss Green	Year 1 - 6	Learn computer programming skills - fun and free.
Book Trust booktrust.org.uk/books-and-reading/have-some-fun	19th May by Miss Green	All ages	Enjoy storytime with free online books and videos, play games, win prizes, test your knowledge in book-themed quizzes, or even learn how to draw some of your favourite characters.
Create your own museum liverpoolmuseums.org.uk/my-home-my-museum	19th May by Miss Green	Ages 4-11	National Museums Liverpool has launched a special project, My Home My Museum, encouraging children to create their own museum from objects in their home.
Colouring Books openculture.com/2019/02/download-free-coloring-books-from-113-museums	19th May by Miss Green	All ages	Downloadable free colouring books from 113 different museums.
BBC sounds bbc.co.uk/sounds/category/audio-books	19th May by Miss Green	All ages	There are 15 children's stories, including The Children's Joke by Louisa May Alcott and Finn and the Scottish Giant by Harold F Hughes.
Plenty of virtual tours	19th May by Miss Green	All ages	British Museum Britishmuseum.org National Gallery Nationalgallery.org.uk Buckingham Palace royal.uk/virtual-tours-buckingham-palace Egyptian Pyramids tripsavv.com/virtual-field-trip-pyramids-1259200 Guggenheim, Bilbao guggenheim-bilbao.eus/en The Louvre, France louvre.fr/en

			Grammy Museum grammymuseum.org/museum-at-home
Little Inventors https://www.littleinventors.org/	13th May by Miss Green	EYFS to Yr6	Their mission: To give children across the world the opportunity to develop and showcase their creativity and problem-solving skills, build their confidence, curiosity and resilience to become caring citizens of our planet, all invaluable attributes that will support them as adults in their everyday life and chosen career paths.
Weekly Home Learning Challenges for Children and Families https://cornerstoneseducation.co.uk/news/10-big-ideas-free-home-learning-challenges-for-children-and-families/	12th May 2020 by Mrs Clark	EYFS to Y6	A new set of 12 challenges will be released each week. The challenges are for Reception to Year 2 and for Year 3 to Year 6, but this is just a guide – you'll know your children best. Each challenge is designed to last between 30 minutes to an hour.
Science @ home https://www.winchestersciencecentre.org/science-home/science-home/#.XrOy86hKjtR	7th May 2020 by Miss Green	All years	Here you can find educational, inspirational and fun resources for your family to enjoy at home, from weekly Curiosity Challenges and DIY science videos to spectacular science demonstrations and fun and fascinating facts!
Science https://www.greatscienceshare.org/great-science-groove	7th May 2020 by Miss Green	All Years	A great way to get involved in the Great Science Share. It is a link to a youtube video where you can learn a dance to the Great Science Share song. Please share with me if you learn the song!

<p>Music</p> <p>https://beatboxadventures.com/</p>	<p>EHL 6th May 2020</p>	<p>4 upwards.</p>	<p>An opportunity to join in with a beat box lesson every Thursday at 2.00 on YouTube. Use the website to find a link to the page.</p>
<p>Music</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCQh2wgJ5tOrixYBn6jFXsXQ/featured</p>	<p>EHL 6th May 2020</p>	<p>A range of ages - it depends on the video.</p>	<p>Mylene's Music Klass: A chance to take part in music lessons at home with Mylene and her children.</p>
<p>Music</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/ten-pieces</p>	<p>EHL 6th May 2020</p>	<p>7 upwards.</p>	<p>A great resource which involves workshops and videos to engage children with classical music.</p>
<p>A free online book called The Book of Hopes edited by Katherine Rundell</p> <p>https://literacytrust.org.uk/family-zone/9-12/book-hopes/?fbclid=IwAR1kryLagEb15dopLntt9khENej4sIU795S2e_vZYC2AL4eOSOb1m6ZmTg0</p>	<p>4th May 2020 by Mrs Clark</p>		<p>The Book of Hopes: Words and Pictures to Comfort, Inspire and Entertain Children in Lockdown</p> <p>Edited by Katherine Rundell, with contributions from more than 100 children's writers and illustrators</p> <p>Completely free for all children and families, the extraordinary collection of short stories, poems, essays and pictures has contributions from more than 110 children's writers and illustrators, including Lauren Child, Anthony Horowitz, Greg James and Chris Smith, Michael Morpurgo, Liz Pichon, Axel Scheffler, Francesca Simon and Jacqueline Wilson.</p> <p>The collection, published by Bloomsbury, is dedicated to the doctors, nurses, carers, porters, cleaners and everyone currently working in hospitals.</p> <p>The Book of Hopes is currently available to read online only. Bloomsbury intends to publish a gift book based on the</p>

			project in the autumn in support of NHS Charities Together. Please visit @KidsBloomsbury for further updates on this.
<p>Science Oxford Challenges</p> <p>https://scienceoxford.com/resources/science-oxford-challenges/?mc_cid=8fa70f4d11&mc_eid=bfe a1b40ad</p>	<p>1st May 2020 by Miss Green</p>	<p>All year groups</p>	<p>Over the next few months, our Science Oxford team is developing a series of fun STEM-focussed challenges and activities for children in school and families at home. For each challenge, there is an introductory video and a more detailed instruction sheet to download to get you going. Don't forget to email us a photo of your completed challenge to competition@scienceoxford.com or post on Twitter or Facebook and tag @scienceoxford. There's a weekly prize of a family ticket to our Science Oxford Centre for the best entry – good luck!</p>
<p>Touch typing (recommended by parent of Y6 pupil - thank you)</p> <p>BBC Touch Typing - Bite Size Topic</p>	<p>28th April 2020 by Mrs Clark</p>	<p>KS</p>	<p>There is more information here about learning to touch type https://www.goodschoolsguide.co.uk/digital-media/chalk-and-chat/issue-six/how-to-teach-your-child-to-touch-type</p>
<p>Touch typing (recommended by parent of Y6 pupil - thank you)</p> <p>Typing Club</p>	<p>28th April 2020 by Mrs Clark</p>	<p>KS2</p>	<p>There is more information here about learning to touch type https://www.goodschoolsguide.co.uk/digital-media/chalk-and-chat/issue-six/how-to-teach-your-child-to-touch-type</p>
<p>Maths - 5 a day</p> <p>https://corbettmathsprimary.com/</p>	<p>20th April 2020 by Mrs</p>	<p>Year 3 - 6</p>	<p>5 daily maths questions if you need more resources.</p>

	Hill		Choose the level that suits you best.
Eco/Science https://bpes.bp.com/earth-day-primary	20th April 2020 by Miss Green	Year 3 to 6	<p>This year marks the 50th anniversary of Earth Day (22 April 2020). We want to share our fun and inspiring resources about super scientist Jamie Garcia and her recyclable plastic. To access this resource:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • - open the BPES website: bp.com/bpes • - click on 'Enter a student code' (top right on all pages if you are not logged in) • - enter the code below. <p>Student code: 94709</p>
Science https://explorify.wellcome.ac.uk/activities	16th April 2020 by Miss Green	EYFS to Year 6	You have to log in - but it is for free. Once in you can access a range of activities. One which links in nicely with Mrs Coleman's newsletters is the 'Zoom out activity'. It begins magnified in and you can click slowly to reveal more and more detail. Did you guess right?
Science https://explore.org/livecams	16th April 2020 by Miss Green	EYFS to Year 6	These are live links to videos which stream animals in their natural habitats around the world. An interesting watch!
Science https://wowscience.co.uk/	16th April 2020 by Miss Green	Year 1 to Year 6	A range of games which have a Science link.
Eco/Science https://encounteredu.com/live-lessons/axa-arctic-live-2020?utm_m	16th April 2020 by Miss Green	Year 2 to Year 6	These are live sessions from various places around the world. Scientists discuss what investigations they are carrying out and discuss their job with you. There is also a

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<p>Science</p> https://encounteredu.com/steam-activities?utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=April%20Newsletter&utm_content=April%20Newsletter+Version+B+CID_9c94d39163cc7d70967c641340c0dd05&utm_source=Email%20marketing%20software&utm_term=EXPLORE%20STEAM%20ACTIVITIES	16th April 2020 Miss Green	EYFS to Year 6	These are a range of STEM scientific activities which link to climate change. There is a range from colouring in sheets, 'make your own' to investigations. I would love to see the result of carrying these out!
<p>Phonics</p> https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCo7fbLgY2oA_cFCIq9GdxtQ?fbclid=IwAR2zrFGy-XeHJqpwPS6vCFaeN3H0rZHJ6ff-AzBQftyU3Q8Xtgyzg0JXkHU	15th April 2020 Mrs Wright	EYFS and Year 1	Read Write Inc phonics sounds. Each day focuses on a new sound. Most children will need to watch set 2 and/or set 3.
<p>Languages</p> https://www.duolingo.com	15th April 2020 Mrs Wright	Year 3 to Year 6	A visual way to learn a language or continue learning a language.
<p>Story Time</p> https://www.worldofdavidwalliams	15th April 2020 Mrs	EYFS to Y6	An opportunity to listen to a story read by a very animated author.

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Coding www.discoveryeducation.co.uk Username student25896 Password sandhills	15th April 2020 by Mr Taylor	Y1-Y6	Home access to the coding program that we use in school.
Espresso - various subject areas www.discoveryeducation.co.uk Username student25896 Password sandhills	15th April 2020 by Mr Taylor	EYFS - Y6	Lots of resources and games from across the curriculum including maths, English and topics. <i>(Currently available until 31st May 2020)</i>
Oxford Owl for Home - reading https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/	14th April 2020 by Mrs Barnard	EYFS to Y6	Support for literacy and numeracy, but what might be most helpful is access to e-reading books, of the type the children might be reading in school. The books are read online so there is no need to download or print anything. https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/books/free-ebooks/ Parents just need to register then log in each time the platform is used. All the ebooks are free to use and are interactive. They are best viewed on a computer, laptop or tablet rather than on a mobile phone.
Mathematical games and activities from Nrich https://nrich.maths.org/14600 Guidance for parents and carers - some top tips for parents on	12th April by Mrs Clark	Follow the separate links for: Ages 3 to 5 Ages 5 to 7	These are a wide range of excellent games and puzzles that develop children's problems solving and investigation skills.

<p>how to work together with children on mathematical games and activities.</p> <p>https://nrich.maths.org/14411</p>		Ages 7 to 11	
<p>BBC education programmes</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/primary</p>	8th April 2020 by Mrs Clark	School Years One to Ten although some of the very young programmes may be suitable for EYFS too.	<p>From 20th April, videos, quizzes, podcasts and articles will appear on BBC Bitesize Daily via the BBC iPlayer, red button, BBC Four and BBC Sounds.</p> <p>The initiative will include 14 weeks of core subject learning.</p>
Five a day fitness	8th April 2020 by Mrs Clark	EYFS to Y6	We have sent you details separately via Parent Mail about how to access these five minute exercise breaks and two minute mindfulness sessions.
Cooking	8th April 2020 by Mrs Clark	EYFS to Y6	<p>There are large amounts of maths (measurement, calculation, ratio etc) and reading comprehension (recipes) in cooking and following recipes.</p> <p>It is also a fantastic life skill to have! We strongly encourage spending some time on this.</p>
<p>Wildlife Watch activities</p> <p>https://www.wildlifewatch.org.uk/Downloads</p>	8th April 2020 by Mrs Clark	EYFS to Y6	<p>Lots of great outdoor activities (https://www.wildlifewatch.org.uk/activity-sheets) and other resources eg bingo sheets and I-Spy</p>

			You don't need to register or sign up for many of the activities.